

ITEMS IN BRIEF

From Saturday Daily. Miss Zoe Patterson went to Portland this morning. Attorney John P. Cavanaugh, of Portland, is in the city on business. Congress-elect Moody went to Portland on the morning train. Miss Eva Slusher, of Dufur, left this morning for Portland to attend school. F. H. Woodcock, the prosperous Wainie merchant, was in the city yesterday. Light frosts are reported on the creek bottoms, but no material damage to vegetables has been done. Senators Mitchell and Dufur came home last evening from Salem, but will return to the capital tomorrow. J. E. Shearer returned this morning from Chicago, and left on the afternoon train for Portland. Today Sheriff Kelly turned into the county treasury \$3,880.82, taxes that had been collected during the past fifteen days. Messrs. Otis Patterson, A. M. Kelsey, W. H. Wilson and T. J. Driver were passengers on the afternoon train for Portland. A young man of 32, a widower in good circumstances, wants a wife. Address X. Y., care lock box 1, The Dalles. Tomorrow D. P. Ketchum will ship a train load, 3,700 head, of lambs to St. Paul. They were bought in this and Klickitat counties. Parties who have arrived recently from Cook county say that little rain has fallen out there as yet, and everything is dry and hot. Mrs. Capt. Sullivan, who has been visiting in this city, left on the afternoon train for her home in Portland, accompanied by Ray Logan. Although there was loss of wheat received at the warehouses today there were but few sales, the price having fallen from 50c to 52c cent today. Messrs. H. Gourlay and T. A. Hudson left this morning for Klickitat county for the purpose of interviewing the people of that county with reference to letter transportation facilities. The O. R. & N. track is kept pretty warm now, heavy trains going every few hours. This is good evidence of the productiveness and thrift of the inland Empire. The legislature adjourned yesterday until Monday to give the "overworked" law makers a little breathing spell, but they will draw their per diem for today. A party of Dallesites consisting of Mrs. C. M. Alden, Miss Cora Jones, Mrs. T. J. Driver and daughter, Prof. Ryan and Clinton Alden, left this morning for Portland to attend the exposition. While assisting to separate cattle at the stock yards yesterday, a Mr. Collins was quite severely gored by a vicious cow. Dr. Hollister was called to dress his wound, and at present he is resting quite comfortably. Thursday evening James S. Brown and Miss Mary Abbott were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clough in this city. Rev. J. H. Wood officiating. They left this morning for their home at Wapinitia. This morning John Brookhouse started to his farm near Dufur, with 500 feet of pipe, which he will use to lead water from a spring to his residence. He proposes to establish a little water works system of his own on the farm. James Carnaby was dressing chickens last evening, when he saw something glistering in the craw of one of the fowls, that on examination proved to be a grain of gold. He proposes to prospect on the farm on which the chicken was raised. The steamer Sarah Dixon has been repaired, and will arrive here this evening on a regular run between here and Portland. This will give the D. P. & A. N. Co. two boats again, and they will be better able to handle the immense traffic that is offered them. Miss Hattie Ricks, who for some time past, has held the position of train dispatcher here on the O. R. & N. Co., has resigned to accept the place of station agent at Bonnellville, and left yesterday to assume her new duties. Her many friends in The Dalles regret that she has left the city. The Curry county grand jury, which met at Gold Beach recently, returned no indictments in connection with the Collins-Van Pelt feud. No evidence implicating any person for complicity in the murder of Thomas Van Pelt was adduced. The end of the feud has been reached. A Smythe, of Arlington, a sheepman, was driving a band of sheep from Grant county to Baker City, when the band was freed into by persons who were concealed, as the sheep were passing Parole City. The sheep were driven on, and the shooters followed and put out poison, causing the death of 400 head. When the steamer Dalles City left for Portland this morning it was about as well loaded as it ever sailed out of The Dalles. It carried a large number of passengers, a considerable amount of wheat, 36 head of horses, 300 head of sheep and eight wagons, besides several tons of freight. Second Street, between Federal and Washington streets, presents a most lively appearance today. All the new buildings in the district are going up as if by magic, and in a few weeks there will be but little ground uncovered. Mr. Hood's building is completed, Mr. Van Bibber's is nearly done, and the roofing is being put on Mr. Johnson's new store. About 3 o'clock this morning a track walker on the O. R. & N. road found a man lying in a semi-conscious condition by the side of the track, near the Three-Mile trestle. He picked the fellow up and walked him to town. Marshall Lauer was called and the stranger, who gives his name as F. F. Frazell to the city jail, where Dr. Hollister dressed his wounds, which consisted of severe bruises about the body and two gashes to the scalp, and probably a fracture of the skull. Frazell cannot give any account of how he got into the city. He was sleeping on the track and was run into by a train. (From Monday's Daily) The Portland Exposition is an assured success. The Spokane Fruit Fair opens on Tuesday, the 4th inst. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Long left on the morning train for Portland, for a few days visit, and to take in the exposition. Typhoid fever is reported as prevalent in all sections of the state. Wheat took another tumble this morning and now stands at 50 cents. Don't neglect any longer the fall cleaning of streets, alleys and backyards. A. S. and L. N. Blowers, of Hood River, are registered at the Umatilla House. Increasing Klondikers are numerous at coast ports, each with a lugubrious tale of woe. Bert Phelps, of Hoppper, passed through town Saturday on his way to Portland. Born, Sunday October 2d, to the wife of J. Sears, of Eight Mile, a daughter. Tomorrow, the senatorial balloting will begin at Salem. Keep your eyes open for the dark horse. The county board of equalization met today and will remain in session for the week. Miss Clothilde Love, of Wasco, arrived in town today to attend school at St. Mary's Academy. Ex-Sheriff Driver, Otis Patterson, W. H. Wilson and County Clerk Kelsey were in Portland yesterday. Pendleton is desirous of floating \$70,000 in 5 per cent bonds to redeem bonds and warrants drawing a higher rate of interest. Miss Emma Bonney left on the afternoon passenger for Eugene, where she will take a course of instruction at the university. Mrs. Charles Allison, wife of a former resident of this city, who has been here for some time visiting friends, left for her home in California this afternoon. I. C. Darland, formerly postmaster of Goldendale, was in town today on his way to Baker, where he has interested in connection with the mail route from there to Antelope. There has not sold yesterday in the Klickitat valley, where one machine sold and alone as the last rose of summer, was at work on the last crop of the season. John Brogan of Antelope, a native of the Emerald Isle, took out his final citizenship papers today before Judge Mays. He witnesses were Commissioner Kinsey and Hugh Gregory. Dr. Hollister went down to Hood River this afternoon to visit Mr. Roberts, the aged brother of C. G. Roberts of that place, who is reported very ill. The doctor will return on the night train. R. B. Hood this morning opened a new and second hand furniture store on the lot he used to occupy for the same purpose years ago. This is the second house to resume business in the burnt district. Omer Cook of Three Mile is interested with W. J. Gilliam in the project of repairing the old Dalles and Rockland ferry boat and using it as a ferry-boat at Lyle. Tom Harris, a well-known sheepman of the Naneese neighborhood, has concluded to move with his band of 1800 sheep to Payette, Idaho. Shortage of sheep to graze compels the change of location. Wm. Hall was brought before Justice Bayard this morning charged with larceny in a dwelling. In the judgment of the justice the evidence failed to establish any crime and Hall was discharged. The inland flyer has been placed in the hands of Wolf & Swicker, of Portland, for some changes in her machinery, that were found necessary if she would do the work for which she is intended. The Tennessee Students will be at the Balwin Opera house tonight and tomorrow night. These people from the many States with their splendid voices, and "characteristic" ways are always entertaining and amusing and this company is of especial merit and should have the support of our best people. It is estimated that fully 1500 miners are laboring in the district tributary to Baker City. Those who ought to be a beehive of energy and haste and the business of the city is slowly but steadily moving in that direction. As an Irishman put it to the writer this morning, "There isn't an empty house in the Aist ind but was and even that was occupied." Yesterday was an unlucky day for travelers. The same freight train that cut off one tramp's toes at The Dalles made a clean job of another at Cascade Locks. Coroner Butts went down on the early passenger to enquire into the matter and is expected back tonight. A Victor farmer tells the Dufur Dispatch that while traveling from The Dalles to Dufur, last week on his way home, he met 107 head teams bound for this city. The Dispatch naturally concludes that a railroad between these two points would be a paying investment. Earl Taft, familiarly known as the Duke of Cellio, is in town today. Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Norman were up from Hood River last evening. Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Haines of Portland, are visiting Prof. and Mrs. P. G. Daut. R. C. Jesse, of Prineville were at the Umatilla House last night on their way to Portland. Mrs. L. W. Curtis, of Rockland, left this morning on a short visit to friends in Portland. Mrs. Alden and Miss Joles returned last evening from attending the exposition in Portland. Agent L. W. Cowan, of the Warm Springs is in the city on business in connection with the agency. Messrs. 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