

ITEMS IN BRIEF

(From Saturday's Daily)
L. O'Brien, the sheep king of Klickitat, is in the city.
Mr. Ferrel, of the firm of Everding & Ferrel, is in the city.
Jess Blakeney is afflicted with rheumatism, but is able to be on the streets.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Keller returned yesterday from a camping trip in the Cascade mountains.
A number of wool buyers who are operating here left this morning for Portland, where they will remain over Sunday.
Fruit for shipment is not coming in very lively at present, though the Stadelman Commission Co. is able to load out a car each day, and Ed. Kertz is sending out a half car daily.
D. T. McTear, John McAulay, W. Burson, Jas. Krieman and J. A. McDonald, of Antelope, went to Portland today to investigate the wool market. They are all extensive wool growers.
The grand lodges of the A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor will both be held in The Dalles next year. This is the first instance where the grand lodges of these orders have been held outside of Portland.
A few very choice lots of wool were sold here yesterday for 14 cents, but this does not establish the market price. Ordinary grades of wool could be sold for 12 to 13 cents, but growers are holding out for 15 cents.
Mrs. J. M. Pilon came home late last night from her summer resort at "Camp Manilla" (Trout Lake) but will return to the camp in a few days. The weather at Trout Lake has been too severe lately, she says, for comfort.
The enterprising town of Dufur is improving right along, several new buildings being under course of construction, prominent among which is the club rooms being fitted up by H. S. Turner, a three story building, the hurricane deck of which is to be used for lodging apartments.
The D. P. & A. N. Co. have about concluded to let the Regulator remain where it is, on the beach above Bonnevill, until the water shall go down, then take it out and repair the hull. All the attempts thus far to get the boat of the rocks have failed, and to repair it where it is, is about the only course left.
The new high school building is nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy by the first of September. The plastering is all done, and painters are working in the upper rooms. The floor in the lower rooms will be laid next week, and all the wood work will be completed inside of twenty days.
Some time since Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benton's little girl got a needle in her foot that disappeared into the flesh, and yesterday electrician McArthur took an X ray picture of the foot, that plainly showed the location of the needle, but it was in a place where it would not cause any inconvenience and it will not be removed.
Last evening Fred Flood returned from a few days' visit to Hood River, where he added a large number of names to the subscription list of the Times-Mountaineer. The people of Hood River are wide-awake, enterprising people, who want to keep posted on current events, and recognize that to do so they must read the Times-Mountaineer.
Near Milton, Umatilla county, the following wheat yields are reported: W. M. Bled, 230 acres producing 10,685 bushels; Scott, Richie, 6,720 bushels from 100 acres and Ambrose Wyan 3000 bushels blue stem from 100 acres. The wheat is strictly first grade. Equally as fine quality and good yield is reported by a dozen more farmers in the same vicinity.
The Byers flouring mills which are nearing completion at Piedmont on the Pacific coast and will have a daily capacity of 500 barrels, with power arranged so as to increase output at any time to 1000 barrels per day. The machinery is the very latest and most improved, being the same as used in the famous Pillsbury mills of Minneapolis.
The ladies of The Dalles Emergency Corps are doing excellent work, and will in a few days forward 75 "kits" of aid supplies to the headquarters of the Portland, to be distributed to members of the troops. Each "kit" contains a towel, bar of soap, sleeping cap and bandage, writing tablet, lead pencil, bunch of envelopes, needles, thread buttons and pins. Each is done up in a colored cotton handkerchief, and weighs less than two pounds.
In a lengthy interview, Fish Commissioner McGuire informs the Astoria Budget that unless steps are taken by the next legislature to preserve the fish industry that the business will be practically wiped out of existence. Seventy millions of dollars worth of salmon have been taken from the past from the Columbia river without any great effort to replenish the supply. Commissioner McGuire advocates the appropriation of \$20,000 to establish and operate hatcheries. California appropriates \$2,000 for this purpose. New York \$100,000 and other fish producing states large sums, while Oregon with a large product to protect has practically done nothing.
(From Monday's Daily)
C. E. Jones and wife, of Wasco, are in the city.
Mrs. E. J. Collins and son left this morning for Portland.
J. O. Mack and daughter left this morning for Portland.
Mrs. J. P. McInerney and family left this morning for the sea coast.
C. A. Shurtz, a prominent business man of Arlington, is in the city.
Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Kerchheimer, of Antelope, spent yesterday in the city.
An exchange asks, "what kin is Sampson to Uncle Sam?" He is Sam's son.
James Cunningham, a prominent sheep raiser of Klickitat county, is in the city.
Fred Flood, traveling correspondent of the Times-Mountaineer, left last evening for Wasco.
C. F. Stephens returned Saturday night from attending the A. O. U. W. grand lodge in Portland.
The funeral of the late Gen. Gosser will take place from the family residence at 5 o'clock this evening.
Miss Alma Heroux, accompanied by her little brother Charles, and sister Jewel, left this morning for Portland.

They expect to visit friends in the Willamette valley for several weeks.
Rev. Gray came home last evening from Oregon City, where he has been spending his summer vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Hadley, who have been visiting relatives in the city, left yesterday for their home at Mora.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fish and family and Mrs. N. B. Sinaot, left this morning for Ilwaco, where they will spend a month.
Yesterday four cars of wool were shipped from here to Hartford, Conn. They were billed over the Great Northern.
Hon. J. P. Lucas, of Arlington, is in the city. Mr. Lucas will remain permanently in the city, and expects to enter upon his duties as register of the U. S. land office on August 1.
Mr. Batts' family left this morning for their summer outing. To a friend he confidentially stated that they were going to "Old Maid's Rest" which is supposed to be near Cascade Locks.
It is a difficult matter for a reporter to keep an account of Dallesites who have gone to summer resorts, there is such a long list of them. It is an easier job to keep tab on those who remain at home.
Fred W. Wilson loaded himself into a car this forenoon and started for the Three Sisters to look after a band of sheep in which he is interested. Fred will connect business with pleasure while gone, and will tell some truths about fishing when he returns.
September 22nd to October 22nd of this year will be a month marked by great results for the producers of the Northwest, for during those days the product of their labor will be gathered together and attractively displayed at the Oregon Industrial Exposition.
A pleasant social was held at the Calvary Baptist church Saturday evening, attended by a goodly number of young people. An interesting program was rendered, after which refreshments were served, and it was greatly enjoyed by all.
Senator Dufur writes home from Gold Hill that the mines in which he is interested are prospecting well, and they will give good returns as soon as operations are begun. Mr. Dufur thinks the mines will pay \$5 a day to the man as soon as they get to operating.
Messrs. Jos Vogt and Leo Schanno, returned last evening on the 6 o'clock train from a week's sojourn through the "beautiful Willamette." They also spent a day in Portland on their return home, and report having taken the place by "storm."
The men who are pushing to success the Oregon Industrial Exposition are entering and unselfish. They are working hard to bring together a creditable collection of the products of the great Northwest, and their labor of love is intended for the benefit of all and will result in great good to a great number.
While returning from a drive on Mill creek yesterday Mr. and Mrs. M. Fillion's buggy was run into by a reckless driver and was considerably damaged. Mrs. Fillion was thrown from the buggy and sustained slight bruises. The occupants of the other vehicle were not hurt, but their buggy was also damaged.
Messrs. Brotherton & Butler have sold 5000 sacks of club wheat to the Kerabaw Grain Company, at a price little better than 50 cents per bushel, says the East Oregonian. The wheat is to be delivered at Stanton station on the W. & C. R. railway. A shade better than 50 cents is demanded by those having wheat to sell, and as this is a little better than some that will be raised in Umatilla county this year, the higher price was paid.
Sally Afflicted.
The family Mr. and Mrs. Remi Rondeau, who reside near Kingsley, is indeed sorely afflicted. Only a few days since, their little daughter, Annie, died from scarlet fever, on Friday Mr. Rondeau's father passed away, and at 8 o'clock Sunday evening scarlet fever claimed another member of the family, Minnie, aged thirteen years. Their only remaining child, a boy, sixteen years of age, is dangerously ill, and is not expected to live.
Why suffer with coughs, colds, and la grippe when Laxative Bromo Quinine will cure you in one day. Does not produce the ringing in the head like cathartics, and is in tablet form convenient for taking. Guarantees 25 cents. For sale by Blakely & Houghton, druggists, The Dalles, Or.
Wood Wanted.
At a meeting of the board of directors of Dalles school district to be held on August 2d, bids will be received for furnishing the district with 50 cords of oak and 45 cords of fir wood, to be used for fuel at the different schools or elsewhere as may be required.
Tightly Warning—Guns Naved is Money Made.
To save the grain use Fry's concentrated squirrel poison. This preparation is the cheapest and most economical for the farmer. One grain kills guaranteed. Price 25 cents per can or 50 cents per dozen. For sale by all druggists.
Dr. Miles' Nervine
A REMEDY FOR THE Effects of Tobacco.
THE excessive use of tobacco, especially by young men, is always injurious and sometimes shortens life materially. Mr. Ed. C. Eames, compositor on the Contra Costa News, Martinez, Cal., writes: "I have used Dr. Miles' Nervine and received much benefit from it. I was troubled with nervousness, dizzy spells and sleeplessness, caused by the use of tobacco and stimulants. I took Dr. Miles' Nervine with marvelous good results, allaying the dizziness, quieting the nerves, and enabling me to sleep and rest, proving in my case a very beneficial remedy." Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is especially adapted to restoring the nervous system to its normal condition under such circumstances. It soothes, heals and strengthens.
Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee. First bottle free. If you desire benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the nervous system free. Address: DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

CITY BY THE COLUMBIA.
Hood River and its Business Interests as Seen by a Correspondent.
The fruit and berries of Hood River valley have carried the fame of that section to all parts of our common country. On the banks of the Columbia at the mouth of Hood River nestles the prosperous and growing town. The scenery is picturesque, the land slopes in hill like formation back from the Columbia—the truck of the O. R. & N. railroad skirts the mighty river. The town of Hood River contains some 400 or 500 people, all contented with their lot. The church edifices of the business city are attractive and on days of worship universally attended, for Hood River is a moral and religious community and boasts that there is no saloon in its midst. The public school is the pride of the community, and a literary club known as the Traverse club—after its founder, Lady Traverse of England, who spent several seasons at Hood River—is conducted upon advanced lines including work for old and young. The
MOUNT HOOD HOTEL.
is the hostery of Hood River and under the management of Charles A. Bell is conducting a large class line and is generously patronized by the traveling public, numbers of tourists making it headquarters during the summer season. The
HOOD RIVER BOAT FACTORY,
of which W. J. Smith is proprietor, is a leading industry. It has been in operation for four years and gives employment to a score of hands. It furnishes the boxes and crates for the fruit and berry crops of the valley and ships boxes as far east as Idaho. It is furnished to the local growers some 35,000 crates of berry boxes this season, and its trade is now in such prosperous condition as to make it necessary to run the year round in order to keep stock on hand for the busy season.
WOLFPARD & BONE
conduct a general merchandise business carrying a large stock and command a big trade. They have been in business at this point for several years and enjoy the well earned confidence of all.
S. J. LA ERANCE,
is proprietor of a crockery, stationery, cigar and notion store and in a few months has built up a good trade.
G. D. WOODWORTH
is the successor to the large mercantile business of Blowers & Co. and is an energetic and enterprising man. He carries a large and well selected stock and does a large business.
CLYDE BONKEY
is the successor to the Columbia Packing Co. at Hood River and deals in dry wood, dressed meats, fruits, etc. He ships to all points on the Columbia both on the Oregon and Washington sides from Mosier to Bonnevill, commanding the trade of all these thriving settlements. He has a cold storage room and meat market, equal to any in cities of several thousand inhabitants and is a bustling, energetic young man destined to make his mark in the business world of Oregon.
D. BRADLEY
is proprietor of the local photograph gallery and is a first class artist and is doing a lively business. Mr. Bradley photographed many of the Sherman soldiers during the war, and is presented in the souvenir edition of the Times-Mountaineer.
GEORGE P. CROWELL
is the successor of E. L. Smith in the pioneer mercantile establishment of Hood River. He is a successful and thorough business man, carries a large stock of general merchandise and enjoys a thriving and increasing trade.
THE DAVIDSON FRUIT CO.
is one of the well established institutions of Hood River, the largest dealers in green and packed fruit in Oregon. They ship to all commercial centers and are constantly increasing their trade—their label on fruit insures it a gilt edge reception in the markets of the world.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
John L. Henderson and Thomas E. Kent are the local attorneys and George Prather, of the local bar, is also here. Messrs. Henderson and Kent possess a liberal clientele and are thoroughly equipped in their profession, while Judge Prather presides with dignity and impartiality.
THE GLACIER
is the weekly exponent of Hood River valley and under the editorial management of S. P. Blythe is loyal, newsy and progressive, and what a newspaper man appreciates more is a good paying property. We scruple is particularly indebted to Mr. Blythe for favors received.
THE PUBLIC SCHOOL,
the churches, the Traverse society and the many business houses which have not been mentioned in this article will receive due and proper notice in succeeding issues, as will also the famous fruit-producing industry of the town. In the mean time if you wish to pass a few days pleasantly breathing invigorating, health giving ozone, delighting the eye with beautiful scenery and enjoying pastoral life visit HOOD RIVER.
OREGON'S NEW INDUSTRY.
Rapid Completion of the La Grande Beet Sugar Factory.
Concerning the new factory of the Oregon Sugar Company located at La Grande, the La Grande Chronicle says that the buildings will be completed early in September, some two weeks before the beets are matured. The company is incorporated for \$1,000,000 and is a close corporation, subscriptions for stock being limited to a few individuals of means and previous experience in the business. The company owns 80 acres of land around the buildings, which will be utilized as stockyards, warehouse sites, etc. Two hundred and fifty tons of steel will be used in the construction of the factory and 750,000 bricks, and 120 mechanics are employed upon the work. Over 1200 tons of machinery are in the building with more to follow. All of the American make and of the very latest pattern. The present capacity is to handle 350 tons of beets daily, which can be easily doubled at comparatively small expense. The plant will cost fully \$475,000, and will be run during the season to its full capacity 24 hours each day, giving employment to 100 men. Eight thousand cords of wood will be used each season. Thirty-five hundred acres have been planted to sugar beets by farmers adjacent to the factory, under contract to the factory. The yield is conservatively estimated at 10 tons per acre, and the contract price is \$4 per ton.
He's a Chemical Liar.
The state of Minnesota produces some remarkable things, and among

others is a gentleman who deals very recklessly with facts. If The Criterion, published at Portland, quotes him correctly, the gentleman referred to is Fred Shaw, of the Minnesota experimental station. He attended the farmers' congress at Astoria last week, and being asked how many sheep can be raised to an acre said: "The state (Minnesota) had a small flock of sheep, and two and three-quarter acres of land were secured. There were fifty-three sheep in the flock, but we managed to pasture them for three months. The next year we had 10 acres of land and 88 sheep and lambs. The following year we got 10 tons of wool from this small flock, and the year following 20 tons."
This would be the most remarkable claim of wool—a little more than 465 pounds to the sheep. Prof. Shaw might have made the salmon fishers at Astoria believe such a yarn, but he couldn't start an Eastern Oregon wool grower with it.
WILL STAY IN CUBA.
The Army at Santiago Will Have to Remain There Until Free From Fever.
A Washington special to the New York Times says:
To the question, "What is to be done with General Shafter's Fifth corps, now at Santiago?" the heads of the war administration can find but one answer. That is to keep it in Cuba until every vestige of yellow fever is stamped out of it. It can be stated positively that there is no intention of bringing the troops back to this country at the present time. The authorities here believe that it would be dangerous to run the risk of spreading the fever broadcast throughout this country by bringing the men back here so long as the pest is among them. It is agreed that the best place to fight the disease is right where they are now. Adjutant General Corbin, when asked what was proposed to do with the Santiago army, said:
"Whatever we do we must leave the troops there until they are free from the fever. We can't fight it anywhere else as well as there. Undertake to bring them back to this country, and it would infect every transport we have and if we brought them back, where would we land them? There is no city of the coast that would not rise in arms at the very suggestion of landing a fever-infected army within its limits."
Protection Against Fire.
While The Dalles has a very complete fire department and the best apparatus of any town of its size in the state, still there is room for improvement. Some of the property owners have undertaken to more thoroughly protect their property against fire by the purchase of Stemple fire extinguishers and placing them in accessible places in their premises. Max Vogt & Co. have bought three of these extinguishers and have one of the Vogt block one in the Chapman block, and one in the opera house. A. M. Williams & Co. have three of them and J. T. Peters & Co. have three distributed among their various properties.
This extinguisher is the best that is made and is a very effective contrivance. It is charged with water holding a solution of soda and in the top is a bottle of acid, which when the extinguisher is turned over, breaks a bottle of acid that generates a gas that is lighter than air. The gas forces the extinguisher to a perfect success, and it would be well if one were placed in every business house in the city.
Death of a Pioneer.
Remi Rondeau, sr., died at the home of his son, Remi Rondeau, jr., near Kingsley on Friday, July 25, aged 78 years.
Mr. Rondeau was born in Canada, and when a young man entered the employ of the Hudson Bay Co., continuing in their service as trapper and hunter for many years. He came to Wasco county in 1880, locating on the Kingsley ridge, where he has since resided. He was the father of seven children—Remie, Leon, Della, Joseph, Edward, Colie and Louis—all of who live in Wasco county except the latter, who resides in Sherman county.
Mr. Rondeau was a typical frontiers man, a whole-souled, jovial gentleman, whom it was ever a pleasure to meet and know, and he was one who made numerous friends wherever he went.
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Schilling's Best needs no coloring; it is good enough.
THE CELEBRATED
Columbia Brewery
AUGUST BUCHLER, Prop.
This well-known brewery is now turning on the best Beer and Porter etc. of the Cascades. The latest appliances for the manufacture of good healthful Beer have been introduced, and only the first-class article will be placed on the market.
East Second Street
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HARRY C. LIEBE,
Watchmaker and Jeweler
WATCHES, CLOCKS, AND JEWELRY, SILVERWARE AND DIAMONDS.
FINE REPAIRING A SPECIALTY. ALL WORK WARRANTED
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Wines, Liquors, Cigars and Beer.
173 SECOND STREET
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Nutrine, a non-alcoholic beverage unequalled as a tonic
Should Be Looked After.
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Robert Hamilton, of Ellensburg, has shipped 400 sheep to Chicago. They were in prime condition and netted him \$3.25 each.
An ordinance passed by the Ellensburg council makes that wearing at places of amusement a misdemeanor. The fine is from \$5 to \$20.
The corpse of a man was found floating in the Nehalem river Tuesday evening by J. G. Hollister, who tried to get it ashore, but failed, and so left it to the river. Securing assistance he returned to get it but could not find it again.
Sheriff French, of Wallawa county, has found no trace of William Batty and Ed. Forlice, who escaped from the county jail last Saturday. Batty is wanted for shooting a steer belonging to George Craig, and Forlice for complicity in the death of Ada Cole, at Lewiston, Idaho.
C. L. Williams, a stock buyer and contractor in Grant county, who recently delivered 400 head of beef cattle in Pendleton for shipment east, has contracted with Mr. Williams to buy the cattle will be gathered in Grant county within the next few weeks.
The rain of the past few days did considerable damage to the peach-pink orchards in the vicinity of Salem. At the Candelaria farm south of that city, 350 to 500 bushels of fruit were destroyed. Forty men have been working the orchards for shipment, and this number will be increased from day to day, as the fruit becomes ready.
H. C. Messinger's planing mill and box factory in Ashland was destroyed by fire Saturday morning, entailing a loss of \$3500, with \$1500 insurance. The mill was working the night before it was impossible to save anything except part of 30,000 or 40,000 feet of choice lumber, stored in and about the mill, on which there was some insurance.
Grant county stockmen have sold more stock this year than for seven years past, and from present indications there are enough buyers now in the field to handle every marketable hoof in the county. Not only are the regular foreign buyers taking all they can possibly contract for in the way of sheep and cattle, but local men are buying for speculation.
Monday night the North Yamhill stage had a slight runaway just before reaching the Mountain House, and Tuesday morning the same team took another little spin just beyond the Summit, overturning the vehicle and injuring the driver about the head and neck. There were three passengers aboard all of whom, fortunately escaped without damage.
The government has recently secured the most powerful electric searchlight in the world, and has placed it at the entrance to San Francisco bay. The light from this great projector is conservatively calculated to be equal to that of not less than 375,000,000 candles. The distance from which it can be seen is considerably over 100 miles, and moving objects can be detected by its light almost as far as marine glasses can carry.
The Astoria and Columbia River railroad, recently completed, is rapidly becoming popular with the traveling public and is giving an excellent passenger service between Portland and Astoria. It runs two trains daily, covering the distance of 100 miles in a little less than four hours. C. G. Coker, general passenger and freight agent, was in the city today looking after the interests of the road.

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