HANDSOME CUP FOR WHICH HOOD RIVER WILL COMPETE IN SHOW AT PORTLAND



Board of Directors of the Great North- the farmers who have the enterprise ern Railway whose advocacy of the and public spirit necessary to display local county fair as one of the great- the fruits of their industry. est agencies for the rapid develop- The Hood River Commercial Club ment that a community can use, has will compete for this prize and exsignalized his interest in the success hibits are being secured by Secretary of the Pacific Northwest Land Prod- Scott and J. F. Batchelder. Any peructs Show by offering a silver cup as sons having extra fine specimens of a special prize for the best commun- horticultural or agricultural products ity exhibit of agricultural and horti- should get into communication with

Every farmer is urged to send in his | Entries will be accepted up to and

Louis W. Hill, Chairman of the prize. Great honor and credit is due

cultural products exhibited at the Mr. Batchelder or the Commercial apprehension in ordering in the lad- A. Phipps, State Secretary.

choicest exhibits and compete for this including Friday of this week.

Dr. M. A. Jones

DENTIST

Formerly of Hood River, is now

located at 245 1-2 Washing-

SAYS PUNCH BOWL'S CHARMS AT STAKE

posed fish ladder, is the declaration of erside Congregational church next Charles G. Roberts. A number of Monday and Tuesday. The program others who are interested in pre- is as follows: serving intact the beauty spots of the Monday afternoonvalley have expresed themselves as regretful that the construction of the Van Nuys. fish ladder across the face of the wonderful basaltic formation is con- Harris. templated. Mr. Roberts said in sub-

"It would be a great shame if the Phipps. construction of this fish ladder is permitted. While Mr. Clanton, state fish and game warden, no doubt be committees, registration, etc. lieves that he is going to benefit the fish streams by this means, old fishermen of the valley know that very few fish if any go above the Punch Bowl to spawn. The benefit would therefore be slight and on the other hand one of the most wonderful scenic attractions of the valley would be marred for all time. The exquisite basaltic formation would be forever marred by the blasting of a channel across its face to accomodate the fish ladder.

"We know that hundreds of tour ists every year visit the Punch Bowl E. T. Simpson. and are delighted with its beauty. Other formations that equal it are very rare and here we have this naural beauty right in the middle of our valey where all can visit and enjoy it. Tuesday Afternoon To run an ugly fish lader across its face and to blast away the rocks would sons. spoil it forever. It would be like a be destroyed.

"The true fisherman is the one who enjoys the beauties of nature and seeks to preserve them. Catching fish is only a part of the enjoyment he seeks. I believe that if the fishermen of Hood River fully realized what is proposed at the Punch Bowl Tuesday eveningthey would remonstrate against the construction of the fish ladder at that point. I also believe that Mr. Clanton must be working under a misder and I heartly wish that all concerned might be fully informed as to what is contemplated before the work

Underwood Union Chapel Association William B. Young of the Methodist Episcopal church of Hood River, will preach to the Association next Sunday afternoon, Nov. 17th, at 3. p. m. at the schoolhouse. You are invited.

Club Rates

Evening Telegram and Hood River News for one year \$5.00. a ... tf

SUNDAY SCHOOL **WORKERS TO MEET**

An attractive program has been an-Punch Bowl, one of Hood River's most nounced for the fourth annual convenperfect scenic attractions, is threat- tion of the Hood River County Sunday ened by the construction of the pro- School Association to be held at Riv-

> 2:15 Praise and Prayer, Rev. W. L. 2:30 Opening Address, Rev. E. A.

3:00 Table Conference), Rev. Chas. A. subjects, forming as it does the han-

3:30 Music, Methodist Choir. Business- Appointment of Monday Evening-

7:30 Praise Service, Joseph Mayes. Special music by Mrs. C. H. Henney. 8:00 Address,"The Seven Fold Emphasis", Prof. E. C. Knapp, Spokane. Announcements.

Benediction. Tuesday Morning-

10:00 Devotional Service, J. M. 10:15 Teacher Training- Round

Table, Prof. E. C. Knapp. 10:40 Solo, Miss Wagner. 10:50 Boy Ssout Movement Rev.

11:20 Temperance and Good Citizenship, Rev. H. A. Mc Donald. 11:50 Social Hour, Luncheon ser-

2:00 Praise Service, Rev. J. B. Par-

2:15 Business Reports-From evcracked vase. It's perfection would ery school and committee; Election of Officers.

> 2:35 Solo, Miss Gladys Reavis. 2:45 Secondary Division, or Teen Age, Mrs J. E. Ferguson.

> 3:15 "Why Ten Boys Left the Sunday School," Prof. E. C. Knapp. Singing by Class of Girls.

7:30 Praise Service, M. D. Odell. 7:45 Special Music, Mrs. C.H. Sletten; Address-"The Educational Power of the Sunday Sshool," Rev. Chas.

Will Preach at Pine Grove

The Rev. Theophilus Schoenbery, field missionary of the Pacific Lutheran Synod, will conduct services in the Pine Grove church Sunday, Nov. 17th,

The Davidson Fruit Company has bluestone for sale.

Regular Sunday excursion to Park dale. Pleasant trip for yourself and and from that time until the 22nd

LOCAL WEATHER IN PAST YEARS GIVEN

As a rule man's a fool When it's hot he wants it cool,

When it's cool he wants it hot, Always wanting what is not, Never wanting what he's got,

As a rule man's a fool. While this is not as true of the residents in the equable climate of Oregon as of those who live in less favored sections, it is a fact that the weather is the most discussed of all dle of conversation.

Believing that the newer residents in Hood River may be interested in some of the winters of long ago here, Robert Rand has suggested that the News reprint a contribution made by Captain H. C. Coe to this paper several years ago. Captain Coe came to Hood River in '54 and he is quoted in part as follows:

"The way the present winter started, said Captain Coe to the News man, "reminds me very much of the winter of '61-'62, the most severe in my experience. In the long and glorious summers we enjoy many people are apt to forget the cold and deep snowfalls of some of our winters. There is no use, however, in dwelling on some winters as compared to '61-'62,

"What has happened in the past may happen again. One in Hood River never knows what kind of a winter they are going to have, until it is past, and my advice is to always prepare for and expect the worst, and be glad if you are disappointed. There was a legend that the Indians were fond of repeating to us by way of consolation, of a winter many years previous to '62, when so much snow fell that it did not melt off the ensuing summer. Their horse died, and many of the Indians also, and had it not been for a very plentiful run of salmon in the spring all would have perished for want of food. "Our first winter in Hood River

(1854) then known as Dog River, was a delightful one; a little snow and freezing weather in December. Early in February we made garden, and not a frost after that to do any damage. The year 1858 was the record breaker for deep snows, five feet and one inch on the level, and not drifted. Our record for that winter is missing. However, it was chiefly notable for the quantity of snow on the ground at one time, rather than for its cold or duration, for by the middle of February the ground was bare. But '62 was a record smasher of note. Snow fell on the 19th day of November '61, day of April the ground was entirely clear of snow. November was a month of disaster. Fifteen days of rain and three of snow is the record. From the fourth until the tenth, five days in sucesion, the rain came down in torrents. Hod River was full from bank to bank,, four or five feet higher than it has ever been since. The Willamette Valley above Oregon City was transformed into a great lake. Steamboats navigated the country roads, miles away from the main channel, rescuing the farmers, who had taken refuge on housetops and barns. Buildings of all descriptions came down the river over the Oregon City falls intact and on down past Portland to the Columbia River. The entire flat on the East Portland side of the river up to what is now known as Union Avenue was covered with wreckage and drift many feet deep. Some eighteen inches of snow fell during the month. In December we had ten inches of rain and three of snow, nineteen inches of snow during the month. On the 19th the mercury went down to 22 degrees and never got above the freezing point but once until February 15th. On January 16th the thermometer registered 24 degrees below zero, and the general mean was only 10.45 degrees for the month. Seven feet of snow, fell and there were four feet two inches on the level at one time. The river closed for navigation January first and boats did not ply again until the 12th day of March. "Stock of all kinds suffered, and it was said that east of the Cascade

mountains not a hoof of range stock was left. A good many cattle died herein the valley. Jenkins and Beenson lost in the neighborhood of one hundred head and Pierce and Weathereaux , north of Belmont, nearly as many more. None of our cattle died of lack of food, though we lost several of our best cows from feeding on pine leaves. The ice in the Columbia froze to a great depth. At the foot of the rapids at Cascades Captain John McNulty of the steamer called the Idaho told me that it piled up fully eighty feet high and at The Dalles I saw a sixteen-foot pole run down a crack its full length without touching water. On the 21st of March we cut a trail through the snow and ice across Hood River and drove our cattle to the bare hills west of Mosier where an abundance of bunch grass remained, and our troubles were practically over for the winter. . A LIA





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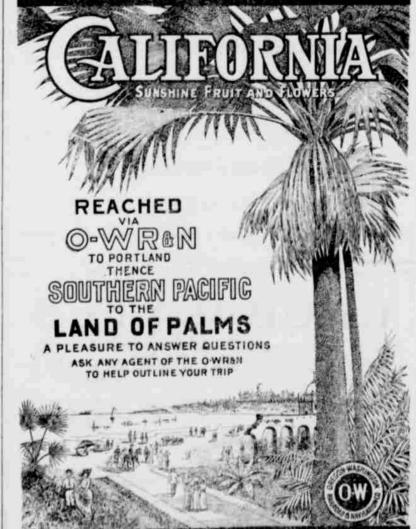
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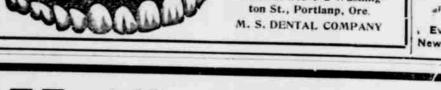
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Some of us may not agree with President Wilson's politics; but a majority have gone to the poll and declared for him as the best man for our bigge st proposition, so let us agree now that his electio a is for the good of the whole country. Let us a' A do our share to make President Wilson's adminis' ration the best the country has ever had.

Here in Hood River, as elsewhere, opi nions were divided before election.

Some wanted to continue the Ta administration; some worked for the election of Roosevelt; some were for the winner. We disagreed vig orously until the results were in.

Now we are united in our support of the next President of the United Struces.

Privately we may b & Democrats, or Republi cans, or Progressives, or Pr shibitionists, or Socialists.

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So---Hail to President Wilson, the choice of the American people.

Like the rest of us Mr. Wilson is an American. None can question that he has sincerely at heart the best interests of the United States. He knows that the welfare of all the people depends upon our commercial prosperity. We do not believe, therefore, that he will inaugurate any policies or permit any legislation that will be damaging to business and prosperity.

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