Hood River Glacier.

HOOD RIVER, OR. DEC 9, 1893.

THE MAILS.

The mail arrives from Mt. Hood at 11 o'clock A. M. Write-days and Saturdays; departs "as soon after as mail."

For Cloverdale, leaves at 8 A. M., arrives at P. M. Saturdays.

For White Salmon leaves daily at 8 A. M., arrives at the office P. M.

From White Salmon leaves for Folda, Gilman, Trout Lake and Glenwood Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

For sale at Mrs. Hunt's, at a bargain, a fine seulett check.

Timothy, red clover and alfalfa seed at Rand, Dent & Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wiley were up from the Locks last week.

We understand D company will give a ball at the armory New Years night.

S. E. Battiness will sell for cash only and at a reduction of from 5 to 10 per cent.

Rev. Le Roy will lecture at the U. B. church, Monday night on Odd Fellowship.

Santa Claus arrived here Monday and has selected M. H. Nickelsen's store for his headquarters.

We are not selling out, but will not be undersold by any house in the state.
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La-grippe is prevalent and among others whom it has its grip on is our friend S. F. Blythe.

T. J. Watson who had been here for several days was called home Tuesday on account of the sickness of his children.

Best S. P. lard or bacon selling at fifteen cents per pound, and pure kettle rendered lard at same price at A. S. Blowers & Co.

Rev. A. Le Roy, D. D., will preach at the U. B. church, Sunday evening. His subject will be the origin of the Kingdom.

The suit between the Hood River Water Co. and W. B. Winans is now fully settled, the money being paid over this week.

We have this day closed our credit books, and all persons owing the firm will call and settle, and save costs.
RAND DENT & Co.

A sidewalk down Oak street on the south side has been suggested. We are ready to put down our portion of it when the others are.

The Steamer Regulator is making tri-weekly trips now, going down Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays and back on alternate days.

Just received another full line of Bradley & Metcalf boots and shoes which we are selling at prices to suit the times. A. S. Blowers & Co.

Our "Whole Wheat Graham" is for sale at Crowell's store. We guarantee every sack to be made of clean No. 1 wheat. HARRISON BROS.

The Juvenile branch I. O. G. T. will give an entertainment and supper at Belmont church evening Dec 22nd, at 7:30. Everybody invited. Tickets 25 cents.

A warm chinook wind has prevailed for several days, making the air as balmy as spring. Grass is in fine condition, and the gay flowers yet brighten the lawns.

It is reported that Mr. Kendrick formerly section foreman here, was killed last week near LaGrande, but we have been unable to find any foundation for the rumor.

Mrs M. E. Loy who went east for the benefit of her health two months ago, is so much improved, that she is on her way home and was expected here this morning.

Insecticides for fruit pests and etc.; London Purple, Paris Green, L. N. L., Whale oil soap, powered hellebore, Persian insect powder etc., at the Hood River Pharmacy.

The local passenger put on Monday is of great convenience, and is well patronized. It passes here going east, at 11:45, west at 3:15. Make a note of the fact that it will not run Sundays.

Mr. L. H. Adams having accepted the position of manager of the Baggage and Transfer Co., of Portland, returned to that place last week, and was joined Sunday by Mrs. Adams.

We will sell at cost until further notice, our Dress-goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Ladies and Gents Underderwear, Ladies Hoods, Fascinators and Blankets. RAND DENT & Co.

A sewer has been put in across Oak street on Fourth, for the purpose of carrying the surface water off without making a bad gully. The same thing should be done both on Second and Third streets.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lindsay, which was to have taken place Sunday, was put off until Monday, on account of Mr. Lindsay who was on his way from Nebraska being caught in a delayed train.

The school in the primary department, this district closed last Friday, and Professor Gilbert completed his term yesterday. Mr. Gilbert will continue the school on the subscription plan, charging $2 per month for each pupil.

Mrs. Heald gave a piano recital to her pupils and friends Saturday afternoon. All those who attended were to be envied the musical treat, though none of them have expressed their delight because none of them can coin new language, and the present words are too weak.

Letter List.

The following letters remained in the Hood River post office uncalled for L. R. Evans, 1, John Stead 1.

L. E. MORSE, P. M.

Piano Recital.

Following is the programme of the piano recital to be given under the auspices of the church of the United Brethren, Hood River, Oregon. W. H. Greene, pianist, assisted by the Misses Cleaver, Blowers and Foss, and Messrs. Bartmess, McGuire and Nickelsen:

1. Hungarian rhapsodie, No. 2.... Franz Liszt
2. Duett, "Make me no Gaudy Chaplet," ..... Lucretia Borgia
3. "Ever Bell," variati on an old ballad, ... W. V. Wallace
4. Song, baritone solo, "Anchored," ..Watson
5. (a) "Miserere," from Il Travatore..... De Le Tremolo ..... Gottschalk
6. Song, tenor solo, "I Dreamt I Dwelt," ..... Bohemian Girl
7. Medley, "Old Scotch and American songs" ..... Selection for Piano
8. Clarionet solo, Cavatina, Il Travatore, ... Verdi
9. Song, "Not for gold nor precious stones," ..... Hauser
10. (a) Chaser's Hornpipe. (b) Sweet Home." ..... Greene

The Dancing Club.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen met at K. of P. hall Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing a dancing and whist club. The organization was perfected, and arrangements made for the first dance which will be given next Wednesday evening, but as we go to press the committee had not yet fixed upon a hall. A committee of three was appointed to draft by-laws which will be submitted at the dance Wednesday evening, and those who have not already joined will be given an opportunity to do so. It was expected that the club would not consist of more than 20 members, but more than that number have already put their names to the roll, and it is probable the membership will be nearly double that number. The Heliotrope club is an all around success and a series of delightful meetings during the winter, is certainty.

The Public School.

Professor C. L. Gilbert closed a successful term of school yesterday. The funds of the district are exhausted, owing to the condition the new school laws, passed last year left the country districts in. Mr. Gilbert has secured the use of the school room and will conduct a subscription school the balance of the winter, or until the directors can make some arrangement for again opening it. Mr. Gilbert is an exceptionally good teacher and under him the pupils have shown marked and rapid advancement. We believe that a tuitionless school is an absolute necessity, and we believe that the directors will act wisely in keeping him in charge as long as possible.

K. of P. Election.

Wauconma Lodge No. 59 K. of P., has elected the following officers, for the term commencing January 1st 1894: C. C., J. R. Nickelsen, V. C., J. J. Luckey, M. of W., G. S. Evans, P., John Buck, M. of F., George Prather, M. of E., C. L. Gilbert, K. of R. & S., Axtel Rahm, M. of A., J. H. Gerdes.

School Matters.

We are informed by Judge Henry chairman of the board of school directors, that a meeting of the taxpayers of this district will be held about the 27th of January next, for the purpose of voting a tax. The meeting cannot be held before that time, as the state board of equalization will not be through, and consequently, the valuation of property in the district cannot be obtained.

G. A. R. Attention!

There will be a meeting of Canby Post No. 16, on Saturday Dec. 16th at 2 o'clock p. m. for the election of officers, and inspection, and the transaction of such other business as may come before it. By order of,

L. HENRY,
Commander.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter Chapped Hand, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Hood River Pharmacy.

DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due us will be paid to J. H. Cradlebaugh, and all accounts against us will be presented to him.

J. W. WALLACE.
J. W. CURTEMAN.

BORN.

At The Dalles, Sunday Dec. 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. George Herbert, a son.

DIED.

In Hood River, Saturday morning Dec 9th at 3:30, Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hartley, aged about 2 years.

NOTICE.

If the party who stole two cuff buttons (through haste or inadvertance, not mates) from my room will return either button, the remaining odd one of the set will be cheerfully presented to him, and no questions will be asked, nor will any reflections either then or thereafter be made, either personally or in the way of gossip upon his moral or religious standing.

GEO. C. JONES, JR.

DURABILITY OF LUMBER.

The Wearing Value of Different Woods Used for Building Purposes.

Many persons are familiar only with the growth of building lumber around them; hence they are often deceived. Yellow or southern pine is very desirable. All are so familiar with it as with cedar; but, says an Illinois farmer in a communication to Rural New Yorker, it has a perfect facsimile in spruce and tamarack, both very perishable woods when exposed to the weather. They can be used to advantage only for inside work, such as flooring.

Most prairie people are not familiar with hemlock as a fencing or building lumber, but they know the durability of black walnut and poplar. While the eastern man might not know how to estimate the western product, so the western man buys his eastern spruce, tamarack and hemlock lumber and finds, to his sorrow, that all are very perishable, even if well painted. I find that lumber will last twice as long when weatherboarded straight up and down as when boarded sideways to the weather.

A great deal of sweet gum weatherboarding comes here, as do many California redwood shingles, both strange to me as regards durability. Farmers should know of the wearing values of the lumber they use. Roofs and porch floors are invariably laid with spruce or tamarack in this section, while the builder has paid a top price for yellow pine; hence the sills rot out in three years owing to the defective covers.

The wearing value of weatherboarding is in the order named here: Yellow poplar, black walnut, white pine, sweet gum, hemlock, spruce, tamarack. Hundreds of buildings here are forty to fifty years old. These were weatherboarded with Indiana yellow poplar and never painted, but they are still in a good state of preservation. The days of black walnut shingles and weather boarding are past, but lots of old pioneer buildings of this material are yet in fine condition. This wood with age takes on a moss of an iron rust color. The wearing value of fencepost timber in this section is about as follows: Red cedar, mulberry, osage orange, white cedar, black locust, white oak, jack oak, black walnut, ash, hackberry.

Pump for a Well.

The kind of pump and the power to drive it will depend largely on the quantity of water to be raised. For a moderate amount, or only a few hogsheads a day, Country Gentleman says:

The best form of chain pump with rubber buckets to be worked by hand will answer a good purpose. After trying different kinds we find it both cheap and efficient. When the well is nearly full of water and the height to be raised is not great a man will pump a barrel in a minute, but when the water is low in the well more force is required. The common pump worked with a lever handle is much less efficient. On the other hand, a larger quantity may be raised with a windmill, provided the locality favors a steady and reliable breeze and you know of a good manufactured one (out of the many in market) which has been used some years without getting out of order. Or you may drive a large pump with horses by the use of a tread power, or a steam engine may be employed. The choice from these different ones may depend on needed quantity, on your facilities at hand and on your opportunities for procuring the best appliances.

Agricultural Colleges and Stations.

At the annual meeting of the Association of American Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations at New Orleans much time was occupied with considering the collective exhibit to be made in the Agricultural building at Chicago by the colleges and stations. Satisfactory progress in the work of preparation was reported, and it is expected that this will prove one of the most interesting features of the agricultural exhibit. It will represent, among other things, the entire work of a progressive experiment station. This exhibit is under the direction of standing committees of which Director Arnsby and H. E. Alvord are chairmen.

It was voted by the association that a bust of Senator Morrill should be placed in the library of every land grant college of the country. The seventh and next convention of the association will probably be held at Chicago in October, 1893. At the last convention W. A. Henry, director of the Wisconsin experiment station, was elected president of the association. M. A. Savoell, director of the Kentucky station, was elected secretary and treasurer.

Cut Leaved Trees.

In selecting trees for one's grounds a variety in effect can be gained by the introduction of trees with gracefully cut leaves, such as the cut leaved alders and birches, for instance. The cut leaved birch standing out by itself on the lawn is decidedly effective. It is a very graceful tree and suited to either small or large lawns. There are also several desirable varieties among the cut leaved oaks.

On the Country Road.

Prune the orchard any time when the leaves are off. It may be plowed at such time without injury.

When the clover is all fed out there is nothing better to follow it. Prepare to raise more of it next year.

Expenses for wagon repairs will be less if made before absolutely necessary. Besides avoiding accidents the rolling stock of the farm will thus last longer also.

Have you any young and thrifty apple trees that are not of such varieties as you would now select? Then mark them for grafting next April to a profitable sort.

Do not be afraid of dissolved South Carolina rock if bought from a reliable dealer. It acts more quickly than ground raw bone. The phosphoric acid in it is just as valuable as the phosphoric acid in boneblack or in raw bone.—The Philadelphia Farm Journal.

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T. C. Dallas has just received a fine stock of cook stoves, ranges and kitchen furniture. Call and see them.

Giant powder, fuse and caps at T. C. Dallas.

We have several farms and small tracts for sale. Call and get prices.

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C. J. HAYES.
Dated Hood River April 6th, 1891.
A. S. BLOWERS. W. M. YATES.

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The Scottish Chiefs. By Miss Jane Porter.
The Sealed Packet. By T. Adolphus Trollope.
Second Thoughts. By Rhoda Broughton.
Self Sacrifice. By Mrs. Oliphant.
The Sketchbook. By Washington Irving.
Silence of Dean Maitland. By Maxwell Gray.
Son of Porthos. By Alexander Dumas.
St. Katherine's by the Tower. By W. Besant.
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This Wicked World. By Mrs. N. L. Cameron.
The Three Guardsmen. By Alexander Dumas.
Tom Brown at Oxford. By Thomas Hughes.
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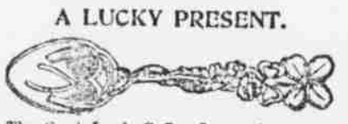

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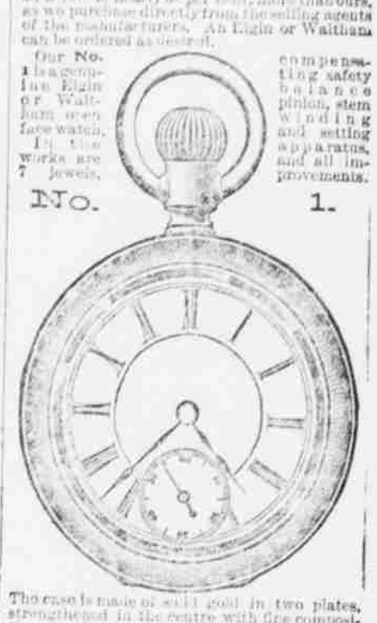

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