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WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Keep kases on Keller's Kristmas kandy column.

Carl Cutting was taken to the reform school near Salem this morning in charge of Adolph Phirman.

Rev. Gentry Rushing desires us to state, for the benefit of those who may have business with him, he has had a phone placed in his residence, No. 396.

Candy is essential to Christmas joys, and you can't well get along without it. So Keller calls your attention to the prices he offers in that line. You will find them in another column.

The school in District No. 30, near Dufur, taught by Miss Mabel O'Brien, closed a very successful term last Friday. Though a small school, the pupils contributed \$9 toward the library fund.

H. S. Soule, the piano tuner, is in the city for a few days only. Any who desire to have their pianos tuned may leave word at I. C. Nickelsen's or the Jacobsen Book and Music Co's. 18-23

Of the multitudinous variety of holiday gifts there are probably none that meet with more popular favor, than a pair of well fitted glasses. Mr. Theo. H. Liebe, graduate optician at Liebe's jewelry store, will test your eyes free of charge. 19-21

What the members of the band speak of as a rehearsal, but those who are privileged to listen to are pleased to term a concert, will take place at the club tonight. All members and their lady friends will enjoy good music by being present.

Before consulting any "would be correspondence course" opticians, call at H. C. Liebe's jewelry store and have your eyes thoroughly tested by Theo. H. Liebe, graduate of Peoria Optical college and Bradley's Polytechnic Institute. Examination free. 19 21

The ladies Guild of the Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. W. P. Morris tomorrow afternoon; the Aid Society of the Congregational church with Mrs. E. M. Wilson; and the Methodist Good Intent with Mrs. S. Jones at the same hour.

The annual election of Wasco lodge No. 15, A. F. & A. M., took place last night, with the following result: M. Z. Donnell, W. M.; Frank Christian, S. W.; Victor Marden, J. W.; O. D. Doane, Sec'y; George A. Liebe, Treas. The leading officers chosen are the youngest that have ever filled the chairs since the organization of the lodge.

Brown and Wilson, the desperadoes who were captured by Deputy Dell Howell a week ago, were arraigned in Justice Bayard's court yesterday afternoon charged with larceny. They waived examination and were bound over in the sum of \$500 each to appear at the

February term of court. 'Tis not likely any bonds will be forthcoming, and so they will be guests of John Fitz Gerald until that time.

Some may feel that it doesn't seem like Christmas is so near at hand, but Sunday school workers are aware of the fact and are busy making preparations. On Saturday night the Christian Sunday school will have a Christmas chimney. On Monday at 6 o'clock the Episcopal pupils have a tree, and later in the evening the Methodist and Congregational schools each celebrate with trees; while the Salvation Army will have a tree for the poor.

A bad sidewalk is always a disgrace to the city, and a dangerous one at that; but when the snows of winter cover it to an extent, concealing the pitfall from pedestrians, it becomes doubly dangerous. Such walks are those on Court street above the bluff. In no part of the city can worse walks be found than that street, when they should, if anything, be the best, considering the number of children who are compelled to walk over them daily going to and from school.

It would probably be the proper thing today to remark that "now is the winter of our discontent." But most everyone seems to feel that winter has tarried a sufficient time so that we really have no kick coming. Last night was the coldest of the season. The thermometer got down to 22 degrees, while at noon today it was 25. The barometer indicates snow, but the new weather prophet still says "fair and warmer." Already the small boy has hied himself to the small ponds near the city, with skates in hand, and several visitors from the country have come in in sleds, which shows that the snow must be deeper in their districts. It is also much colder than in the city.

From Mrs. R. I. Young, who has just returned from a week's visit at her old home in the Fairfield district, we learn that society is lively in that neighborhood. Having been absent for over a year she greatly enjoyed meeting her old friends. Among other things she attended a farewell party given in honor of Miss Cheadle at the home of W. A. Campbell. There were about forty-eight present, and an oyster supper was enjoyed. On the evening of the 15th about forty neighbors gathered at the home of Martin Jaksha and had a general good time. She says there was about six feet of snow on the ground when she left. They have a splendid Sunday school at Fairfield under the superintendency of Harry Richards, and last Sunday Rev. R. Warner preached at the school house.

A good representation of the alumni were present at the home of Geo. Ruch, Jr., last evening, when the question of welcoming the sixteen members of the state university glee club to our city on the 28th was thoroughly discussed, and it was decided to give them a reception either on the evening previous to the concert or at its close Thursday evening, the time depending upon their arrival. An executive committee composed of Misses G. Sampson, L. Bonn and L. Liebe, was appointed, which is sufficient proof that a hearty welcome will be given the students. About sixty of the leading ladies of the city were chosen as patronesses, and their names sent to the manager of the club. Not only will they receive a greeting from the alumni; but all will be glad to welcome such worthy young men to our city.

The Shaw company, which has just finished a week's engagement at Spokane, received the following complimentary notice in the Review: "The Shaws and their supporting people made a distinctly favorable impression upon such of the theater going people as turned out to see them. It is not a great company by any means, and does not pretend to be. Some of its productions, however, are exceedingly clever and it is the almost unanimous verdict that it is the best balanced and altogether the most capable organization playing to popular prices, that has been seen here. Those who came in personal contact with the members of the company found them all ladies and gentlemen. In their performances, there was not the slightest taint of anything not clean nor wholesome. Although their engagement here did not net the financial returns expected, they nevertheless felt that in a measure they had been appreciated, and went away disposed to speak a good word for the city."

Turkey shoot.

A turkey shoot will take place on the beach on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, 23d, 24th and 25th of this month, beginning at 11 o'clock and continuing during the afternoon.

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HIS DEATH CONFIRMED.

Congestion of the Brain Causes Capt. Waud's Death—A Letter Received.

After nearly three weeks of patient waiting to hear even the meagerest news concerning the death of her husband in that far off land, this morning Mrs. Waud received an official communication from the public administrator at Dawson informing her of his death on the 18th, of congestion of the brain. No further particulars other than those of a business nature were given.

However, with the same mail came a letter which was addressed with a stamp, but which, upon being opened disclosed the familiar writing of Capt. Waud, and being opened before the other, not only gave Mrs. Waud and the children a great shock, but awakened in them a faint hope as they saw it was dated Nov. 15th, the day before his death at Dominion camp, about thirty miles from Dawson. Such a hopeful, jolly letter; telling of the richness of the claims, and of what he hoped to accomplish in the course of a few weeks; asking particularly for each of the children, how they spend their time, and speaking of the good times they would have upon their visit to him next summer. The tone of the letter was in his usual happy style and not a word of complaint as to ill health; on the contrary he closed with saying "I'm as hungry as I can be all the time; could eat a dog."

But in the communication read later was confirmed the news of his death.

Left to conjecture as to the suddenness of his demise, Mrs. Waud feels assured that an old trouble in the head, which had followed him for years was the cause of his final taking off. The trouble consisted of a pain in the back of the head which was so intense as to almost drive him distracted at times. During the time he was captain on the river boats here, seeing that one of these terrible spells was coming on his wife would accompany him to the locks, bathing his head and allaying the pains as best she could. Speaking of it on one occasion he said to her that he would not be surprised that it might take him off suddenly some future day and that it was his wish when his time come, to go suddenly, not lingering in pain.

All arrangements have been made to bring the body out as soon as possible, and Mrs. Waud expects to receive definite word concerning the shipment in a few days.

Put Yourself In Their Place.

Perhaps no verdict which has been rendered in the state for years was so surprising to everyone as was that of the jury in the McDaniel case in Portland; no one dreaming of a verdict of manslaughter. Like the prisoner himself, all came to the conclusion that he was either guilty of murder in the first degree or innocent. It might be well, however, for each one to place himself in the juryman's stead before censuring so severely. The Telegram, which is ever reasonable on such questions, says: "It was a somewhat dubious case. It was, and is almost a certainty that McDaniel killed the girl; every circumstance and incident points directly at him, saying silently, but with awful force: 'Thou art the man;' yet the crime was not absolutely and positively proved to be his, beyond the law's 'reasonable doubt'. If McDaniel is guilty, as probably nine out of ten people believe him to be, it is a lamentable miscarriage of justice that he can be imprisoned only a few years; yet what was an honest juror who entertained a 'reasonable doubt' to do? Not quite sure enough of his guilt to find a verdict of murder in the first degree, he was willing to compromise on manslaughter, reasoning that if the youth is not guilty of murder, he deserves severe punishment anyway, and so the sentence will not be amiss.

"Such verdicts are almost enough to cause men to view legal processes with scorn and derision, yet the fault is not altogether in the law, nor yet with the jurors, who may be both intelligent and honest; it is because the best of us only can 'see through a glass darkly.'"

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PEOPLE YOU ALL KNOW.

J. W. Hodson, of Salem, is in the city. G. W. Lord was down from Arlington on business yesterday.

Chas. Green, the San Francisco wool buyer, is in town today.

Mrs. L. Withers left on yesterday's afternoon train for Portland.

Roland Wiley was a passenger on the boat this morning for Portland.

Julius and David Platt were business visitors from Goldendale yesterday.

A. L. Anderson and wife came over to the city from Goldendale yesterday.

F. A. Young accompanied his sister, Mrs. Soule, to this city from Ridgeway yesterday.

T. M. B. Chastain, one of Wasco county's educators, came in from Tygh Valley yesterday.

Rev. A. S. Leitz, of Cascade Locks, who has spent a few days in The Dalles, returned home today.

Mrs. E. F. Hall and Miss E. Hensell came up from Lyle yesterday and are shopping in the city today.

Capt. and Mrs. Edwards, who spent Sunday with Mrs. O. S. Waud and family, returned to their home in Portland yesterday.

P. E. Michell returned to Stevenson on this morning's boat, having been present at the election of officers of Wasco lodge last evening.

Deputy Sheriff Howell came in from Antelope yesterday to be present at the examination of Brown and Wilson, whom he was so successful in capturing.

Mrs. S. W. Soule, who has spent the past few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Young, at Ridgeway, arrived in the city yesterday and left last night for her home in Billings, Mont.

Miss Hailey and Miss Mason, who have been teaching in Sherman county, came down on yesterday's afternoon train, spent the night with Miss Nan Cooper and left on the morning boat for their home at Independence.

Miss Mills, who for years has been head matron of the Salem hospital, arrived in the city Saturday and is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Geisendorffer. She is accompanied by Iras Hawley, a niece of Dr. Geisendorffer.

Robt. Gilmore came in from Antelope yesterday. He says the cold weather has greatly improved the roads, and traveling is much pleasanter even if the weather is colder. Grading is rapidly being pushed toward Shaniko and will no doubt be finished by the middle of January. There will be some difficult work on Nigger hill, between Wasco and Moro, and when that is finished work will go along swimmingly.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's uncle, Ben Wilson, in this city, December 18th, by Justice C. E. Bayard, Eben Butler and Miss Alice Brown, both of Nansene.

BORN.

In this city, Monday, Dec. 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Harper, a son; weight 14 pounds.

"Shenandoah" in Portland.

The production of Bronson Howard's great drama of the late civil war, "Shenandoah," which Jacob Litt will present at the Marquam Grand in Portland Christmas week, is the same which Mr. Litt used at the Broadway theater, New York City, last May, which was said at that time to be the handsomest production that has ever been given on the stage of a New York theater. The great feature of the Litt production is the battle scene which comes at the end of the third act. It is so real that it becomes actual. The Union troops are in full retreat, driven back by the Confederates; the day seems lost. Suddenly in the distance are heard shouts. "Sheridan is coming," is the cry and in a moment defeat is changed into victory. Squadron after squadron of cavalry and company after company of infantry dash across the stage, followed by the heavy artillery. It is a wonderful piece of stage mechanism and realistic to a degree. The company includes fifty horses and over two hundred people.

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House to Rent.

A six-room house, on Eighth street, opposite S. Bolton's residence; four rooms furnished, including piano. For further particulars apply to Robert Teague, at W. A. Johnston's hardware store. 12-17

Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to Jan. 21, 1899, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Nov. 13th, 1899. O. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

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