

Hood River Glacier

HOOD RIVER, OR. MARCH 25, 1893.

We see by The Dalles papers that the "Destitute" school is to be opened at that place shortly. In view of the present mixed state of finances, and unsatisfactory tax laws, besides the perennial failure of the "skule" to graduate its pupils, we suggest that the best thing the directors can do is to have a long vacation for a starter. Amateur theatricals whether of the "skule" order or otherwise are about the poorest mental pebbles on earth. Generally the most pleasing feature is the final fall of the curtain, and the consequent glad fire of the outside.

The Dalles Chronicle thinks a fire four stories high would be of great benefit to that city. This may be so, but if there were a hundred hotels The Dalles would not be itself without the old Umatilla. That hotel is now and has been for years a home for the otherwise homeless. It is the gathering place, where all meet, and it is the only place in the city, where a stranger may rest. The Umatilla is the old land mark, the most pleasant hotel in the northwest, and if there were a dozen other new hotels in The Dalles it would continue to be as it has been in the past the favorite of all old timers.

A story is making the tour of our exchanges to the effect that a drummer who had had considerable business with the legal fraternity of Macon, Ga., was on account of a law suit, compelled to remain over Sunday at that place. He with a friend visited the cemetery, and in their wanderings came across a tombstone which bore the following epitaph: "Here lies a lawyer and an honest man." "Jim," said the drummer, turning to his friend, "why do you suppose they buried both those fellows in the same grave?"

Past Grand Master Workman, Hare, and Grand Lecturer, Wetmore, addressed the people of this vicinity at the U. B. church Tuesday evening on the subject of the A. O. U. W., its aims and objects and what it has accomplished. Mr. Wetmore spoke for an hour making the objects of the order plain in a very able address, and was followed by Mr. Hare whose eloquence added force to Mr. Wetmore's statistics. The effect will no doubt be shown in the renewed activity of the local lodge.

The hoop-skirt and cholera are epidemic in Europe, and next summer, will travel hand in hand, as it were, across the Atlantic. Disinfectants and a rigid quarantine may stop the onward march of the cholera, but the hoop-skirt is contagious beyond the hope of control. Its latitudinous ribs and longitudinal strips are to extend the American erudition, but it is evanescent, and will soon pass away. The corset alone can proudly claim that it has come to stay.

It has been reported in The Dalles that we have withdrawn from the race for the registration of the land office at that place. We wish to give this statement an emphatic denial. We propose to stay until the authorities at Washington either appoint us or the other fellow, and then we hope to stay four years longer.

Judge Deady is a very sick man, and there is little hope of his recovery. Indeed it is probable that he will die in the harness as he has not yet taken advantage of the act of congress permitting him to go on the retired list.

If our friends of The Dalles want the branch insane asylum they had better get a lively move on. The enterprising cities of the more eastern portions of the state are making some lively bids.

White Salmon Side.

WHITE SALMON, WASH., March 24. EDITOR GLACIER:

C. A. Marti, who has worked at the Jewett nursery for the past year left for California Tuesday. Thomas Quigley of Glenwood, was the lowest bidder for the completion of the Rankin road and has commenced work on it; it is the intention to have the road completed by May 15. Much credit is due Messrs Egan and Rankin for the energy they have shown in raising funds, and getting volunteer work on the road.

G. A. Thomas is setting up the cigars on the arrival of a daughter at his house.

The many friends of Mrs. E. A. Rich will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from her late illness and will undoubtedly be home again soon. Mrs. C. A. Linnapain, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Blowers, left Thursday for Chenoith.

D. C. Cameron, of Norman, Ontario, visited his brother H. D. Cameron here last week. ATRAS.

No Water.

We are informed by Captain Coe that no water will be furnished this season for irrigating purposes. This may be modified so as to provide for the berry patches and flower beds, but nothing for her than this can be expected. This being the case, it will be necessary for us to provide water, or else our lawns dry up before the middle of the summer.

[Let the Dead Bury their Dead.]

MONROE, Or., March 16, 1893.

Please give space in your columns for the following statement, and confer a great favor on a suffering fellow mortal. Two weeks ago there was published in the Hood River Glacier a part statement that I made to its editor, as an attorney, for the purpose of showing the innocence of Mrs. Howells, and as particulars to present to the court to have our marriage set aside if she desired it. Instead of using it for the latter purpose he published it for the purpose, I suppose, to show what a scoundrel I was, and to make a sensation for his paper.

Now I do not write these lines for an apology or a denial of any wrong or sin that I have committed, whatever the facts are; but that the world may know my purpose and profit by my misfortune and error.

First, my wife did not separate herself from me; it was by mutual consent of us both. Second, they discredited the statement that ever I heard that my first wife had a divorce. I can prove that it was so reported, but still I am to be justly censured and blamed. I know I committed a great wrong, a good mistake, for which I cannot be excused. I confessed—I begged for mercy.

But the world knows no mercy, and because I was a minister of the gospel I must be published. There must be a scandal to feed on. Now I am cast out, ostracised from society, torn from those I love dearer than my life, branded as an imposter, and kicked down, down to hell, while others more fortunate who have positions and money go scott free. Yes, vile as I am in the minds of many, perhaps, I could create a sensation in Hood River in the highest circles, at which mine would pale into a shadow; but I withhold for the sake of the family. I, a poor wretch, must be published, and the papers scattered broadcast over the land. Not content with my death they must mail papers to my family in Nebraska who are innocent and respected. God knows, I ask is this just? Is it human? In God's name is it Christian?

My life is nothing to me now. Impale me alive on the sharp points of public charity, prosecute me—I am ready and willing to suffer, if it be possible that I could suffer more than I do now. God knows my cup is full. I stand ready to be stoned to death by those who are without sin. Come on and strike me down. When my character is gone; when I can no longer be respected by man I pray for death. The world can take all earthly hope from me; but my soul they cannot touch. I am now an old man and only ask for human rights. No one need fear that I will take again to the ministry I'll beg first. What time I have on earth if permitted, will be trying to atone as far as possible for the mistake of my life. I have tried to be honest, but my life was not right before God. Some times I have failed to meet my obligations. I know I shall be harshly judged, and bow to the inevitable. I know that each one will have enough to be forgiven of God for. But ere I close this paper let me ask for forgiveness of all to whom I preached. I know I labored for the highest good of friend and foe.

But above all let me speak of her who has suffered more than tongue can tell, my dear wife, whom I love as ardently as any man can love his wife. Yes she is my wife still in the sight of God. She, pure, good and true, would to God I had died for them—my wife and dear baby. Oh that I had died from my mother's womb. God pity and shield them. But there are others who must suffer who are equally innocent. Oh how I regret my carelessness and folly. But the cause of Christ must not suffer very much, for Christianity is not to blame for human weakness. Clemency is all I ask.

E. D. HOWELL.

We had hoped that it would not be necessary for us to make further mention of the miserable old self-confessed fraud who penned the above article. In the first place, the old sinner, true to his instincts, tells a lie in the second sentence he writes, followed by another in the third, and so continues to the end. Howells came to the writer of this article for legal advice about the 29th of January, and gave us what purported to be a statement of the facts. At the same time he told—in strict confidence—to a dozen others another story concerning the whole affair, and it thus became public property. The G. A. R. held an Inquest on him, the W. R. C. ditto, and the matter was common talk before we published it March 4th, nearly six weeks after we were informed of it. So much for that. The sneaking disposition of the old hypocrite is exhibited in the attempt he makes to shield himself by saying that the separation was by mutual consent. He claims credit for this. The fact is his bigamistic venture became known through an old acquaintance in Fernvale. His fellow ministers knew it and told him he must at once cease to live with his second wife, and yet he continued to do so until the 19th day of January, when further concealment became impossible, he suddenly became virtuous. The polygamous old corker claims to have believed his first wife was divorced from him, and yet he was married in less than nine months

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The breeding of live stock is of late years coming to be an industry that is based on considerations and calculations of mathematics and facts. In feeding horse stock also breeders that by their breeding and discipline have gone far toward abolishing the work down to the two-minute match are the ones that are putting the prize money into their pockets. No stallion ever put any number of progenies into the 120 list without having something to show for it. Breeders of cattle and who are also another hobby other than that of meat have found what they want in what are known as the special dairy breeds and the mountain breeds. Because of a long time of breeding in that particular direction the most likely that has been bred right off on the one hand we have the little Jersey whose digestive and assimilation apparatus are well adapted to the digestion of the milk pail, while on the other is the Ayrshire with its wonderful fleece of fine quality and density. The man who is breeding for beef or pork can make his selections from among the early maturing breeds that come to their maturity more slowly, and make the heavier carcasses for special markets. All the best bred do now is to try out his work before he does, and then secure the right instruments. Then he can cut time to the bone. Economy in the laying out of the work and skill in the use of the tools will come with a little time and experience. —Nelson's Farmer.

Valley Notes.

EAST HOOD RIVER, Mar. 22.
The Climax literary society will hold circuit court next Friday, the 24th. Three of the number will be tried for bribery. R. A. Copley will act as prosecuting attorney, with Ed Hawks for the defendant and J. H. Frary for Judge.

Miss Mabel Halstead has returned and resumed her duties teaching school in District 5.

Miss Pina Shelley is at The Dalles, keeping house for her father.

John Leuz is setting out 1200 fruit trees on Willow Flat for Mr. Mulholland.

Mr. Frank Boswell returned from Kingsley last Monday, better satisfied than ever with Hood River.

Mr. Simpson Copley has gone to Portland to have his eyes treated.

Hood River against the world for big red apples and pretty girls, but the East Side against five states and three territories for noise. Such is the idea a person would naturally get by visiting the Climax literary society some evening. They claim to govern themselves according to Cushing's Manual, but from the general appearance of things last Friday evening it looked very much like Queensbury rules. Yes! we were in Ireland, debating intoxicating drinks against war, celebrating St. Patrick's day according to Hoyle.

"EXHAUSTED."

YOUNG GENERAL

ROCHAMBEAU

Is a double eyed, 15 1/2 hands high, weighs 1200 pounds, three years old, 3 years old on May 26, 1893, is free from all diseases and kind, a good trotter, and is owned by JOHN SWEENEY, OF HOOD RIVER, OR.
Mr. Sweeney will attend at the following places during the present season: At Mr. Joe Fisher's, Monday and Tuesday of each week, at Mosier, Friday and Saturday of each week. Terms: For single service, payable in cash \$200. By the season, payable in cash of same amount. In case of failure, service the following season gratis.

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Land Office at Vancouver wash., March 10, 1893.
To Columbus Jewett and all whom it may concern.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Vancouver wash., on May 25 1893, viz:
Slickon Johnson,
Widow of Sappantanteh Johnson, deceased.
H. E. No. 537 for the s 2 1/2 sec 12 T 2 N R 12 E W. 2.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Isabel Morgan, Frank Joseph Morgan, He Joe Tolson, John Stontie (Indian) all of White Salmon Kleckit Co., Washington.
mch2529 JOHN D. GREGGEGAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles Or., March 13, 1893.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver U. S. L. O. at The Dalles Or., on May 6, 1893, viz:
Leander Evans.
Homestead Application No. 572 for the s 1/2 sec 2 1/2 T 3 N R 12 E W. 2.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Amos Root, James Elliott, William Johnson, all of Mosier Co., H. McNeill, of The Dalles Oregon.
mch13p12 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

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