

ITEMS IN BRIEF

Last week A. J. Brigham organized silver clubs at Kingsley and Waffle, and last night organized at Eight-Mile.

The ladies of the Congregational church were clear about \$135 on the social given in the Vogt last evening.

This morning C. A. Buckley, of Grass Valley, brought in 400 head of fine mutton which he will ship to Portland.

Indications are favorable that the rate war between the Canadian Pacific and the American roads is on for good, and will not cease soon.

The most striking feature of the concert last night, outside of some of the solos was the Whip-poor-will song with the whistling accompaniment.

Union printers have won a victory in Washington, and hereafter the state printing office at Olympia will employ only printers belonging to the union.

Twenty-one immigrants arrived in Medford last Sunday from Marion, Alabama. They expect to engage in farming and fruit growing in Jackson county.

La Grande gets the next annual tournament of the Eastern Oregon and Washington Firemen's Association. It will be held on June 14, 15 and 16.

The assignee of the R. N. Thompson estate sold in Brownville, last Wednesday, the notes and accounts of the estate, amounting to \$3000, to J. D. Irvine for \$71.

A. J. Brigham was out in the Tygh Ridge country last week, and reports farmers in that section busily engaged plowing and making preparations for seeding a large acreage.

All the big torpedo boats on the Atlantic coast are being put in readiness for action, which is an indication that the administration does not propose to be caught napping.

Thomas Farmer will leave tomorrow for his old home in New York. Mr. Farmer has been here about a year visiting his son, Ernest, and his daughter, Miss Lizzie Farmer.

Prof. B. C. Miller, formerly principal of the Princeton public schools, was in the city yesterday. He was en route to Baker County where he is interested in some mining property.

About 10 o'clock this forenoon, Prof. Dillon's hypnotist subject was put to sleep at the Columbia hotel, and there was carried to Harris' store and placed in the window where he has been sleeping soundly all day.

For the first time in several months the county jail is tenanted. Wasco county now has not a prisoner, and in consequence Jailer Fitzgerald has no cares upon his mind but to look after the court house and officers.

It is now almost certain that in the Dalles during the Woolgrowers' Convention, but fortunately nature will assist in illuminating the city, as there will be full moon during next week.

Football may be played, in fact it is so considered by those who participate, but the average spectator who witnessed the game at the fair grounds yesterday is ready to exclaim that it is work. Hoelg corn or clover is more work than football.

The people of Wasco who intended coming to the Dalles to attend the old Dalles school last night, regret, they having been prevented at the last moment from making arrangements to come. They of course were the losers, for they would have been well entertained had they come.

A very large crowd is expected here to attend the Woolgrowers' Convention to be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Mr. Johnson, industrial agent of the O. R. & N., writes that fully 500 people from abroad may be expected, and certainly 200 or 300 local woolgrowers will be here.

Last night the steamer Regulator made a run to the Salmon carrying a merry crowd of dancers, who attended the ball given for the benefit of the White Salmon Warf Co. The ball was a grand success, everybody had a grand time, and the D. P. & N. Co. crowded itself with glory by giving a free excursion.

After four days of consideration, the house on Saturday passed the bankruptcy bill, reported by the committee on judiciary as a substitute for the Nelson bill, passed by the senate at the extra session last summer. The bill is known as the Henderson bill, and contains both the voluntary and involuntary features of bankruptcy.

A late dispatch states that Consul-General Lee has advised all Americans to remove their families from Havana, which indicates that he is fearful of trouble. Whether it is anticipated disturbances will arise through an ill feeling of Spain toward the United States, or whether it is an expected result from the Cubans is not stated.

Railroad fares from points in the east to the coast have been reduced one-half. First class fare which has been \$50 is now \$25; second class, heretofore \$40, is now \$20. Rates from coast points to Chicago have been reduced to \$31.50 for first-class and \$20.50 for second class. A recent action of the Canadian Pacific railroad led to the revolution in railroad fares on American roads.

The attention of the committee on streets and public property is called to the condition of the vacant property on Third street, between Madison and LaGrande. During the summer and fall, the vacant property has been a feeding place for their teams, and in consequence it is covered with several inches of refuse, which at present is emitting a most offensive odor. If allowed to remain in this condition it cannot but breed disease. It should be cleaned away at once.

From Thursday's Daily. James Kelly, of Waffle, was in the city last night.

Roads are drying up in fine shape, and are at last passable.

Dr. J. M. Chalmers, of Portland, is in the city. The doctor contemplates locating in the Dalles.

Roseburg is soon to have a daily paper. The Review has determined to begin issuing a daily on March 15.

The J. G. Miller printing plant was sold today at sheriff's sale for \$200. It was bought by J. G. Maddock, its judgment creditor.

The foundation for the addition to the Wasco warehouse is being laid as fast as men can accomplish the work.

and are long will be in readiness to receive the walls.

R. R. Hinton, of Bakewell, is in the city. Mr. Hinton reports the stock interests in the southern part of the county in a flourishing condition.

The prohibitionists of Linn county have placed in nomination a full county ticket, and will conduct a vigorous campaign from now until the first Monday in June.

A Dalles Klondike-Butts, the insurance broker and real estate man, wrote two new fire policies yesterday and sold a piece of real estate; talk about the Dalles being dead.

No woolgrower in this section can afford to not attend the convention to be held here next week. Every phrase of the wool industry will be discussed by men who have made the question a life study.

Farmers generally report fall and winter grain in good condition. The weather has been very favorable for winter grain, and indications are that it will yield a good crop with anything like a favorable season.

This morning Messrs. Bradshaw, Pilloon, Houghton, Tolmie, Ballard and Dufur left for Portland. They comprise the bowling team of the Commercial Club and will play a game with the Oregon Road Club team in Portland tonight.

When it comes to patriotism and a willingness to defend the nation's honor, the Dalles will not be found wanting. Already James Ferguson, the veteran expressman, is ready to get up a company of volunteers to fight the Spaniards should occasion require.

Progression is the order of the age; to be progressive, place your insurance with Butts, the insurance broker. He has access to five of the best companies in the world and is connected with the only live and progressive agency in the Dalles. Old Dad is a hustler and will treat you right.

The loose real estate scattered promiscuously on the streets will not be an inviting sight to the thousand visitors who will be in the Dalles next week. Could not the council issue an order to have all the streets and walks cleaned before the setting of the woolgrowers' convention?

The daily sessions of the Farmers' Institute now being held in LaGrande are being well attended and are attracting people from several surrounding counties. All questions pertaining to farming are being thoroughly discussed, and farmers are deriving much benefit from the meeting.

In the competitive contest for the best essays from students of public schools in Portland recently, Miss Violet Kent, of the Dalles high school, received honorable mention for the excellence of her essay. Miss Kent is one of the best in the schools here.

W. Weinschench has lately taken charge of the Moody bowling alley, and will in the future conduct it as a first class resort. No small boys will be permitted in the room, and each Monday evening will be set apart as ladies' night. A suitable prize will be given each day for the highest score.

Only a few days remain in which to prepare for the Woolgrowers' Convention. Let those few days be well spent in preparing. The Dalles is preparing a creditable appearance to its visitors. Let the streets, alleys and yards be put in repair so as to make every visitor fall in love with the city.

It is now quite certain that electric street lights are out of the question during the woolgrowers' convention next week, but there must be light of some sort, and about all that is left to be done is to get out the old coal oil lamps and have them serviced. Let the old lamps be got out and polished.

It would seem that the Dalles is pretty well supplied with secret societies, but in all probability another will soon be added to the already large list. A move is on foot to establish a Rebekah Degree lodge, and since this is one of the noblest and best ladies' orders in existence, it will likely become quite popular in the Dalles.

The Morrow county silver club met in Hesper Saturday afternoon to permanently organize and get things in shape for the campaign. Fifteen new names were added to the list making a total of 40 members now enrolled. Thos. Morgan was elected president, Wm. Crabtree, vice-president; S. J. Lezer, secretary, and H. Clay Myers, treasurer.

Yesterday Wasco county jail was empty, but today it has two tenants, who arrived last night from Cascade Locks to serve 30 days. They are James Mack Blake, the former having been convicted of petit larceny and the latter for being an accessory. It is rather an unusual procedure to convict a man for larceny by accessory or for having been an "accessory to larceny," but the judgment of the Cascade court will likely meet the ends of justice.

There was a meeting of the fusionist forces in Eugene last Saturday, and while the convention was in session Ira L. Cambell, editor of the Eugene Guard, became a father, which fact was thus announced by the Eugene Register: "Another Fusionist: Born in this city, Saturday morning, February 19, 1937, to the wife of Ira L. Cambell, a nine-pound boy. All doing nicely. The fusion convention only adjourned for a few hours to permit the newly made father to recover his self-composure."

The strike inaugurated at the Tacoma lumber mills several days ago, the workmen demanding an increase of 25 cents per day, still continues, both sides remain firm. Yesterday Hanson requested a detail of four policemen to be paid by the mill company to guard their property, though the strikers have shown no indications of violence. Many men coming from outside points have been prevailed upon by strikers to go back. It is expected a compromise will be reached in a few days.

They are grateful. (From Friday's Daily.) H. T. Hendryx, of Pendleton, is in the city.

Geo. N. Maddock, of Goldendale, is in the city.

J. H. Johnson, of Dufur, was in the Dalles last night.

H. F. Woodcock, of Waffle, is visiting in the city today.

Judge Bennett returned last night from a visit to Astoria.

What is slightly on the decline, 72 cents being the top price offered today.

Don't fail to see Dillon at the Vogt Opera House tonight. He is up to date.

A large number of Antelope wool-

growers will attend the convention here next week.

J. R. Warner, of Bingen, Wash., was in the city last night, returning home on the boat this morning.

Today W. A. Johnson shipped a large consignment of empty coal oil cans to Portland. They are sent to the mack factory at that place.

Assessor Whipple is preparing to begin the work of listing the property of the county, and will start on his annual tour of assessing in about 10 days.

The manager of the Moody bowling alleys announced that he will give an elegant gold pen to the lady making the highest individual score on his alleys during the month of March.

A postal card vote has been taken by the populists of Harney county on the question of union with the democrats and silver republicans, and has resulted in two to one in favor of union.

The Astoria & Columbia River railroad officials expect to have their road completed and in readiness to carry the delegates to the republican state convention from Portland to Astoria next April.

Hood River will have a Fruitgrowers' Convention on the 25th of March, this Friday and Saturday of next week. The meeting will be addressed by prominent fruit growers from all sections of the county.

School District Clerk Morgan has begun making the enumeration of persons of school age in the district, and expects to complete the work completed before the annual school meeting which is to be held on March 7th.

Owners of orchards throughout the county are generally setting upon the advice of Commissioner Schenano and are spraying their trees. By this method they hope to keep down pests and improve the quality of their fruit.

The fact that seven homestead applications were filed at the land office today is quite good evidence that all the good land in this section has not yet been taken. Besides the seven applications there were five final proofs taken.

Governor Lord has signified his intention of holding the Woolgrowers' Convention in the Dalles next week. It is to be held at the state officials will also be present, for the Dalles would be pleased to make them its special guests on that occasion.

Messrs. Benton Diebold and Gotfried have returned from Copper, where they attended the ball given by the Elk's on the evening of the 22nd. They report the ball a grand success, and mention one of the most beautiful little cities they have ever visited.

R. C. Johnson, industrial agent for the O. R. & N. Co., is in the city, having just returned from attending the convention of the woolgrowers' convention.

A committee of whitecaps was reorganized at the town of Mackburg, Clackamas county, recently and Ed McKinney was delegated to order Walter Wyland, a supposed had man, to leave the place within 48 hours. McKinney took a shotgun with him when he went to deliver the message, and as a result is now defendant in the criminal courts on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

The other day John Casey shed a rock through the glass front of D. L. Cate's drug store at Cascade Locks, and got into the cell of the law. Justice Aldrich sentenced him to 40 days in the county jail, and he was brought up by Constable John Trana last evening and turned over to the tender mercies of Sheriff Driver. This makes three inmates of the county jail, all from Cascade Locks.

One of the most creditable publications that has come to our table this year is the women's edition of the Yakima Herald, issued on February 17th. The edition was edited exclusively by the ladies, and is replete with valuable information and historical reminiscences. It contains 28 pages of well written articles, exclusive of the artistically designed covers, and reflects much credit upon the ladies of North Yakima.

Today's issue of the Oregon Globe comes forth with the name of a new publisher at the head of its editorial column. S. A. Pattison, formerly publisher of the Ernest, Idaho, Index, has taken control of the paper. S. P. Shott having sold the business to him. Mr. Shott retires from news paper work on account of ill health, and quits the business with the best wishes of the newspaper fraternity of the state. May his retirement from scribbling be of short duration.

The special edition of the Baker City Democrat, on which Messrs. Archibald & Snyder are engaged is receiving hearty support from the people of Baker, Grant and Harney counties, and promises to be the biggest thing of the kind yet issued in Oregon. The readers of those counties know a good thing when they see it, and are giving the publication hearty support. They will reap their reward in future increased business and development of the county.

Indigestive poisons are the bane of the dyspeptic life. When sick, see if your sickness is caused by indigestive poisons. If so, take Shaker Digestive Cordial. This is the only certain way of being permanently cured, because it is the only way that gets rid of the poisons. You know that fermented food is poisonous. You know that the stomach is the seat of indigestive poisons. It causes indigestion and the diseases that come of it. Headache, dizziness, nausea, stomachache, weakness, flatulence, constipation, loss of appetite, irritability, etc. These are a few of the symptoms, caused by indigestive poisons, cured by Shaker Digestive Cordial.

At druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

They are grateful.

The ladies of the Congregational church intend to express their gratitude to all, including the Times-Mountaineer, who kindly assisted in making the Old Folks' Concert a success; being unable to see all personally they take this means to express their thanks.

MRS. GROUT, Mrs. PATTERSON, Mrs. HUNTINGTON, Committee.

Notes From Warm Springs.

Ten days of warm, springlike weather has cleared away the snow and set quite a number of Indians to plowing and sowing.

At the call of Agent Cowen, a number of Indians met in council at the agency a week ago. The object of the agent was to induce the Indians to accept the government patents for their allotments; but they declined until

SPLENDID FOOTBALL

The Game Between Portland and The Dalles was All That Could Be Expected.

It was advertised that the football game Tuesday between Portland and The Dalles should be the best ever witnessed in Eastern Oregon, and the promise was fulfilled in every respect. Both teams were in the pink of condition, and when the men were lined up by the respective captains, it was the general expression in the no finer lot of athletes could be got together in the state.

The visitors had the kick off and when the pickin was started bounding away toward their goal it looked as if Portland had the better of the game, but by some good football The Dalles team soon had it started up the field, and it was impossible for the Portlanders to check its progress. Though for 25 minutes they resisted the local players with all their might and main, Billy Fields made some star plays that won the local team the advantage, as did also Bartell and Sarters, and just before 30 minutes had elapsed, Grant Mays got possession of the ball, and by almost superhuman effort made a touch down, that scored four points for The Dalles. This was the first half The Dalles team consumed, and to conclude the first half Bartell kicked a goal, crediting two more points for the home players.

At the beginning of the second half the Dalles team was well up on the field, but Fields was there to stop it, and little advantage was gained by the Portlanders. From this on there was some fine playing. Clune and Manilton did some very clever work, and the rushes the Portlanders made were simply "mashed" by the Dalles by foot the sphere was forced toward the goal. Finally Clune was able to force it over the line and made a touch-down for Portland. Excitement now ran high and the "rooters" for The Dalles tried hard to "mash" the ball when he backed away to kick a goal, but their efforts were without avail, for when he struck the ball it went flying in the air, over the goal and far into the field beyond. This is the time with six to six, and five minutes more of the game had to be consumed.

During the last five minutes there was some rapid playing, The Dalles having slightly the best of it, for when time was called they were making a mad rush toward their goal, toough Portland was leading them in the check.

It was a good game by everybody to be the Dalles, and a grand success in Eastern Oregon. The teams were evenly matched, and should they ever meet again a very close contest may be expected.

A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

The Old Folk's Social was a Happy Event.

Vogt opera house was crowded to the very doors Tuesday with an appreciative audience that was very happily entertained by the "old folks" who are the people of today representing their ancestors of 100 years ago. About 75 persons appeared on the stage dressed in colonial costumes, and presented the appearance of just having come out of the banbox that held the aristocracy of Washington's time, and they sang songs that carried the oldest inhabitant back to the days of his childhood. All the musical renditions were perfect, and had any old citizen of colonial days been able to awake from his grave and been transported into the Vogt Opera house he would have been convinced that the world had not changed one whit. He would have been surrounded with the associates of his time, and the customs familiar to his age.

The program heretofore published and carried out in Will and Edna's ladies' welfare work in for good measure that were highly appreciated by all. The social was a perfect success in every respect, and was indeed a credit to the ladies of the Congregational church under whose auspices it was given.

D. of B. Washington Societies.

Wednesday the Degree of Honor gave a Washington social that was well attended and highly appreciated. The program was exceptionally good, and each number was highly executed. The program was as follows:

Piano Overture.....Mrs. Varney

Remarks on George Washington.....J. H. Cradlebaugh

Vocal Trio.....

Will Frank, Bert Barrett and Fred Solo.

Recitation.....Master Neil McNamara

Vocal Solo.....Prof. Lundell

Tableau.....George and Martha Washington.

Mrs. Varney, Mr. Gifford and Mrs. Waud

Selection.....J. A. Donthill

Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Varney

Mr. Cradlebaugh's remarks were in his usual happy strain, and set the entire audience in a pleasant mood to enjoy the remaining numbers, all of which were exceptionally well rendered, especially the trio, which was heartily enjoyed, and the recitation of little Neil McNamara, who was called back and recited "One Little Hatchet" in a manner that fairly brought down the house, both loud and long applause.

Have Appropriated a Street.

To all intents and purposes the O. R. & N. Co. have appropriated the greater portion of First street for trucking and auto traffic, and there is much of it left for ordinary traffic. This has caused more or less comment, and the question has lately been asked, what right or franchise have the company on that street. Some of the ordinance granting them the privilege of the street allowed them to use it for trucking, and for this concession there were to keep the street planked from Union street to the depot. But it seems the ordinance together with other city documents that date back from 20 to 40 years have disappeared from the archives, and as no one seems to know just what rights the company or the city have on First street. It might be well for the city council to look the matter up, and if the old ordinance granting the franchise is not to be had, it would be well to protect the rights of all ones that would protect the rights of all ones.

For Sale or Trade.

Having two thoroughbred jersey bulls, will sell one, or trade for Jersey cow. Enquire of B. T. Cullis, Jersey Dairy, north side of fair grounds.

they could meet in more general council, and have matters more fully explained, and that they might hear more directly from Washington.

The government school is presenting the work of training the youth and general good health prevails among the children.

Miss Francis B. Morrow, of the Simnasho Mission, went last week to Portland to attend school. The religious interest at the mission is good.

Mrs. J. A. Speer, of the agency, left today for Albany, where Lyle B. Speer, a student of Albany College, is lying sick of typhoid fever.

DELEGATES APPOINTED.

Governor Lord Names Representatives to the Woolgrowers' Convention.

The following delegates to the Pacific Northwest Woolgrowers' Convention have been named by the governor:

Prineville—W. H. Fuller, Zach Taylor, D. F. Stewart, B. F. Allen, J. N. Williamson, J. Siegel, T. M. Baldwin, George Lavine.

Antelope—C. C. O'Neil, T. H. McGree, A. M. Kelsey.

Hay Creek—E. B. Summerville, T. S. Hamilton, N. S. Cowles, A. Dunham, E. T. Ward.

Sisters—E. H. Sparks, Mitchell—A. J. Shram.

Waldron—R. R. Keys, Sherar's Bridge—J. H. Sherar.

Grass Valley—C. A. Buckley.

Wasco—George Young.

Cross Keys—Yates Brothers, C. M. McPherson, A. R. Lyle.

Express—Eugene Looney.

The Dalles—Charles Hillyer.

Portland—Henry Hahn, Dr. James Withycombe, Arthur Breyman, (Chas. Cartwright, Hon. Benton Killin, B. F. Allen, Fred E. H. Butler.

Oregon City—Captain J. P. Apperson.

Gresham—Captain Charles Cleveland.

Milwaukie—Richard Scott.

Barlow—William Barlow.

Dell—John Hardy.

Westport—George Chambers, M. A. Hart.

Burns—Hon. C. P. Rutherford, George Standell.

Riley—Isaac Allison.

John Day—J. A. Laycock, A. P. L. Sml.

Yreka—Kenneth F. McRy, E. C. Stuart.

Monument—Emmett Cochran.

Fossil—Clarence Johnson, W. W. Steiner, A. G. O'Leary, W. Keys.

McEwan—Whitler Brothers.

Baker City—J. H. Parker, T. B. Moore, George Chandler, D. J. Maure.

North Fork—E. H. Butler.

Elgin—Charles Holgate.

Keating—E. Cranston, Orin Love.

Pendleton—Ed Marshall, Hugh Fields, W. J. Furnish, R. Alexander.

Pilot Rock—Charles Cunningham, Douglas Boek.

Grande Ronde—Peter Chalkenbush, Edgar Shambaugh.

Centerville—Alexander Chamberlain, Forest Grove—D. C. Stewart, Thomas Todd, Ira Purden, Mrs. Taylor.

Cornelius—Thomas Cornelius.

Lexington—Wm. Pentland.

Pepper—C. A. Ray, W. P. Dutton, Orin Farnsworth, Ed Day, James McHaley.

Moro—E. O. McCoy.

Monkland—James H. Frazer.

Croy—Wm. Smith.

North Yamhill—Frank Brown.

Dayton—John J. Gowdy.

Whitaker—Jefferson Hunt.

Turner—John McKinlay.

Amitiy—N. H. McDowdner, A. M. Waddell.

Jefferson—John Steiner.

Salmon—James J. Early, John Minto, J. H. Fletcher, John Q. Wilson, E. Cross, A. T. Wain, William Chaggett, Corvallis—George Armstrong.

Albany—Thomas Forman, Martin Paine.

Eugene—Jasper Wilkins, Walker Young.

Grainell—Thomas Tait.

Grants Pass—Henry B. Miller.

McMinnville—John Redmond.

Dallas—David Guthrie.

Northmouth—J. B. Stump.

Ridgeway—H. C. Cooper.

Central Point—William Peninger.

Klamath Falls—Irvin Applegate, Mr. Bloomer.

Port Klamath—C. Cunningham.

Silver Lake—T. M. Christian.

THE DALLES BOWLERS.

They Vanquished the Oregon Road Club at Portland.

Last night the bowling team of The Dalles Commercial and Athletic Club, played a return game with the Oregon Road Club team on their alleys in Portland, and were successful in adding two more points to their credit, giving them five games out of the eight thus far played. In the four games rolled at Portland The Dalles won two and the Road Club two, but The Dalles had 19 the most pins which entitled them to a victory. In the four games rolled here the O. R. & N. had a majority of 74 pins to their credit, and with the 19 made at Portland, gives them five games out of eight and 93 pins the best of the tournament.

At the close of the game on the Road Club alleys, The Dalles team received a challenge from the McMinnville Club bowlers, but the latter would not agree to a 11y return game in the Dalles, and the challenge was declined.

Advertised Letters.