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Live Local Topics

D. D. Hall and J. K. McGregor of Mosier were here Saturday on a business visit.

The Hood River Apple Vinegar Co. is now ready to receive apples. Bring them to us.

A. T. Loeffler, who has been on a trip to Yellowstone Park, returned home Friday.

Albert Lathrop left for the seashore this week where he will spend his vacation.

Leslie Butler is noted as one of the guests at the Hotel Perkins in Portland Wednesday.

District Judge W. L. Bradshaw has filed his petition at The Dalles as a candidate for renomination.

Mrs. J. L. Whitcomb and daughter Ruby returned last week from an extended sojourn in Seattle.

F. C. Thomsen returned to Hood River Wednesday after a week's visit at The Dalles, his former home.

Miss Myrta Huggins of this city was a guest at the home of Mrs. Vandellian at The Dalles last week.

An old time resident of Hood River formerly Miss Josephine Driver, arrived here last week for a visit with friends.

Miss Zena Miller of Hood River has accepted a position as teacher in district 52, Wasco county, for the coming terms.

The Gilbert-Vaughan Company received a new Cadillac Friday, making ten of these cars which have been sold in the valley this year.

W. F. Chapman of Fresno, California, was one of the visitors who was here last week looking the valley over with a view to investing.

Harry Hackett, of the John Leland Henderson company, is now driving one of the Carter cars, the only one in the valley, which is operated by friction drive, and says it is a star hill climber.

W. A. Stark left Wednesday morning for Hood River, where he will reside this summer and fall and assist his son, Sam, in the latter's office. Mrs. Stark will follow him in a few days. They will make their home with their son.—Mosier Bulletin.

At a dinner given Thursday evening at the Country Club Inn the engagement of Miss Irene Bancroft and L. P. Armstrong was announced. Covers were laid for a number of the young friends of Miss Bancroft and Mr. Armstrong, who heartily congratulated them.

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Subject of discourse "Lessons from the prize ring." Preachers and church people as well as business men and politicians can learn something from promoters like Rickard and Corbett and fighters like Jeffries and Johnson.

Hazelwood double Jersey buttermilk will be carried in stock during hot weather.

For Sale—Seven room house, two lots, small barn, corner Sixth and Sherman. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. Bath with hot and cold water. Apply at house. Mrs. Z. C. Phillips.

J. H. Hellbronner spent Sunday visiting relatives in Portland.

Geo. H. Lynn spent Sunday with his daughter in St. Johns.

Mrs. Etta Bancroft went to Portland Monday for a few days in the city.

Miss Bertha Lawrence of Spokane is a guest at the Pelronnet home near Parkdale.

E. B. Clarke of Portland, a Hood River property owner, was here Saturday on a business errand.

Dr. P. W. Goldsberry of Boston, brother of John Goldsberry, arrived here Saturday for a visit.

The Cutler boys, accompanied by Miss Cutler and their father went to Cloud Cap Inn by auto Sunday.

The Methodist Sunday school picnic, which was to have been held this week, has been postponed until next week.

Henry C. Clark and Vera O. Kelly, who gave their residence as Hood River, were married Monday by Justice A. C. Buck.

Mrs. Jones, sister of Mrs. H. L. Dumble, whose home is in Portland, is a guest at the home of the latter for a few days.

Burleigh Cash, who is home from the University of Oregon on his vacation, will preach at the Christian church Sunday evening.

The Mount Hood hotel is installing a new heating plant which is much larger than the old one. The work is being done by R. D. Gould.

Miss Frances Gonla and Miss Deborah Miner of Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Davidson. The latter is a niece of Mrs. Davidson.

Wanted—A small home place with bearing fruit trees, with or without house, near school, one to five acres, cheap. Address P. O. box 262 or call 259.

Mrs. Marjorie Fouts, after a few days' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baker, returned to her home in Portland Monday.

Humphrey Barton and family arrived Saturday from St. Paul to make their home here. Mr. Barton is an extensive property owner at Hood River.

C. B. Althison, state railroad commissioner, was here Saturday and called at the News office. Mr. Althison was accompanied by Mr. Bell, one of the engineers connected with the railroad commission.

G. B. Lanham, buyer for G. M. H. Wagner & Sons, the Chicago commission house, was here Monday accompanied by his wife. Mrs. Lanham, who is very much pleased with Hood River, says she would like to stay here.

A full line of poultry supplies at Whitehead's.

Men's washing a specialty. Mrs. Phoebe Collins, Phone 143-X.

Hazelwood sweet cream and ice cream can be obtained in quantities from now on at Ross & Richard's.

I have a client who wants to borrow \$300 for two years. Will pay 8 per cent and secure note with first mortgage on improved real estate valued at \$1800. Phone 308-M. S. W. Stark, Elliot Bldg.

STATE WILL PUT ITS CONVICTS ON FARMS

First term prisoners in the Missouri penitentiary and the state reform school will be given an opportunity to restore themselves to the good graces of society if a plan for their reformation which Gov. Hadley has under consideration is finally adopted. He is trying to arrange with D. H. Denne of the state board of agriculture to give the men and boys whose records warrant it employment on farms in various parts of the state. The idea is to arrange with farmers for giving the paroled individuals work on a wage basis and ultimately to set them free if they behave themselves. The governor has asked the warden of the penitentiary and the superintendent of the training school at Booneville to furnish him with a list of 25 or 30 men and boys who are serving first terms and who can be trusted on parole.

Were Entertained Royally

C. D. Thompson, Frank Stanton and Chris Grelsen, who were in attendance at the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Nurserymen's association at Walla Walla last week, returned Thursday very much pleased with the hospitality shown them while in that city. While there they were entertained at luncheon by the Business Men's Association, given access to the Y. M. C. A. building and its conveniences, including the baths and swimming pool, and taken for a street car and carriage ride by the Commercial Club. On the latter trip they were taken over into the Milton-Freewater district and on their return to Walla Walla were dined by the club.

The meeting is said to have been largely attended, delegates from all over the northwest and Pacific coast states were present and some from the middle west and east. The next convention will be held in California, but the exact spot has not yet been designated, although it is expected it will be San Jose.

Will Remain at Hood River

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Starrett, who left Jersey City, N. J., fifteen days ago, arrived at Hood River Wednesday after making several stops enroute. They visited friends in Idaho, inspecting the mining district in the Coeur d'Alene country and went from there into Portland over the North Bank railroad. Mr. Starrett says that after the ride over the dreary stretches of sand and waste land east of here Hood River looked more like Paradise than ever. He has severed his business connections in New York and will make his home in the valley at his ranch.

Yucca Tree Protectors at Whitehead's.

For Sale—Brand new visible typewriter, \$65. Try it a week. A. Wilson, Mount Hood depot.

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Guests Flocking to Shipherd Springs

Dr. M. F. Shaw, C. D. Nickelsen, Paul Hubbard and W. H. Walton went to Shipherd Springs Wednesday on a business errand returning Thursday. The greatest number of visitors ever known at Shipherd's is now staying there and also at St. Martin's. About 200 guests took breakfast at the former place Thursday morning and a number slept on cots in the dance hall Wednesday night. At St. Martin the bus to the station was discontinued for several days in order to discourage guests from going there on account of lack of accommodations.

A new road has just been constructed by the Shipherd station company from the railroad station to the hotel, a distance of about three miles, and will be put in use in a few days. Guests will then be transported by automobile. Ralph Shelley still has the contract for transporting guests and is doing a land office business.

The hotel at Collins Springs is also taxed to its full capacity to provide for the hundreds of visitors who are arriving there.

Rebuilding Garage

The Hood River Manufacturing and Engineering Company has commenced the work of rehabilitating their machinery that was injured in the recent fire, and will shortly start work on rebuilding the garage. The repairs to the machinery, much of which has been partially saved, are being made under the supervision of Ernest Bogges, who was so badly burned while attempting to rescue his companion, but who is now fully recovered.

The garage, when rebuilt, will contain all the conveniences originally planned and several others that have since been decided upon. The building will have room for 15 cars on the floor space and a number more in a storage loft to be constructed above.

Gospel Tabernacle

The meetings in the tabernacle on May street between 7th and 8th have begun in real earnest and will continue each evening at 7:45. Next Sunday, July 17th, there will be an all day meeting. Morning 11 o'clock, afternoon 2:30, and evening 7:45. If you are a Christian, come. If you are not a Christian, come. If you are discouraged, come. If you want to know how to be happy now and always, come. There is help for all. You are invited. C. E. Perry, pastor.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism and always affords quick relief. Sold by all dealers.

Coarse ground and rock salt at Whitehead's.

Money to loan. Apply to Geo. D. Culbertson & Co.

Don't let the rabbits eat your trees. Buy your tree protectors at Whitehead's.

Rooms and board can be had at reasonable rates by applying at the Kentucky Home. Phone 255-L.

The Ross & Richards Company will serve Hazelwood special ice cream Sundays at the same price as other creams.

If your horse is run down and out of condition and you want to get him in shape to do good strong work buy a pall of Rex Stock Food it will do the job. Whitehead's.

WHY THE Apple Business IS GOOD

The production of apples in the United States has decreased in the past 13 years 46,070,000 barrels. The Department of Agriculture publishes the following figures:

Apple crop in 1896	69,070,000 barrels
Apple crop in 1899	37,560,000 barrels
Apple crop in 1907	29,000,000 barrels
Apple crop in 1908	23,000,000 barrels

During this 13 years of decrease the population of the United States has increased in excess of 12,000,000.

For every planted tree in Oregon 10 are abandoned, uprooted or played out in the East.

Apples of the east are raised by farmers as a side issue.

Apples of the Hood River Valley are raised by specialists as a business.

In the East the pest conquered the orchard.

In Hood River the orchardist conquered the pest.



Apple Land Bargains

20 ACRES, 9 acres set to commercial orchard, mostly 3-year-old trees; 3 acres of young strawberries; 5 acres partly cleared, balance in meadow. Water stock, small house, Near school, store and railroad station. Price \$10,000. \$4000 cash.

21 1/2 ACRES, red shot soil, Oak Grove district, 17 acres in commercial orchard; also bearing family orchard; 5 room house; complete set of implements, at price of \$13,500. Apple crop of at least 1600 boxes goes with the place.

25 ACRES, in Willow Flat district, 10 acres under cultivation; 6 acres in 2 and 3 year old Newtown and Spitzenbergs; 4 acres young strawberries; 5 acres nearly ready for the trees. Complete set of implements, team, and 10 inches of water stock, at the price of \$10,000. Easy terms.

15 ACRES, all planted to Newtowns and Spitzenbergs, 1 to 4 years old, save one-half acre that is in meadow, close to town. Red shot soil. Price \$11,000. \$3000 cash.

10 ACRES, 3 1/2 miles from Hood River; volcanic ash soil, on main county road. All planted to young commercial orchard; beautiful building site. A bargain. \$3000 cash will handle.



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