

Hood River Glacier.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1896.

It is a settled fact that the Valley Improvement Co.'s ditch will not be built in time to be of service for irrigation the coming summer, but if work is commenced in earnest by July 1st, the water will be available for next season's strawberry crop. Those who have set strawberry plants expecting to have the water for irrigation this spring should not be discouraged and fall to cultivate their plants. By proper care they can be taken through the dry season on most any kind of soil. And where planted on land that will grow good potatoes or corn without irrigation, there will be no trouble in taking the plants through the dry spell. In fact, strawberries on the land that will grow good potatoes without irrigation don't need any water to make them a profitable crop in this valley. We know some of our readers will be ready to dispute this assertion, but we have proved it to our own satisfaction. During the past three years we have had about one-quarter of an acre in strawberries that never had any irrigation, and they seem to do about as well as the plants of neighbors who irrigate. Our plants have never been hoed, not even the tops nor runners cut off after the crop, until the next spring, for the past two years. They have been neglected about as badly as they could be, except they receive a couple of good hoeings in the spring, and maybe are cultivated by horse cultivator once. We do not advise this kind of treatment by growers who are in the business for profit, but we believe the strawberry plant will stand about as much neglect as any crop raised here and still be profitable. From that quarter of an acre of neglected strawberry plants was sold last year \$40 worth of berries. We don't know of any other crop that could have been grown on the same land with as much profit. We derived more income last year from that quarter of an acre, outside of products consumed by the family, than from all the rest of the farm. If any of our friends doubt this statement, we hereby invite them to come and see us in the strawberry season, and we will treat them to strawberries and cream and show them as fine berries as are grown, unless fertilized with something besides water.

The Alaska trade is calling for Hood River apples. A commission house in Seattle last week telegraphed W. J. Baker offering \$1.75 a box for a carload of his Newtown pippins for shipment by steamer to Alaska. Mr. Baker replied that his price was \$2 a box delivered at the station in Hood River. The price offered by the commission house is a pretty fair price for a carload, but Mr. Baker is getting \$2 a box for his apples and can get that price for every box he can furnish this spring. Mr. Henry Prigge continues to get \$2 and \$2.25 for his Spitzenbergs at Seattle, and these prices are probably influenced by the rush to the mines and the demand for apples of the best quality by the fortunate miners. The numerous steamers now in the Alaska trade are crowded on every trip up the coast with passengers for the mines. The Alaska trade will call for the best of all kinds of produce, and Hood River will find a good market there for our apples.

The Southern portion of California is engaged now and will be until June 1st in picking, packing and shipping its orange crop. The yield of the golden fruit is estimated at 2,800,000 boxes, about two-thirds of a full yield. The cash yield from this crop will reach \$5,000,000. The orange industry in Southern California is but fifteen years old and a capital of \$3,000,000 has been invested in it. There are now 10,000 acres in fruit-bearing groves, and 80,000 more acres are planted with young trees.

The Anneke Jans heirs, claiming property worth millions now in possession of Trinity church, held a convention in New York city, held a convention in Cleveland the other day. It was stated by the secretary that the heirs not only claim 192 acres in the heart of New York city, valued at \$800,000,000, but also \$80,000,000 in Holland. The claimants, 1,310 in number, represent nearly every state in the Union and the Canadian provinces. Mr. E. W. Winans of Hood River is one of the claimants.

Secretary Carlisle, in a recent letter to Representative Patterson of Tennessee, says: "In response to your verbal inquiry concerning the coinage of standard silver dollars during the present administration, you are advised that it amounts to \$6,662,000 up to the 15th day of this month, while the amount of such dollars coined in this country from the establishment of the mint, in 1792, up to February, 1878, a period of 86 years, was \$8,000,000.

In Union county the populists resolved that they are unalterably opposed to the use of liquor and cigars by the candidates in the campaign for electioneering purposes.

As everything points to the nomination of McKinley for president on the republican ticket, it would seem nat-

ural that his friends should look out for candidates for congress who are and will be in full accord with their chief on all questions. Such a candidate is found in the person of Mr. John Michell of The Dalles. We are glad to see that his old friends of the press throughout Oregon and Washington have given him many complimentary notices since his name was first suggested for the nomination by the GLACIER. The latest mention of his name in this connection we find in the Klickitat Republican, as follows: "Hon. John Michell of The Dalles for congress this year. There is not another man in the whole West so well informed of the real geography of the state of Oregon, also of the actual needs of the people. Another thing, Mr. Michell is a sound money man and solid for protection."

A Story of Lincoln.
Mr. Geo. Crowell, the well-known merchant of Hood River, told a war story in our presence Wednesday that we think worth repeating.

Mr. Crowell was a member of the Eighth New Jersey regiment during the war. While his regiment was stationed at Alexandria, Va., near Washington City, in 1861, President Lincoln drove out to the camp in his carriage. Mr. Crowell was on guard that day, but was off duty when the president drove up and happened to be standing near where the carriage stopped. The president addressed him, saying, "Young man, can you tell me if your colonel is in camp?" Before he could make reply a lieutenant pompously stepped in front of Mr. Crowell, saluted and said: "Mr. President, this man is only a private! What can I do for you?" Mr. Lincoln paid no attention to the lieutenant, never answering him, but told his driver to drive on. In the meantime Mr. Crowell had started to walk away, and the president's carriage soon overtook him. Mr. Lincoln renewed the conversation by asking him, "How do you like soldiering by this time?" Mr. Crowell answered, "Well I don't hardly know. We have never been in a battle yet." Mr. Lincoln replied that he thought he would have plenty of chances yet to see a battle. Just then the colonel of the regiment, who had been apprised of Mr. Lincoln's presence in camp, came up and was introduced by Mr. Crowell.

Cascade Gushers.
The literary society at the Barrett school house still continues to draw a full house every Saturday evening. Their literary programme is always good. Mr. Fred Bailey's songs are always greeted with a rousing encore. "The Cascade Gushings and Irrigating Monitor" was as usual brim full of jokes on everybody in the neighborhood Saturday night. The jokes invariably bring out prolonged applause. Last Saturday evening the young people of the society debated the question, "Resolved, That steamboats are of greater benefit to commerce than railways." Mr. Louis Isenberg led the affirmative and George Wilson the negative. The question was ably handled by the boys on both sides. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative by a vote of two to one. Mr. George Stranahan is now president of the society and Roy Shoemaker secretary.

Political Events.
National populist convention, St. Louis, July 22d.
State populist convention meets in Salem, March 26th.

Democratic national convention meets in Chicago, July 7th.
Republican state convention meets in Portland, April 9th.
State prohibition convention meets in Salem, March 28th.
Democratic state convention meets at Portland, April 9th.

Republican national convention, St. Louis, June 16th.
First congressional district republican convention, Albany, April 7th.
Second congressional district republican convention, Portland, April 8th.
Wasco county republican convention meets at The Dalles, March 28th.
Wasco county democratic convention meets at The Dalles April 7th.

The Pupils' Journal.
Hon. T. R. Coon showed us during the week two copies of the Pupils' Journal, published by the pupils of East Portland schools in 1879, while Mr. Coon was principal. The paper had a new editor every month. It was neatly written by an electric pen and was quite original. We copy the following composition "written by a nine-year-old while being detained after school one evening": "Behaver—Behaver is the best thing any scollar can do while durenng school ours and Disbeaver is the baddest thing any scollar can do while school ours the teacher has taken many names today and the ones that is cept in ought to be shamed of himself I am anyhow I have nothing to say any more."

Marvelous Results.
From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at the Hood River Pharmacy; regular size 50c and \$1.

Dangers of Early Rising.

Medical experts are coming forward to testify that early rising is responsible for the rapid increase in the lunatic asylum population. For this potent argument against Ben Franklin's mistake the optimistic public will be inclined to give the alienists unstinted applause.

The fact that insane asylums are largely filled by farmers' wives has long been explained on the theory that ceaseless routine has a tendency to throw the mind off its mental balance. According to Dr. Talcott of New York the routine life aggravates but is not the direct cause of the mental disease. He cites statistics to prove that early rising is responsible. His views are shared by other alienists as distinguished by himself.

Early to rise and early to bed is sure indication of wheels in the head, say the modern alienists. Optimism cannot flourish as long as we are compelled to go to bed before we are sleepy and rise just when Morpheus is most ardently wooing us. Philanthropy requires that Dr. Talcott's name be handed down to posterity.—St. Louis Republic.

A Sorrowful Story.

Young Chierof, a Umatilla Indian, writes to the East Oregonian as follows:
I have a very sorrowful story to tell. Two years ago I had no trouble. Indians never got drunk. But ever since you white people told the Indians that they were citizens they began to drink. Since that time ten have been killed or frozen to death under the influence of liquor. I believe it is all the white man's fault. I think since we become citizens we will drink ourselves to death. In about two years there won't be any left. Then you white men will get hold of our lands.

To Open the Columbia.

Articles incorporating the Columbia Portage and Transportation company have been filed with the secretary of state. The incorporators are William J. Mariner, J. A. Smith, W. W. Steiwer, W. P. Gray, R. V. Egbert and C. A. Shurt. The capital stock of the company is \$250,000, divided into shares of \$10 each, and the principal place of business is The Dalles. The formation of this company has been contemplated for some time, and the incorporators have fully considered the practicability of the move, with the result that they have determined to proceed with an effort to open the Columbia by the Cello obstruction.—More Observer.

Not to Be Trifled With.

From Cincinnati Gazette.
Will people never learn that a "cold" is an accident to be dreaded, and that when it occurs treatment should be promptly applied? There is no knowing where the trouble will end; and while complete recovery is the rule, the exceptions are thousands of fatal illness occur every year ushered in by a little invidious exposure and seemingly trifling symptoms. Beyond this, there are today countless invalids who can trace their complaints to "colds," which at the time of occurrence gave no concern, and were therefore neglected.—When troubled with a cold use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is prompt and effectual. 50 cent bottles for sale by William & Brosius.

The question of perpetual motion has been solved. A populist genius figured it out, thusly: Rags make paper. Paper makes money. Money makes banks. Banks make loans. Loans make poverty. Poverty makes rags. Rags make—well, you stop here and commence over again and keep on going until the cows come home.

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NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, March 17, 1896.—Complaint having been entered at this office by John W. Davis against Ralph T. Morton for abandonment of Homestead Entry No. 452, dated October 4, 1892, upon the north 1/4, northeast 1/4 and east 1/4 northwest 1/4 section 12, township 11 north, range 11 east, in Wasco county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 27th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.
JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., March 12, 1896.—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 W. R. Dunbar, Commissioner United States Circuit Court for District of Washington, at Goldendale, Wash., on May 6, 1896, viz:

DANIEL N. KAEGI,
H. E. No. 721, for the southeast 1/4 section 9, township 6 north, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Peter Schmidt, Charl A. Pearson, Severin Benz and Charles J. Peterson, all of Trout Lake, P. O., Washington.

Also,
CHARL A. PEARSON,
H. E. No. 755, for the northwest 1/4 section 23, township 6 north, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Severin Benz, Daniel N. Kaegi, Peter Schmidt and August Wagnitz, all of Trout Lake P. O., Washington.

Also,
PETER SCHMID,
H. E. No. 778, for the west 1/2 of southwest 1/4 section 15, township 6 north, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Daniel N. Kaegi, Severin Benz, Charles J. Peterson and Charl A. Pearson, all of Trout Lake, P. O., Washington.

Also,
SEVERIN BENZ,
H. E. No. 810, for the southeast 1/4 of southeast 1/4 section 2, and east 1/2 of northeast 1/4 and northwest 1/4 of northeast 1/4 section 35, township 6 north, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Charl A. Pearson, Daniel N. Kaegi, Peter Schmidt and Charles J. Peterson, all of Trout Lake, P. O., Washington.

Also,
GEO. H. STEVENSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, March 5, 1896.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on April 20, 1896, viz:

ELIZABETH B. BUTTON,
(formerly Eliza B. Bachus), H. E. No. 3419, for the southwest 1/4 section 4, township 2 north, range 11 east, W. M.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Frank Lapier, James Lewis and J. J. Lynch of Mosier, Oregon, and Geo. H. Moore of Hood River, Oregon.
JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

(Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Vancouver, Wash., March 5, 1896.—Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public lands by act of August 4, 1892, Samuel W. Tippetts, of Chenoweth, county, Skamania, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1812 for the purchase of the southeast 1/4, southeast 1/4, and southwest 1/4 of section 12, township No. 3 north, range 9 east, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Vancouver, Wash., on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, 1896.

He names as witnesses: Nels Nelson, Samuel H. Leedes, William Ingles and Fred M. Broadbent, all of Chenoweth, Skamania, county, Wash.

And any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23rd day of May, 1896.
mar19m15 GEO. H. STEVENSON, Register.

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Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., March 3, 1896.—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 C. G. Green, Clerk of the Superior Court of Skamania county, Washington, at Stevenson, Washington, on April 21, 1896, viz:

HORACE WITHERWAX,
Hd. 7893, for the south 1/2 northwest 1/4 southwest 1/4 section 11, township 3 north, range 9 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
William Kennedy, Charles Myers, George M. Berry and George W. Fisher, all of Chenoweth, Wash.
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GEORGE M. BERRY,
Hd. 7890, for the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 10, and northwest 1/4 southwest 1/4 and southwest 1/4 northwest 1/4 section 11, township 3 north, range 9 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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WILLIAM KENNEDY,
Hd. 7884, for the south 1/2 southwest 1/4, northeast 1/4 southwest 1/4, and southwest 1/4 southwest 1/4 section 11, township 3 north, range 9 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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JAMES ELLARD,
H. E. No. 8228, for the southeast 1/4 of northeast 1/4 section 22, and north 1/2 of northwest 1/4 and southwest 1/4 of northeast 1/4 section 23, township 11 north, range 12 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Joseph Dutton, Robert Snider, Fred Smith, James Pitts, all of Lyle P. O., Washington.
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