

Hood River Glacier

HOOD RIVER, OR., MARCH 15, 1903.
THE MAIL.

The mail arrives from Mt. Hood at 11 o'clock A. M. Wednesday and Saturday, the parts of the mail are at noon.
For Cheesewick, leave at 11 A. M. arrives at P. M. Saturday.
For White Salmon, leaves daily at 8 A. M. arrives at 10 o'clock P. M.
From White Salmon leaves for Polk, Gillmer, Front Lake and Glenwood Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

Yesterday was St. Paddy's day.
T. C. Dallas is moving into his new shop.
E. Edell left Thursday night for Moscow Idaho.
Miss Maud Gilbert is visiting Irma Coe in Portland.
Miss Anna C. Smith, teacher of piano, organ and voice.
Wild flowers are plentiful. "The woods are full of them."
J. E. Hanna has sold three lots in block 3 to S. J. LaFrance.
School commences in this district one week from Monday.
Carload of Roche Harbor lime just received at S. E. Hartness's.
Pans' Easter dyes marbling fluid and calico paper, at the drug store.
County and state taxes will be delinquent April 1st. Don't forget it.
Wallace and Harrison have for sale apples, dried fruit, butter, eggs, bacon, etc.
Hon. W. D. Hare and wife of Hillsboro are stopping at the Langille home.
If you want to do a cash business in buying or selling produce, see Wallace & Harrison.
The Regulator is now making daily trips, connecting with boat on the lower river.
Real estate has made its first move for the spring, several transactions taking place this week.
A company has been formed to construct a telephone line from The Dalles to Dufur and Antelope.
There will be a hop at T. C. Dallas' building Saturday evening March 14th. Every body come.
Eastern Oregon towns are fighting each other for the possession of the branch insane asylum.
W. B. Watson has been a very sick man, but is recovering slowly and is pronounced out of danger.
Herbert Nickelson of Montana was here last week looking after real estate contracts for the coming season.
Mr. J. A. Soobie has purchased a lot in Wauvean from Mrs. Thomas—the lot adjoining his other property there.
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McCoy and son, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to Kenilworth, Washington, Wednesday.
Mr. Hunter and family of Los Angeles, California, have located near Astoria, purchasing the Doby place on Mosier creek.
The spelling schools are no more. They have done much good, and it is to be hoped they will be again brought to the front.
The Methodist services for Sunday, the 15th, will be Sunday school at 9 A. M. in presence of Christian Endeavor society at 10:30 p. m.
The foot ball game has commenced again, the street being used as a ball ground, and in consequence the game is somewhat of a nuisance.
Dr. Brewster has purchased the building corner of Oak and Third, recently erected by Woodard and Langdon, with an eye to a future business location.
School meeting in this district Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the school house. There being important business, every taxpayer should be present.
Grand Chancellor Sharon will visit Wauvean Lodge, K. of P., this evening. All members of the order are requested to be present. Lodge meets at 7:30.
George Prather, road supervisor, gives notice to all whom it may concern, that they are forbidden to remove sand from the road near the Hood River bridge.
One of the most pleasant features of the entertainment Tuesday evening was the song "The Old Sexton," rendered by Mr. S. J. LaFrance, with Miss Ann Smith, at the organ.
Last week, in noting the fact that a little stranger had located with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morton of Tillamook, we made a slight mistake, it being a girl instead of a boy that adopted them.
Gurden Palmer has sold five acres of his White Salmon ranch to C. B. Moore of Portland, and leased the balance of the place to the same gentleman for five years. He will give possession some time in April.
Mr. Coolege, representing the world's fair commission, visited this section Tuesday and purchased some fruit for exhibition. Wallace & Harrison sold him several boxes of the apples that will go to Chicago.
I have purchased the harness stock and tools of M. R. Wilson, and am prepared to furnish anything in the harness line at Portland prices. Repairing of all kinds done on short notice. Shop back of Graham's butcher shop.
E. D. CALKINS.
We have ordered six carloads of fruit boxes of all kinds, and have arranged for keeping a good stock constantly. We also have the agency for the Webb-foot fertilizers. Call and see sample fruit boxes at our new rooms under K. of P. hall. HOOD RIVER FRUIT CO.
The Union Pacific have published a very neat pictorial world's fair folder, containing colored lithograph of the various exhibition buildings, bird's eye view of the grounds, with a complete map of the city, showing location of the fair, hotels, railway depots, street car lines and city parks. Copy of same may be had by addressing W. H. Hurlburt, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

There will be a meeting of Canby post No. 16 G. A. R., Saturday the 25th. As there will be important business every member is requested to be present. Meeting at 8 o'clock.

Enoch Jack Rand had a buckskin purse, Sunday, containing a twenty-dollar gold piece. The purse was found on the railroad track, between town and the pliner. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of the money.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and their two pretty little daughters were here the greater portion of the week, coming on account of the sickness of Mrs. Lewis' father W. B. Watson. They all returned home yesterday, except one of the little girls.
Captain A. B. Blowers has moved his family over from White Salmon and is occupying the Middleton residence. He is purchasing a stock of goods and will open up a store early in April, being located in the Middleton building, corner of Oak and Third streets.
The quail which have been whiffed by Mr. and Mrs. Bealer, have been turned out and seem to be contented and happy in their new home. It will prove a fine thing for all several game birds if they become plentiful here, hence it is to be hoped we will see them in a few days.

Allen Rhodes of Salem, has prepared a display of Oregon game birds that will go to the world's fair. It consists of 17 Oregonian specimens, including cock, hen and 15 chicks, 4 pair for 2 group; 2 pair of Eastern Oregon game chickens; 2 pair dusky grouse; 2 pair ruffed grouse; 4 pair valley quail; 4 pair mountain quail; a group of jack-snipe and some other single specimens.

In accordance with an advertisement of the Columbia Railway & Navigation Company for bids in January, 1903, for competing a standard-gauge first-class railway, 22 miles from Columbus on the Washington side of the river, to Chapman's Point, in the bend of the river below this city. Messrs. Gilman & McKenzie, of Spokane were awarded the contract, and the entire work is to be completed this year.

Balling Association.
Last week we gave space to a notice concerning a building and loan association, from which it might be inferred that we favored that kind of a business investment. While we know nothing of the company in question, we are firmly of the opinion that all such companies are undesirable. In Minnesota they proved to be little else than swindlers, and the things the companies claim to do seem to be a mere sham. In the first place, on account of the money paid in is set apart for expenses. Then the companies after to find this 88 cents on the dollar capital back to the stockholder who has paid it in for 100 per cent interest, and then out of the proceeds to pay from 30 to 40 per cent interest yearly. It is a self-evident proposition that it cannot be done.

Berry Shipments.
The spring opens with every promise of prosperity. That there will be a fine crop of strawberries is reasonably certain, and if the shipments are properly managed, this crop alone should yield not less than \$200,000, and ought, perhaps will, return \$75,000. The prices last year were good generally, but everybody seemed to think Helena, Montana, was the only place where citizens liked strawberries, and enough were sent there at one time to flood the market and place Helena commission merchants in a position to knock the prices down at Helms and surrounding towns by putting Hood River berries from Helms in competition with those shipped direct from here. With a good union, which seems to have been perfected, and with a good reliable commission firm here to manage shipments, this state of affairs should not be allowed to arise again. The small towns along the U. P., clear back to Cheyenne, should be worked for a market and the local trade along the Northern Pacific built up. We venture the assertion that more berries can be sold between here and Montana, at as good prices, than can be sold in Helena and Butte. A crate here, a half dozen there, supplying the local markets, would serve to keep the Montana prices up and double our market. Besides this, it would establish a market that would increase as rapidly as the average and yield here, and do away with the idea that this section is going to glut the markets with strawberries. If, however, the shipments are managed as they were last year, nothing can be predicted as to prices and the market will be confined to narrow bounds instead of being unlimited.

Hercules Done For.
The entertainment given by the "Ancient Order of Hercules," Tuesday, was quite well attended. Owing to lack of stage room and stage settings, it could not be put on as it should, but the boys got through with it creditably. Some of the acting was rare, being undecorated, and some went to the other extreme; but, taken as a whole, for a first appearance of amateurs it was a good average. The most amusing scene of the whole play was the last, where the candidate, having performed the 12th labor of Hercules, brings in Cerberus. This fierce animal was represented by a shaggy mongrel swiped from the Indian camp, that had such a sulphurous smell as to clearly convey the idea as to his Hadesan origin. The young folks were given an opportunity to dance after the entertainment, but, after a number or two, gave it up.

Utilization of Niagara.
It is quite likely that the first large contract the company which is to supply power from Niagara Falls will take for the delivery of power at a distance from its central station will be to light the city of Buffalo. This will require 5,000 horse power. The present value of a horse power generated from steam in Buffalo is \$25 per annum. The company is now willing to contract to furnish on its grounds at Niagara Falls horse power per annum of twenty-four hours days at these rates: For 5,000 horse power, \$10 per horse power; for 4,000, \$10.50; for 3,000, \$11; and so on down to 500 horse power, for which there will be charged \$21 per horse power per annum.
If there be not a very great loss of power in the transmission to Buffalo, it seems very likely that the company will have no difficulty in underbidding any contracts now being given as the motive power for the electric lights, as the loss by transmission is considerably less than 20 per cent. About the use of water power of the great falls in Buffalo within a year or so there can be no doubt. When it shall be brought to New York is another matter, but about that there are not so many elements of uncertainty as to construction as now, for power has already been transmitted electrically a great distance, and that too, with reasonable economy.—Harper's Weekly.

Diligent Experiments.
There is a scientific person in England just at present who apparently spends his whole time in hanging newly born infants to a branch of a tree, or rather it is the infants who hang themselves, in consequence of the scientific person's encouragement and advice. The branch is put in an infant's hands, and is then lifted into the air, when it is found that the infant will retain its hold and remain suspended by its hands for fully two minutes. The object of this performance is to show that men is descended from the monkey. It is the scientific person's opinion that if an infant mediocrity hangs by its hands from a branch of a tree it is because it has inherited a fondness for that athletic feat from its simian ancestors.

Where Land Brings Fabulous Prices.
A specimen of the days of the good Harlan-epoch, located on a parcel of his property, with a lot of New York real estate quotations spread out before him, would be seated with an impulse to write the story of our prosperity in journalistic columns on cloth of gold. And if he should describe Manhattan as an island overlaid with precious metals and precious with diamonds, there would be little fault to find with the description beyond its audacity. In a town district, but a short time ago, land sold for \$20,000 per frontage foot, the entire lot, 30 by 100 feet, bringing \$2,000,000. Up to now, in a choice neighborhood about the same time, \$50,000 was the price paid for a frontage of 20 feet by 100 feet in depth. Thus have the needs of building thousands for sleeping room and shelter transpired the soil beneath the New Yorker's feet in figures because almost too dazzling for belief.—Harper's Weekly.

Fibrelite.
It is reported that the proposed use of fibrelite, as it is termed—made from common flax straw—as a substitute for cotton, is receiving serious consideration. By the process of production the material referred to is reduced to a short staple, very closely resembling cotton or wool, and it is claimed, well adapted for use with either in the manufacture of goods by the machinery now in use, and when so used is said to add materially to the value of the product.
It is the opinion of experts who have investigated the matter that woolen and cotton manufacturers are among those to be especially advantaged by the article, it being adapted readily to their use. The fibrous manufacturers are confined to two processes, differing entirely in that one uses short staples, or cotton, and wool, while the other utilizes long staples, like flax, hemp, silk and jute. Fibrelite, in a word, is flax converted from a long staple to a short one, adapted for use on the present cotton and wool machinery.—Providence Journal.

Fires in English Mansions.
The importance of providing private appliances for the extinction of fires in mansions is gradually becoming recognized by country gentlemen, for although the nearest town may be equipped with powerful engines, the time occupied in sending for these and in their returning is usually so considerable as to render their aid almost useless. Lord Brassey has recently been anxious for the safety of his house at Battle, near Hastings, and after seeking advice from an experienced engineer he has had a reservoir constructed under his lawn holding over 50,000 gallons of water, whence a powerful steam fire engine will draw water and throw it in enormous volumes over the mansion. A private fire brigade is also in course of formation, composed of the gardeners and other workmen on the estate.—London Tit-Bits.

The discovery of immense fields of coal in Washington has already caused an enormous influx of capital into that state and the output next year is expected to be more than 2,000,000 tons.
There is something pitiful about a woman fighting against the ravages of time, the combat is so unequal. Far and away better is it to accept the inevitable.

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