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— ADVERTISING RATES

Professional Cards..... per month \$ 1.00  
One square..... " " 1.00  
One-quarter Column..... " " 2.00  
One-half Column..... " " 3.00  
One Column..... " " 4.00

Business firms will be charged at 50 cents per line for each insertion.

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**Bank Wrecker Builds Roads**

W. Cooper Morris, the convicted bank wrecker of Portland, says the Hood River Glacier, has been brought from Salem and is now assisting in the construction of the Portland-Hood River auto road. Morris, it is declared, is an exemplary laborer and is toiling with a will on the highway. He spent the first few days on the regular pick and shovel gang, but because of his willingness and intelligence he has been added to Engineer Murray Kay's surveying gang.

The work on the road is progressing rapidly. Adam Shortgen, accompanied by one of the prisoners, a skilled steam shovel man, was at Dee Sunday to inspect a steam shovel near there owned by the Mount Hood R. R. One of these labor saving devices will probably be soon added to the equipment of the 20 prisoners at work on the road and will hasten its completion.

Mr. Kay stated that the cost of making the cut around the most difficult part of Shell Rock would be far smaller than estimated by the railroad company. Estimating the cost of moving solid rock at \$100 per yard and loose rock at 30 cents per yard, the route surveyed by Mr. Kay as compared with the railroad officials' figures will mean a saving of \$1,524.

Independence Day will be celebrated very widely in Oregon this year. Perhaps the generally fine crop outlook throughout the state has had the effect of making the people unusually keen to enjoy a notable holiday. Anyway, many places will hold big celebrations. Albany will celebrate the coming of the Oregon Electric, as well as the Glorious Fourth, and is making big preparations. Ashland will have a barbecue. Bend will celebrate for three days, as will Elgin. The Dalles will have a week-long event in connection with a Chautauqua session, Hood River is making elaborate plans for a big time and many other points are arranging for celebrating the nation's birthday.

State Engineer Lewis characterizes the Des Chutes river as the most wonderful stream in the world, after a trip through its entire drainage basin. He says the possibilities for irrigation are tremendous and the future development of water power no less so. He estimates nearly 900,000 horse power can be generated in this stream by 16 dam sites already located. An enormous increase can be made by harnessing tributary streams.

**Seedless Apples**

The seedless apple has been discovered again, for perhaps the twentieth time. It is a Delaware man who comes to the front now with this inestimable boon. When we last heard of it, five or six years ago, it was heralded as the epoch-making product of a Wisconsin investigator's genius and patient toil.

The seedless apple reappears regularly once in about 5 years. There are only two objections to it which we can think of. The first is that it is not seedless. The second is that it is not fit to eat. The only seedless apples we have ever seen had well-marked seeds in the usual places and a perfectly perceptible core. But that was of little consequence. Seeds and a core are no particular drawback to an apple if it is otherwise desirable. But when the fruit is small and hard and bitter, the fact that its seeds are inconspicuous does not atone for its other defects. If a really seedless apple should be produced, it would not be worth while. If it were worth while we should have had it long ago, for it involves no insurmountable difficulty. All that an orchardist has to do to evolve a seedless apple is to select cross-pollinators in which the seed exhibits a tendency to abort and propagate from them. In a few generations the desired modification

is sure to appear and if the process has been properly conducted the grafts from it will come true. Mendel's laws enable plant breeders to predict with almost complete certainty what the outcome of a certain cross will be. Hybrids are no longer a subject for vague guesswork. The art of producing new varieties with any desired trait has become as well understood as plowing.

The trouble with the seedless quality in apples is that it is not a particularly desirable trait. Very few object to the seeds. Many persons relish their flavor and tradition has invested them with fancies which it is just as well not to sacrifice needlessly. The core is a different matter. Its scaly parts are annoying, and to remove them causes trouble and expense. If somebody would propagate a coreless apple, retaining the spicy seeds, the world would be grateful to him. —Oregonian.

**Greenwood Gleanings**

Children's Day was observed at Greenwood Sunday School by a short but well rendered program consisting of songs and recitations. Great credit belongs to the Misses E. E. Olsen and Dorothy Godbersen for the way they planned and managed the program, as well as for their rendition of Lowell's "Vision of Sir Launfal." A basket dinner was enjoyed in the shade of the pines on our regular picnic grounds, and the afternoon was spent in a social way.

Those who went to Portland to attend the Rose Festival last week were Mr. C. A. Brown, Mrs. G. A. McCutcheon and children, Ruth, Mary and baby Harry.

A large delegation went to The Dalles on Circus Day, namely: G. A. McCutcheon and son Tom, R. W. Simpson, Mrs. C. G. Stoltz, Misses Vera and Irene Olsen and Dorothy Godbersen, Mrs. G. Godbersen, Gus Godbersen and Franklin Olsen. Presumably they all went to the circus. At any rate, none got home before midnight.

The annual school meeting of District No. 76 resulted in the re-election of T. C. Godbersen as clerk and the election of R. W. Simpson as director for a term of three years. Steps were taken toward furnishing the school house in a modern way.

Rumors are afloat that Greenwood intends celebrating the Fourth in its usual quiet but hearty way, on Pine Flat. Friends, neighbors and others will be warmly welcomed to participate.

**MOSIER MARKET**

C. H. DUNSMORE, Prop.

DEALER IN

Fresh and Cured Meats  
Country Produce

Mosier - Oregon

**Consult an Eye Specialist**

It is not so long ago that people were content to choose glasses in much the same way that they would buy boots at a "bargain counter" or some "cure all" from a touring quack. But eyesight is so precious to experiment with and today most people realize it. If you have any eye troubles we will give your expert examination and precisely the help you need.

In Business 50 Years **W. F. LARAWAY** Hood River U. S. A.

## Big Fourth Of July CELEBRATION!

### AT HOOD RIVER

A splendid program continuing thru the entire day has been arranged

GRAND AUTOMOBILE PARADE at 11 A. M. Handsome Cup for best decorated visiting car.

HOSE RACES between THE DALES and HOOD RIVER departments.

ATHLETIC SPORTS of all kinds. Patriotic exercises, exciting, novel, laughable

AQUATIC SPORTS. Diving, swimming, log rolling, boat races.

Baseball Game at 3 O'clock

Music by Band All Day

Brilliant Fireworks in the Evening

## KNOXALL Mosquito Lotion

Relieves The Bite Drives Them Away

Price 25cts.

Arthur & Burt Drug Co.,

Sales Agents Mosier, Oregon.

A. L. DAY J. E. GEIGER  
PRESIDENT VICE-PRES.-MANAGER

## Electric Wiring & Supply Co.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
PHONE 3-NIGHT OR DAY

### Everything Electrical

Engineering, House Wiring, Repairing, Contracting, Fixtures, Lamps, Motors, Heating and Cooking Apparatus.

Estimates furnished upon request. All work guaranteed. Mosier people desiring information as to estimates can leave requests for same at the Bulletin Office.

Hood River - Oregon

## ELECTRIC TALK

Your Lighting wants will be taken care of through our store at The Dalles and all work in Mosier can be handled on short notice and at satisfactory prices. We will be pleased to furnish estimates of all electrical works Lighting and Power on application.

The Dalles Electric Works,  
The Dalles, Ore.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

(PUBLISHER)  
Department of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, May 27th, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alfred Yackie, of Mosier, Oregon, who, on May 5th, 1910, made Homestead No. 06686, for SE 1/4 SE 1, Sec. 30, Tp. 2 N, Range 12 E W M., has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 29th day of June, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas Gordon, C. J. E. Carlson, Roy Abernathy and Walter H. Kerslake, all of Mosier, Oregon.  
C. W. MOORE, Register.

**LOCAL TIME-TABLE**

No. 7 West bound 7:22 a. m.  
No. 1 " " 2:45 p. m.  
No. 2 East " 10:20 a. m.  
No. 8 " " 6:35 p. m.  
No. 6 " " 10:40 p. m.

No. 17, at 5:30 p. m., flag stop on Sundays only for Hood River and Portland.

**TIME TABLE FOR RIVER BOATS**

**BAILEY GATZART.**  
Leaves Portland for The Dalles Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Leaves The Dalles for Portland Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

**TEAL.**  
Leaves Portland for The Dalles Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday.  
Leaves The Dalles for Portland Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

**TAHOMA.**  
Between The Dalles and Cascade Locks. Leaves the Locks Monday morning and The Dalles Tuesday morning, making trips one way each day. Steamers Teal and Tahoma stop on flag at Bateham's Landing. Tahoma stops on flag at lower landing.

## "17 Cents a Day"

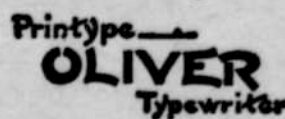
The Plan That Promises Success

THE "17-Cents-a-Day" Plan of purchasing The Oliver Typewriter means more than promoting sales of this wonderful writing machine. This plan is a positive and powerful factor in promoting the success of all who avail themselves of its benefits.

It means that this Company is giving practical assistance to earnest people everywhere by supplying them—for pennies—with the best typewriter in the world.

The "17-Cents-a-Day" Plan is directly in line with the present-day movement to substitute typewriting for handwriting in business correspondence. Ownership of The Oliver Typewriter is fast becoming one of the essentials of success.

"17 Cents a Day" and the



**The Standard of Visible Writer**

There is no patent on the "17-Cents-a-Day" Purchase Plan.

We invented it and presented it to the public, with our compliments.

"The '17-Cents-a-Day' Plan leaves no excuse for writing in primitive longhand. We have made it so easy to own The Oliver Typewriter that there's no need even to rent one.

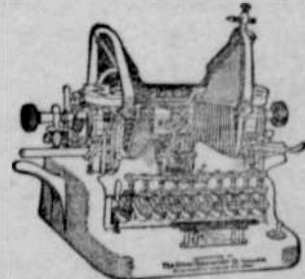
Just say "17 Cents a Day"—save your pennies—and soon the machine is yours!

The Oliver Typewriter is selling by thousands for 17 Cents a Day.

When even the School Children are buying machines on this simple, practical plan, don't you think it is time for you to get an Oliver Typewriter?

**17 Cents a Day Buys Newest Model**  
We sell the new Oliver Typewriter No. 5 for 17 Cents a Day.

We guarantee our No. 5 to be absolutely our best model. The same machine that the great corporations use. Their dollars cannot buy a better machine than you can get for pennies.



The Oliver Typewriter No. 5 has many great conveniences not found on other machines.

We even supply it equipped to write the wonderful new PRINTYPE—for 17 Cents a Day.

### Make the machine Pay Its Cost

The Oliver Typewriter is a money-making machine. It helps "big business" pile up huge profits.

Tens of thousands of people rely on The Oliver Typewriter for their very bread and butter.

A small first payment puts the machine in your possession.

Then you can make it earn the money to meet the little payments.

If you are running a business of your own, use The Oliver Typewriter and make the business grow.

If you want to get a start in business, use The Oliver Typewriter as a battering-ram to force your way in!

The ability to operate The Oliver Typewriter is placing young people in good positions every day.

Get The Oliver Typewriter—on the "17-Cents-a-Day" Plan—it will help you win success.

**Ask About The Easy Way**  
To secure the newest model Oliver Typewriter No. 5. The Art Catalog and full particulars of the "17-Cents-a-Day" Purchase Plan will be sent promptly on request. Address

**THE OLIVER TYPEWRITER COMPANY**

Agencies Everywhere

418 Union Street, Seattle, Washington