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ITEMS IN BRIEF

From Wednesday's Daily.

Sheriff Wilcox, of Gilliam county, is in the city.

Mr C. J. Bright, a lawyer of Wasco, is in town today.

Mrs. Lon Curtis returned from Olympia yesterday.

Mr. S. F. Blythe, editor of the Hood River *Glacier*, gave us a pleasant call this morning.

Mr. P. E. Michell, of Columbus, Wash., arrived in the city on the morning train.

Mr W. A. Hendrix, a prominent farmer in the vicinity of Dufur, arrived in town today.

Mr. Thos. H. Williams, a merchant of Cascade Locks, gave us a pleasant call yesterdry afternoon.

Mr Otto Birgfeld, who has been in the city for the past two days, returned to Portland on the afternoon train.

Mr. Henry Hudson, a well known farmer in the vicinity of Nansene, has spent the day in the city.

A frost covered the ground this morning; but the day was clear and bright and the sun gave warmth to the atmosphere.

The Union dancing club will give their fortnightly party this evening at the opera house as usual. It has not been postponed.

At M. T Nolan's news depot have been received the *Century, Scribner's, House of Heroes* and the *Cosmopolitan* for February. These are excellent periodicals, and the present numbers are replete with very readable articles.

There will be some crack sailors among the fishing boats next season. Several fine-model boats will be completed this winter, and it is expected there will be a great deal of rivalry among the fishermen next year as to who has the fastest boat.

Dufur & Hill have now their sign posted on the entrance to their rooms up staires in the brick building, corner of Second and Court streets, where they are prepared to do all kinds of typewriting, stenographing, etc. Aside from this line of business they are agents for fire insurance companies.

The vote in joint convention at Salem shows a slight change again today; but there were six absent, and it is not known how these would have stood. The ballot was as follows: Dolph, 39; Hermann, 13; Williams, 9; Hare, 10; Lord, 8; Lowell, 3; Weatherford, 7; absent, 6. Republican Dolph men will caucus tonight.

The case of assault and battery before Justice Davis' court yesterday was dismissed on motion of the complaining witness. He paid the costs amounting to $10, and received the blow besides. This was the first spring fight, and if the justice court receives its costs in the many fights that may take place, and taxpayers not have to pay the expenses, it will be very fortunate.

Loggers on the Nehalem for fully 75 miles from its mouth are preparing to open up new camps when the mills at Nehalem City commence operations. It is said by millowners that logs can easily be floated for 90 miles down the Nehalem river, and logs from the finest timber belt on the coast are directly alongside the banks of this stream.

An old Indian war claim of $13,680 has just been ordered paid by the government to the heirs of Joseph Bailey at Eugene. The case has been pending about thirteen years, and since that time Mr. Bailey has died without leaving any children. His wife, who had married again, is also dead. Now his heirs are likely to engage in a hot legal contest as to who will receive the money.

In the cases of state of Oregon vs Quong Chong and Leon Sui, or, as the parties should be known, Mr. and Mrs. Quong Chong—nee Sui, were dismissed on motion of the prosecution, the costs having been paid by the complaining witnesses. The cousin of true love may run smoothly with these celestials hereafter and life may be a pleasant dream; or it may be a troubled stream.

W. E. Chamberlain and son, of Oakland, Calif., have procured a mill site on the old Backus' place at Hood River, and will erect buildings for a grist mill as soon as the weather will permit. They intend to tunnel through the embankment east of the stream and get a supply of water by that means. This is a very commendable enterprise, and no doubt will be a factor of development for that town.

From Thursday's Daily.

Muddy streets.

These days are delightful.

Freighting will soon begin to the interior.

Wasco tribe adopted two pale faces last night.

A large lot of poles have been received for the new telephone company.

The building adjoining the store of E J. Collins & Co. is rapidly approaching completion.

The sewer in the alley leading from Court to Union streets, and between Front and Second, is being repaired.

Circuit court will convene in this city next Monday. The calendar is not nearly as long as it was last term.

A heavy frost covered the ground this morning; but the sun soon dispelled the frostiness of the atmosphere.

Since the snow has nearly disappeared the roads to the interior of the county are in a deplorable condition, and, in places, are almost impassable.

Columbia Hose Co. No. 2 will hold their annual meeting this evening at the council chambers. As officers for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting a full attendance is requested.

The vote in joint convention in Salem is resuming its old status. It stood this afternoon: Dolph, 41; Herman, 13; Williams, 9; Hare, 10; Weatherford, 8; Lowell, 3; Lord, 4. Absent, 3; Scott and Carter paired.

Hon. W. H. Dufur is in town. He says there is more snow in the vicinity of Dufur than in this city. The winter has been favorable to cattlemen and farmers so far, and there are prospects of good crops next harvest.

There were two impecunious individuals found lodgings in the city jail, last night, and this morning arose bright and early thankful for the place to dose away the hours, and forget for awhile the cares and vicissitudes of an eventful existence.

At Frazer & Wyndham's tonsorial emporium the baths are in excellent condition, and the rooms made comfortable by being heated by steam. The comfort of patrons is the first consideration with the proprietors, and everything possible is done with this end in view.

The *Regulator* and *Dalles City* are being thoroughly repaired, and when they again enter the trade they will be in better condition than ever. There will be more conveniences for passengers in the cabins, and every part of the boats will be repainted. It is expected they will be ready for the traffic by the 20th of the present month.

The East End Hose Co. held their annual meeting last evening, and elected the following officers: H L. Kuck, president; L. S. Davis, secretary; Frank Kramer, treasurer; Henry St. Arnold, foreman; Joseph Schooling, 1st assistant; R. E. Saltmarshe, 2d assistant; delegates to fire board, W. H. Lonbhead, L. S. Davis and H. L. Kuck. The company is in excellent condition, and the members comprise some of the best fire men in the city.

From Friday's Daily.

Frosty mornings and clear days.

The Dalles literary society will meet this evening at the Congregational church.

Judge Mariner, of Gilliam county, has been in the city for the past two days.

The fire companies of the city have held their annual elections during this week.

We received a pleasant call today from Mr. G. L. Strong, editor of the Mitchell *Monitor*.

These balmy days of spring induce lassitude and inertia, and the newspaper reporter must go a long distance before he can "run down" a real live item.

Word comes from all quarters that the neatest and most satisfactory dye for coloring the beard a brown or black is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

A dancing class for children will be organized at Smith Bros.' school in this city, and lessons will be given from 1 to 3 every Saturday afternoon, beginning tomorrow.

The house committee on public lands have voted to report the bill introduced by Ellis of Oregon to amend the act of 1890 for the forfeiture of certain lands granted for railroads, so as to extend the time within which persons entitled to purchase lands may make such purchases to January 1, 1897.

New telephone poles are being placed in position by the company lately incorporated. The poles put in the ground were too short, and these are being replaced by longer ones.

The snow has gone off in fine shape in Gilliam county, a little at a time, and all soaking into the ground. The hills are again beautifully clad in green, and if spring has not yet arrived, it looks that way.

The bill for the new charter for this city passed the house today. This news was conveyed in a dispatch received this afternoon from Hon. T. H. McGreer, who introduced and secured the passage of the measure.

To add variety to the vote in joint convention at Salem today Hermann's name was withdrawn, and it stood: Dolph, 41; Williams, 11; Hare, 10; Lord, 8; Weatherford 8; Lowell, 10. Thompson and Scott paired.

Unlike most proprietary medicines, the formulæ of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla and other preparations are cheerfully sent to any physician who applies for them. Hence the special favor accorded these well-known standard remedies by the world's fair commissioners.

When suffering from throat or lung troubles, take only such medicine as has been proved worthy of confidence. Such a remedy is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral; a specific for sudden colds, and invaluable in all forms of pulmonary complaints. Sold by druggists. Price $1.

A petition signed by fifty-seven persons, referred to as Republicans, was published a few days ago asking the Marion county delegation to vote against Senator Dolph. After careful canvass of the petition it was found to contain only ten Republicans. Democrats and Populists are circulating these anti-Dolph petitions and signing them also.

Mrs George Patterson, of Antelope, arrived in the city yesterday. She was en route to Aurora on the sorrowful mission of accompanying the remains of her sister, who died last Tuesday, to her last resting place in the family cemetery near that city. She was accompanied by Mrs. Frank Irvine. She left on the morning train for her destination.

Union *Scout*: Many inquiries are made as to what has become of the branch asylum. In answer we will state that the land for the site has been purchased and warrants issued in payment for the same; but owing to some complication the original owners of the land have not yet received their money for the same.

At the annual meeting of Columbia Hose Co No 2, held last evening at the council chambers, elected the following officers: F W Bailey, foreman; 1st assistant, George Gibons; 2d assistant, Hugh Chrisman; president, H J Maier; secretary, C C Cooper; treasurer, E C Pease; delegates to board of delegates, H J Maier, J S Fish and Joe Worsley.

Speaker Moores is receiving encomiums from all parties for the manner in which he is managing affairs in the house. We have known Mr. Moores for nearly a quarter of a century, and a better and more competent man for the position could not have been found in the state. He is a man of unquestionable integrity and ability, and these are prime requisites for the presiding officer of either branch of the legislature.

A justice of the peace hereafter, or as soon as the new law is approved by the governor, shall require the private prosecutor in a criminal action to give security for costs and disbursements before filing or receiving the complaint therein, in the amount authorized in civil actions, and not otherwise. The law is to be enacted owing to the fact that many irresponsible parties are repeatedly instituting actions on frivolous pretexts, resulting in needless expense to taxpayers.

The following letter was this week received by Mr. A. B. Craft, of Ruina, from the governor of Nebraska, and is self-explanatory: "The governor directs me to acknowledge the receipt of yours of the 25th, enclosing bill of lading for two hundred sacks of wheat generously donated by the citizens of Sherman county, Oregon. The grain will be distributed through the agency of the State Relief Commission, and the governor desires to express to you his hearty appreciation of the kindness of the good people of your county. Yours very truly," Benton Maret, Private Secretary."

Editor Johns of Arlington gives Carlisle a terrible castigating in his paper this week, says the Fossil *Journal* because the latter had telegraphed to the Salem *Journal* that they were getting many Republicans in Arlington to sign a petition against Dolph. Carlisle soon met Johns on the street and gave him a terrible thrashing. Then he proceeded to the recorder's office and paid a fine. The article may have been all true as far as regards Carlisle, but granting that it was, it was not a judicious act to publish it unless the editor's muscle was more powerful than his pen.

Fossil *Journal*: A request has come from Arlington asking the editor to circulate a petition asking the Gilliam county delegation to take their support from Dolph. Although the editor does not himself favor Dolph's re-election, he is too busy person to devote his time to a fruitless task. For some time he has known that a good majority of the Republicans of Fossil are in favor of Dolph, some from conviction, and others because they have complete confidence in the judgment of Senator Steiwer, who perhaps has more influence in his own community than any other man in Oregon.

The Salem *Post* very pertinently suggests that, to test the matter and to ascertain who are in favor of economy, some member of the legislature make a motion that every committee clerk, except those on the enrolling and engrossing, judiciary and ways and means committees be discharged. Then let some one make a motion that the wages of the chief clerk and his assistants be reduced to $6 and $5 respectively, and they will show who believes in retrenchment and who does not. Why leave all this work to Mr. Moores? Everybody who wishes the country well, should see to this matter as well as Mr. Moores.

Arlington *Record*: An effort is being made by petitions to lower rates on the O. R. & N. This is in the interest of the railroad commissioners. We would like to know who would be benefited by a reduction in freight now after the bulk of the grain has been shipped. It is generally understood in these parts that the O. R. & N. would have reduced rates last fall, but they made better terms with the commissioners, as it was easier to deal with them than with the people. If the present legislature fails to abolish this commission and several others of like kind and quality, they will fail to do their plain duty and fail to carry out the wishes of the people.

Mr. Smith, of Josephine, wants a branch asylum located either in his county, Douglas or Jackson, and has a bill appropriating $100,000 for that purpose. Not less than $20 or more than 640 acres of land are to be purchased as a site for it and three citizens are to be appointed by the board of asylum commissioners to act as supervisors of the new building, which is intended to accomodate about 400 patients. After its completion and it is given a proportionate share of the patients from the main institution in Salem, it will thereafter receive all patients committed from the counties of Klamath, Lake, Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Coos and Curry.

The committees having in charge the masquerade ball to be given by the Woodman and Workman lodges in this city on February 22d, Washington's birthday, have made all necessary arrangements and feel fully assured of success. The ball will be given in the Baldwin opera house, and The Dalles orchestral union will furnish the music. Four very elegant prizes will be given to the best sustained characters and also for the richest costumes worn. It will undoubtedly be one of the most *recherche* affairs of the season, and the costumes will be better and more varied than were ever seen at a ball in this city.

Nearly Everything.

Salem virtually controls all of the state "jobs" with salaries attached. A correspondent writes: "The governor is a Salem man, as is the superintendent of the asylum. The second physician and the two consulting physicians, the engineer and fully half of the employes of the asylum are Marion county people. The superintendent of the penitentiary, the second warden, the physician and most of the guards are also residents of that county. The superintendent of the reform school, matron, instructor, nightwatchman, physician and some of the employes are from Salem. The superintendents of the mute and blind schools are also Marion county men, and Salem physicians attend their sick. Then they have the clerk of the supreme court, court reporter, the bailiff, librarian, the janitor, assistant janitors, night-watchman, elevator man, assistant treasurer, chief clerk in the secretary's office, engineer at the state house, the speaker of the house and Hofer of the *Journal*.

The Columbia Packing Co.

Among one of the most commendable enterprises in this city is the Columbia Packing Co., which was incorporated in 1890, and has ever since been doing a thriving business. It occupies the brick building on the corner of Third and Washington streets, and is furnished with all necessary apparatus for rendering lard and curing meats. The front room is used for sale purposes and as a butcher shop, and here are displayed meats, hams, bacon and sausages in profusion. In the rear are commodious departments where the work is being done. Here out of hogs are cut hams, shoulders and bacon, and the lard removed to be rendered into saleable shape. The next room consists of stoves, vats and a smoke house. After the pork has been properly prepared it is placed in the smoke house, and there prepared for sale. Aside from hams, shoulders, bacon and sausages, a good quality of dried beef is put up, and quite a lively trade in this has increased the business of the company.

The quality of these cured meats has been pronounced first-class, and there is no superior article to the lard anywhere. Nearly all our local dealers have on sale the hams, shoulders, bacon and lard of the Packing Co., and imported articles in these lines are almost unknown. Aside from The Dalles, supplies of these are sent to nearly every town in the county, and, where there are shipping facilities, to points far distant in other parts of the state. During the past year the factory has used 1500 hogs in its business, and as business extends this number will be increased, so that our farmers will soon have a home market for pigs. It is the intention of the company to add a cold storage room to their building in the near future, and this will be a great impetus to their business. The company buys and sells live stock, and are always supplied with prime beef cattle in their pastures and barns near the city.

The Packing Co. is a factor of development for The Dalles and vicinity, and while cured meats of first quality may be procured at home the money should be kept in circulation here. There is nothing that builds up a town as quickly as supporting home industries.

Beet Sugar Bill.

The leading sections of Senator Denny's beet sugar bill are as follows:

"That the Oregon Beet Sugar company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Oregon, and its assigns are hereby authorized and empowered to make use of the labor of the convicts confined in the penitentiary, for the period of ten years, in the manufacture of sugar and other saccharine products from beets and in the cultivation of beets for the purpose of experiment and use in the manufacture of sugar. The said Oregon Beet Sugar company and its assigns are authorized and empowered to make use of such part of the state penitentiary buildings and lands as may not be already appropriated to other purposes, for use in the manufacture of sugar from beets, and the cultivation of beets for experiment and use in the manufacture of sugar. The said Oregon Beet Sugar company and its assigns shall pay to the state of Ore on for the labor so used by them the sum of thirty cents per day for each convict employed. The governor is also hereby authorized to contract with and lease to any person, firm or corporation, upon such terms and for such time and compensation as he may deem advisable the whole or any part of the labor of the convicts confined in the penitentiary of this state not required or employed by the said Oregon Beet Sugar company. No convict shall be compelled to work while sick or otherwise incapacitated, and the superintendent and warden of the penitentiary shall have general charge and custody of the convicts while engaged in such labor."

Far From Home.

W. W. Statesman.

One of the saddest incidents of an old lady's travels in search of a relative came to the notice of the writer today. It appears that Mrs. Lizzie Miller, an old lady of 81 years, living somewhere in West Virginia, being ill and unable to care for herself, received a letter from the widow of her nephew, Mrs. Mary Miller, who is living at some point between Walla Walla and Spokane, urging the old lady to come out here and live with her. Mrs. Lizzie Miller purchased a ticket to this state and on the train was taken with a paralytic stroke, and for twenty-four days was laid up somewhere on the road, and during her illness lost her neice's letter, and could not remember the place where she lived. She was taken on to Portland and from there to Seattle and Ellensburg, from which place the Knights of Pythias forwarded her to Walla Walla, notifying the chancellor commander of Columbia Lodge K. of P. here, to meet her and assist in the search of her niece. She was met at the train and taken to the Palace hotel, and it is hoped that this may be the means of finding her relative. It would be well for the Spokane papers to copy this and assist. Mrs. Mary Miller is the widow of H. C. Miller, who was a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Rev. John Whisler.

The resignation of Rev. John Whisler, pastor of the Methodist church in this city, is a subject of much regret to the members of the church and of the congregation; but his health is in such a condition that will debar him from preaching for some months. During the time he has occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church he has given universal satisfaction to all, and no pastor has ever been in charge who attracted to himself more lasting friends. The kind and earnest wishes of the community will follow him to his home in Colorade, and hopes will be entertained that he will soon regain his usual health. As a Christian he has been earnest and sincere, as a gentleman courteous and pleasant, and as a neighbor and citizen kindly and patriotic. He will leave tonight on the east-bound train for his home in Colorado accompanied by his wife, who has been constantly by his bedside during his illness.

A Remarkable Family.

Chattanooga Times.

On a pretty little farm high up among the hills of Calhoun county, Ala., 1000 feet above the sea, lives a most remarkable family. Their name is Sadler. The family consists of a brother and four sisters, and the youngest has already turned her 91st year. The oldest is several years more than a century old. None of them has ever married. The Sadlers were born in the old Dominion state. In 1831 the family moved to Alabama, and Calhoun county, about 15 miles east of Anniston. Two years later they became possessed of the property on which they now live, and there erected a log house, which domicile they have since inhabited constantly. Years ago the father and mother died, the former at the age of 81, the latter at the age of 75.

The Tittell Sisters.

For the past two evenings the Baldwin opera house has been occupied by the Tittell Sisters in dramatic performances. The first night was produced "Drifted Apart," and the parts were well assigned. Each member of the company portrays the character with an earnestness which is very realistic, and which received rounds of applause from the audience. "Frou Frou" was the play last evening, and the pathos as well as the comedy of the drama were fully carried out. The opera house was crowded both nights, and the people appeared well pleased with the manner in which the dramas were placed on the boards.

Monthly Bills.

The following bills were allowed at the meeting of the city council Monday night:

Douglas Dufur, recorder	$ 75 00
Jas H Blakeney, marshal	75 00
Geo Brown, eng fire dept	75 00
A H Butts, street comm'r	67 50
I I Burgett, treasurer	20 00
John Blaser, fire warden	10 00
N C Stephenson, labor	2 00
W F Barber, do	4 00
J Hagar, do	3 00
J Like, do	3 00
Wm Brown, do	5 00
N Blaser, do	2 00
A Kaufman, do	1 00
W Norman, do	1 00
Maier & Benton, mdse	85
Teague Bros, hauling	1 75
Mays & Crowe, mdse	1 10
C J Crandall, estimates	5 00
J W Blakely, hauling	50
E J Collins & Co, mdse	1 65
Z F Moody, coal	12 76
Wm McCrum, snow shovel	1 00
G o T Thompson, blacksmithing	5 50
Dalles El Lt Tel & P Co office lg ts	5 40
Dalles El Lt Tel & P Co, street lights	240 00
Dalles El Lt Tel & P Co, lights fire dept	6 40
Max Bartell, labor	3 00
Teague Bros, team hire	39 00
T A Hudson, insurance	60 00
I I Burgett, 1 ledger	5 00
Irwin, Hudson & Co, cash book	12 00
Dalles Water Works water rent	32 00
Or Telephone Co, rent 'phone	2 00
S Monahan, mdse	3 50
E J Collins & Co, mdse	3 00
N A Boyer, night watch	18 00
T Nicholas, board prisoners	9 72
C L Richmond, team hire	4 20
Ward, Kerns & Robertson, hay	9 50
A L Newman, bread	35
F G Connelly, night watchman	60 00

Bold Raid on a Bank.

Today's *Oregonian* says: Rev. James C. Reed, ex-Baptist preacher, yesterday bound and gagged Edwin T. Holgate, teller of the First National bank of East Portland, and then set to work looting the establishment of what money he could lay his hands on. The timely arrival of Mr. DeWitt C Southworth, book-keeper and teller of the Citizens' bank, on the opposite side of the street, and the prompt action on his part and others, alone prevented the clerical robber from making a successful haul, and escaping with a considerable amount of money. Reed was arrested and is now in custody at the central police station.

The robbery was well planned, and was attempted during the noon hour when only one person was in the bank. His name was Holgate, and he was gagged and his hands bound behind him. Mr. Southworth, teller of the bank across the street, saw that something was wrong, procured a shot gun and went to the rescue of Holgate. He approached the door which was barred, and alarmed the robber so that he was foiled in his attempt. A policeman came along, and placed the reverend gentleman under arrest. He had procured $400 from one of the drawers and placed this in a sack, when he was disturbed by the approach of Southworth.

Order of the Eastern Star

Columbia Chapter, No 33, Order of the Eastern Star, was instituted last evening at the Masonic hall in this city by J. H. Bridgeford, worthy grand patron of Bay City, assisted by Mrs. Margaret E Kellogg, assistant grand matron of Portland, Mrs. Emily McLean, Past W M of Portland, and Mrs. Jennie G Muckle, W M of Mispeh Chapter at St. Helens.

The officers of Columbia Chapter No 33 are Mrs Mary S Myers, W M; Henry A Baker, W P; Mrs E a H Garrison, A M; Mrs Evanor Crossen, Sec; Mrs Esther N Harris, Treas; Miss Nellie M Burke, Cond; Mrs Cora D Miller, A Cond; Mrs Martha E Biggs, Chaplain; Miss Ena Ehart, A Mrs Alice Crossen, R; Mrs Evelyn Helman, E; Miss Nellie McNeil, M; Mrs B J Russell, E; Mrs Almira Burgett, Warden; Miss Selina Pairman, Org; Henry Clough, Sentinel.

After the instituting ceremonies appropriate remarks were made by the W. G. P. and other instituting officers, and the proceedings closed with an elegant banquet by the ladies of the new chapter, that was fully appreciated by all present. The town clock struck one as the guests departed from the hall. The chapter starts under the most favorably auspices with a membership of 31. Their regular meetings will occur on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month.

A Railroader's Prayer.

An exchange perpetrates the following as the prayer offered by a converted railroad man while kneeling at the "mourner's bench:" "Oh Lord, now that I have flagged Thee, lift my feet on the rough road to life and plant them safely on the deck of the train of salvation. Let me use the safety lamp known as prudence, make all the couplings in the train with the strong link of Thy love and let my hand lamp be the Bible. And Heavenly Father keep all the switches closed that lead off on the sidings, especially those with a blind end. Oh, Lord, if it be Thy pleasure, have every semaphore block along the line show white lines of hope, that I may make the run without stopping. And Lord, give us the ten commandments as a schedule and when I have finished the run and have, on schedule time, pulled into the great, dark station of death, may Thou, the superintendent of the universe, say with a smile, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant, come up and sign the pay roll and receive your check for eternal happiness.'"

Three Jolly Tramps.

W. W. Statesman

W. H. Duncan, H. E. Worth and Arthur Etwards, who left Portland Friday February 1st on a wager of $1000 each to walk to Chicago within six months, arrived in this city yesterday having walked from Salem since 9 o'clock. A part of the wager is that they started without money or baggage and should earn their way by their own energies or their wits. They are succeeding well and are confident that they will get through to Chicago on time. They will go via California, and expect to make a detour going to San Francisco. They are bright fellows and not likely to be mistaken for tramps, or to go broke. They are good singers and will doubtless have a jolly time on their long tramp. The gentlemen are correspondents for the Portland *Sun* and will keep that journal posted as to their whereabouts and experiences.

Letters Advertised

The following is the list of letters remaining in The Dalles postoffice uncalled for Saturday, Feb. 9, 1895. Persons calling for these letters will please give the date on which they were advertised:

Anderson, W H B	Biden, Oliver
Carlson, C A	Connors, Pet
Cooper, H C	Frank, Willie
Hales, T O	Herman, Mr
Howe, Mrs N	Hogan, Jno D 2
Jackson & Chuck	Jones, Mary
Kerr, Joseph	Lanrey, C F
Morrow, Dr J W	McElroy, L R
McLennan, Malcomb	Palmer, Ben
Smith, Hon J A	Smith, L
Vaughn, Frank	Welch, Roop
	Wild, John W

J. A. CROSSEN, P. M.

Circuit Court Jurors.

The following are the names of jurors drawn for the next term of circuit court to be held in this city next Monday:

W D Jones, Antelope, farmer; Chas Fraley, Kingsley, farmer; G W Marquam, Dufur, farmer; J W Wallace, Hood River, farmer; W Taylor, Dufur, farmer; James Darnielle, Boyd, farmer; W H Williams, Enderby, farmer; E W Trout, Boyd, farmer; M Randall, The Dalles, capitalist; G W Alexander, Wapinitia, farmer; Jacob Roberts, Dufur, farmer; Henry Klindt, The Dalles, farmer; J P Abbott, Wapinitia, farmer; J A Noble, Wapinitia, farmer; L B Kelly, Wapinitia, farmer; F S Gordon, Wamic, merchant; Ezra Henson, Kingsley, farmer; H F Dietzel, The Dalles, capitalist; Peter Henrich, Hood River, farmer; Amos Root, Mosier, farmer; M C Sellick, Boyd, farmer; W J Davidson, Enderby, farmer; A Canfield, Boyd, farmer; Wm Kelsay, Antelope, stockman; Simpson Couple, Hood River, farmer; E A Griffin, Boyd, farmer; H E Moore, Nansene, farmer; Jacob Obrist, The Dalles, farmer; J S Taylor, The Dalles, farmer; J W Norval, Tygh, farmer; J M Marden, The Dalles, capitalist.

Fish Interests.

The joint fish committees of the Oregon and Washington legislatures have had a conference and have substantially agreed upon a uniform fish bill to be passed by both bodies, so that close seasons and regulations may be the same in both states. This bill makes a close season from March 1st to May 1st, and from August 1st to October 1st, licenses fishermen and canneries to provide a revenue for enforcing the law and supporting hatcheries, prevents fishing within a mile of a hatchery rack, withdraws from fishing by any means certain breeding streams and provides for the operation of hatcheries. Such a law as this, properly enforced as it will be, if we have as good a commissioner as the one who has occupied that position for the past two years, should soon restore the salmon industry on the Columbia.

Frank Fletcher's Ingenuity.

Several days ago, before the famous Frank Fletcher was taken to Salem to serve a term of three years, he was discovered in the attempt of planning an escape from the Umatilla bastile, whereupon the officials immediately frustrated his scheme, says the Pendleton *Tribune*. A portion of a buck saw had passed into possession, doubtless through the agency of friends or sympathizers, and to this implement he attached a piece of broom handle, thus improvising a handy saw. With a file, fine teeth were made on the smooth edge, and with this tool the prisoner planned his escape. His blankets were torn and twisted into a rope, although the precaution was unnecessary, as the saw he had manufactured would be scarcely available for cutting wood, to say nothing of the steel bars that divorced him from liberty.

Saved His Life—by a fortunate discovery in the nick of time. Hundreds of persons suffering from consumption have had the progress of the disease stopped, and have been brought back to life and health by the "Golden Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce.

Years ago Dr. R. V. Pierce, now chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute of Buffalo, N. Y., recognizing the fact that consumption was essentially a germ disease, and that a remedy which would drive the germs and their poisons from the blood would cure consumption, at last found a medicine which *cured 98 per cent.* of all cases, if taken in the earlier stages of the disease.

The tissues of the lungs being irritated by the germs and poisons in the blood circulating through them, the germs find lodgment there, and the lungs begin to break down. Soon the general health begins to fail, and the person feels languid, weak, faint, drowsy and confused.

This is the time to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery; it drives the germs and poisons from the blood, and has a soothing effect upon the dry cough. In cases of bronchitis the "Discovery" is invaluable.

"Golden Medical Discovery" increases the amount and quality of the blood, thus invigorating and fortifying the system against disease and builds up wholesome flesh and strength after wasting diseases, as fevers pneumonia, grip and other debilitating affections.

J. M. HITE, Esq.

JNO. M. HITE, of *Audubon, Audubon Co., Ia.*, says: "I took a severe cold which settled on my lungs and chest, and I suffered intensely with it. I tried several of our best physicians here and they gave up all hopes of my recovery, and thought I would have to die. I would cough and spit blood for hours, and I was pale and weak. I was greatly discouraged when I began the use of the 'Discovery,' but I soon got better. It has been five years since I took it and have had no return of that trouble since."

Jackson Engine Co. No. 1.

At the annual meeting last evening of Jackson Engine Co. No. 1, the following officers were elected and installed: President, A. Sandrock; secretary, James Fisher, jr.; treasurer, Harry Clough; foreman, R. Sinnott; 1st assistant, Ike Perry, 2nd assistant, Joe Studenicker.

Committee on finance—Judge G. A. Liebe, Capt. A. Ad. Keller, Geo. Williams.

Standing committee—A. C. Wyndham, Geo. Liebe, Jno. Crate.

Delegates to fire board—F. W. L. Skibbe, Harry Clough, Chas. Frank.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs Carrie Pucket desires to publicly express her thankfulness to many friends who extended to her and her children many acts of kindness during the illness of her husband, lately deceased.

Saved Her Life.

Mrs. C. J. WOOLDRIDGE, of Wortham, Texas, saved the life of her child by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

"One of my children had Croup. The case was attended by our physician, and was supposed to be well under control. One night I was startled by the child's hard breathing, and on going to it found it strangling. It had nearly ceased to breathe. Realizing that the child's alarming condition had become possible in spite of the medicines given, I reasoned that such remedies would be of no avail. Having part of a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, I gave the child three doses, at short intervals, and anxiously waited results. From the moment the Pectoral was given, the child's breathing grew easier, and, in a short time, she was sleeping quietly and breathing naturally. The child is alive and well to-day, and I do not hesitate to say that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved her life."

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Prompt to act, sure to cure

EVERY HOUSEKEEPER SHOULD USE Cottolene

The new vegetable shortening. It meets the most exacting requirements, and is beside entirely free from the objectionable characteristics of lard, long known and long suffered. Now deliverance has come. With Cottolene, good cooking, good food and good health are all assured. But you must be sure you get COTTOLENE

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Beware of imitations made to sell on the merits and popularity of COTTOLENE. Refuse them all, and your grocer will then understand that you know exactly what you want. This will bring you satisfaction and save you disappointment.

Sold in 3 and 5 pound pails.

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Success Succeeds.

"Nothing succeeds like success" is an old saying; but its truth has never been doubted. When one reaches the goal of his ambition, whether that consists of the accumulation of wealth or storing the mind with useful knowledge, he may look back upon his checkered career as though he had climbed to a dizzy height and viewed the difficult steps by which he had attained his eminence. Shakespeare said "There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to fortune," and many may be termed the architects of their own fair fame, or be able, by their own inherent energy and thrift, to impel this flood tide. To such greater merit should be given than those who ride on the crest of some wave of circumstances to fortune and to fame. In this free republic we have many instances of men rising to pre-eminence, who, by determined effort, have carved out their own nich in the great tablet devoted "to the few, the immortal few who were not born to die." In this line examples may be found at home, without resorting to biographies of self-made persons in other portions of the nation, and these might furnish illustrations of successful men of today.

Business has its heroes, as well as other vocations, and these are entitled to the plaudits of their fellows. Fourteen years ago, in The Dalles, Mr. Nathan Harris started a mercantile firm of humble pretensions; but time has coursed down the channel of a decade or more, and today he is found in the brick store, corner of Second and Court, with a stock of goods that might challenge comparison for completeness and variety. Of an affable and unassuming demeanor he has attracted customers until his business has fully doubled in the last few years. Lately he has enlarged his salesrooms, and now occupies his former store and the one adjoining, the partition having been removed. On the counters and shelves may be seen the latest styles of gents' furnishings, ladies' and children's dress goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes. In fact anything that may be desired in a mercantile establishment can be found here. The appointments around the store are very elegant, and for the entertainment and comfort of patrons. Constantly adding to his large stock, he invites all to come and inspect his goods. "Nothing succeeds like success" is a good motto for him.

Meeting of Real Estate Dealers

The following real estate dealers held a meeting last night in the office of Mr. T. A. Hudson for the purposes of organization into a permanent society: T. A. Hudson, C. E. Bayard, Geo. W. Rowland, J. M Huntington, representing J. M. Huntington & Co., and Fred D. Hill, representing Dufur & Hill.

Mr. C. E. Bayard was elected chairman pro tem and Mr. Fred. D. Hill secretary pro tem.

The name of the association was on motion adopted as "The Real Estate Exchange of The Dalles, Oregon."

A committee, consisting of J. M. Huntington and M. Whealdon, was appointed to devise means for having a pamphlet printed setting forth the resources of this portion of country in general and The Dalles in particular.

The secretary was instructed to communicate with real estate associations of different cities and secure copies of their constitution and by laws.

The meeting adjourned, there appearing no further business, subject to the call of the chairman.

Land Transfers.

Feb 4—Michael P Neff to Maggie A Neff; block 5 Winan's addition to Hood River, also piece of land adjoining; $22.

Feb 4—Chas W Dietzel and Mamie B Dietzel to Felix C Deitzel; lot 18, sec 18, lots 5 and 6 sec 9, tp 1 n, r 13 east; $350.

Feb. 8.—J. D. Lee to D. M. and J. W. French; portion of John A. Sim's donation land claim, t 1 n, r 13 east; $2000.

Feb. 8.—Cecelia Meaplie to John Meaplie; portion of ne¼ sec. 22, town 1, north of range 12 east; $20.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

BORN.

MORGAN—Near this city, Feb. 5th, to the wife of Perry Morgan, a daughter.

DIED.

PUCKETT—Near this city, Feb. 4th, Mr. M. J. Puckett, aged about 40 years.

Boys and Girls Aid Society.

Boys may be had (and sometimes girls)—(1) or ordinary service at wages; (2) upon indenture, to work, attend school, and be brought up somewhat as your own; and—(3) children may be had for legal adoption. Address, J. H. Misener, Superintendent Oregon Boys' and Girls' Aid society, Portland, Oregon.

Taken Up.

Came to the Sharp place on three mile, about October 1, 1894. One red and white Maley cow, no brands perceivable, underslope in right ear, out of left ear, the owner may have the same by paying all charges. FRANK P. TAYLOR.

NEW TODAY

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a Stockholders' meeting of The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Company at the Chronicle hall on Saturday, April 6, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing seven directors, and transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

By order of the president.

G. J. FARLEY, Secretary.

The Dalles, Ore., Feb. 6, 1895.

Executrix's Notice.

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