

# Hood River Glacier.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1896.

It is well known that there is wide diversity in both theory and practice among the strawberry growers of the valley. With the object in view of attaining more uniformity along the best lines, the GLACIER requests each strawberry grower who ships from this point to send to this office a written communication detailing the methods he has adopted for producing the berries. Following is a partial list of topics that might be touched upon: Selection and preparation of ground; time for planting; selection of plants; distance apart each way; method of setting; cultivation, first year and succeeding years; time and methods of irrigation; how should runners be removed? and how many crops are profitable from the same plants? Give full explanations and reasons for your methods. We urge a prompt reply from all and promise that when they are received and published, a valuable fund of information will be presented to our readers.

The last June election cost Multnomah county \$9,000, and the taxpayers are considering it an expensive luxury that should be done away with. An amendment to the constitution changing the date to November was voted on by the people of the state about a dozen years ago, but was defeated for the reason it was thought it would give more room for fraud in Portland, where corruption of voters and fraudulent elections are hinted at even nowadays. The official ballot under the Australian law is lengthy enough now. When the voting machine is adopted it will be time enough to change the date of our elections and hold them all on one day.

**Flattering Prospects.**  
Mr. Amos Underwood of Underwood's Landing was in town yesterday morning. He reports that Jeff Locke returned from the McCoy creek mines Wednesday, bringing back Mr. Underwood's horses, which had taken the party consisting of Bert Langille, Jeff Locke, Bruce Locke and Sterling Dark out to the mines last week. Jeff Locke was detained by heavy rains in the mountains and had to lay over two days. He says the miners are at work getting out lumber by splitting cedar logs and planing them for sluice boxes and flumes. J. A. Langille has been at work on his claim for a couple of months, getting ready for active work when the high water in the creek goes down. In building his flume, Mr. Langille found it necessary to dig away a small point of bluff. The dirt that was removed in lowering this point he put into his sluices and was two days in washing it and cleaning up, and he panned out seven dollars of nice coarse gold, the same as the samples that were brought in by the prospectors who discovered the diggings. Old miners in the party laughed at Langille for washing out the dirt from this point and said that no one but a tenderfoot would think of it. But Jim is working his claim for all there is in it, and if the dirt up among the grass roots at the top of the bluff will pay \$3.50 a day, what will his work be worth when he gets to panning out from bed rock at the bottom of the gulch? The miners have been prospecting the creek above and have found good prospects for seven or eight miles above where the Mazama company have located.

**Sheepmen Arrested.**  
Sheriff Driver and Deputy United States Marshal Humphrey arrested Messrs. Phil Biogan, James Stewart, Frank Gable, A. Roberts and D. H. Roberts, at The Dalles and took them to Portland Monday. They were arrested as the owners of bands of sheep which are being pastured on the Cascade mountains, and it is alleged, within the limits of the forest reserves. As they are all responsible men, they were allowed to depart, on giving bonds in \$300 each for their appearance to answer to the charge. In the case of the Tygh Valley Land & Livestock Co., against whom complaint of trespass is made and an injunction asked, an appearance for J. H. Shearer was made by attorney, and the matter set for hearing on Friday. The men arrested are much incensed, and claim that Portland capitalists are endeavoring to ruin them. If they cannot pasture their sheep on public lands they say they will have to go out of the sheep business. Deputy United States Marshal Humphrey left for Cloud Cap Inn, with a number of warrants for the arrest of persons who, it is claimed, are trespassing on public lands with bands of sheep to that vicinity, and who, it is claimed, have in some cases set out fires. It is evident that the department at Washington is in earnest in regard to protecting the reserves. The fact that the forestry commission, which has been inspecting other forest reserves, is to be here in a short time to look over the Cascade reserve, may have something to do with the matter.

**Old "Black."**  
The Mountaineer tells the following about the old black government horse at the Cascade Locks: It was old Black's duty to pull away the loaded boxes of earth from the derricks, and after being hitched up in the morning at his post of duty, he needed no further attention until noon. As soon as the load was ready he would start at first slowly, then as an impetus was needed to run the cars along beyond his beat, he would start on the trot, slack up at the proper time, turn around with an eye on the dump, then start back at the right moment for the return trip. Keeping this up with the regularity of clock work until the noon whistle, which solemn sound he knew as well as any of the men. It was fun sometimes to watch a new stable boy attempt to "gee-haw" old Black while on duty.

was paid whatever to the fresh commands, but it behooved the young commander to stand out of the beaten path, or else risk being run over. If the "lords of creation" had done as good work on the locks as this faithful old horse the Portland boat would whistle at our wharves tonight.

**Cheap Living in Portland.**  
It will soon be possible to live in Portland for little or nothing. We have long had a five-cent restaurant and a five-cent lodging house, and now comes a cut-rate barber shop. It has just been opened and the proprietor thinks he can make money by shaving for five cents and cutting hair for ten cents. The cost of living in Portland for one year has therefore been reduced to this basis these hard times: Two meals a day for 365 days, \$36.50; lodging and bath, \$18.25; one suit of clothes, \$7.50; one hat, \$1.50; two pairs of shoes, \$4; underclothing, \$5; shave, once a week at 5 cents, for 52 weeks, \$2.60; hair cut, once a month at 10 cents, \$1.20—total, \$76.55; daily average, not quite 21 cents. One place in Portland gives a lunch consisting of good soup, a slice of roast, beans, bread and butter, vegetables and a glass of beer for five cents.—Welcome.

**Belmont Notes.**  
Mr. Newcomb is building a nice house, 24 x 30 feet, on the tract of land he purchased from Mr. G. A. Lindsay. This will make four new houses and one old one on the 75-acre tract formerly owned by J. F. Armor. Mr. Newcomb is an old apiarist and will bring 50 bee hives from his former home in Portland.

Mr. M. P. Isenberg and sons have a nice lot of strawberry plants set and contemplate setting several acres more.  
Ralph Savage and Uncle John Smith went to Mosier last Saturday by horse car.  
Mr. E. E. Savage left Monday for the Willamette valley on a business trip and will be gone about two weeks.  
Mr. Mitchell was much pleased with his trip to Sandy Flat and now is anxious to go to Mt. Hood. JERRY.

**Wit and Wisdom.**  
Some of the loudest advocates of protection to home industry are never engaged in any industry at home.  
The hardest job with some editors these days is to take a stand on the money question that will suit all of their advertisers.  
A young lady is reported to have a hen setting on a China egg, with the hope of hatching out a Chinaman with white dishes for her.  
A colored missionary spent six months in Africa and did not hear a chicken crow. This shows that even in "Darkest Africa" the chickens know enough to keep quiet when a preacher, and a colored one at that is about.—St. Louis Humorist.

**The Discovery Saved His Life.**  
Mr. G. Calloutte, druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with la grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store, I sent for a bottle and began its use, and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at the Hood River Pharmacy.

**A Hopeful Disposition.**  
C. A. Stewart, an old resident of the Cascade Locks, was in the city today. Mr. Stewart was at the Cascades when the first shovel full of dirt was lifted from the canal; has watched the operations from the beginning to the present time, and says if the Great Ruler permits him to live fifteen or twenty years longer, he expects yet to see boats pass through the canal.—Times-Mountaineer.

**A Dead Shot.**  
Dr. Wakelee—Having experimented with your squirrel poison, I desire to offer you my testimonial to the thousands of others you have no doubt received. I was greatly bothered by digger squirrels. They ate up my green peas, dug my early potatoes, and threatened starvation to myself and family if something was not done for them before my sweet corn was fit to pull. Seeing the advertisement of your squirrel poison in the GLACIER (which, by the way, is the best advertising medium in Hood River—better than circulars), I procured a can and applied it according to directions. Result, at least one dead squirrel, six dead chickens and the family cat. I can therefore recommend your medicine as being a dead shot.—The Ed.

Mr. C. A. Bell yesterday leased the Mount Hood hotel for one year to R.S. Reeves, late of the Perkins house restaurant, Portland.  
M. V. Rand's Hale's Early peaches are the finest flavored and best we think we ever tasted.  
The Rod and Gun club has learned of some good shooting on the East Side. If they hear of any further depredations, the proper officers will be called upon to prosecute.

The Rural Northwest is a capital paper, containing the gist of all bulletins and horticultural addresses. Those of our fruit growers who take it are the best informed on all horticultural matters.

While other regions about us are complaining of a poor yield of wheat, Klickitat valley will have an enormous yield this year, especially from fall sown grain. One field of John Edgings, which was threshed last week, averaged 38 1/2 bushels to the acre. It is reported that the price will open at 50 cents per bushel.—Goldendale Sentinel.

February 6, 1888, the Oregon board of school land commissioners loaned from the "irreducible school fund" \$2500 to Alex McKenna of Grant county. Not long ago \$1053.33 unpaid interest had accumulated, the interest and taxes being in default from almost the beginning. The unpaid taxes amounted to \$153.93. The present board of commissioners foreclosed the mortgage at a cost of \$227, making the whole debt due the school fund \$384.26 and sold the property mortgaged for \$700, making a loss of over \$3200 to the school fund in this one transaction.

**Notes and News.**  
Independence hop growers have decided to pay 25 cents a box for picking.  
Albert Tozier has been appointed health officer of the city of Portland by Mayor Penoyer.  
Benjamin C. Duniway, husband of Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway, died at Portland, August 4th, aged 67 years.  
The Moro Observer says all the orchards beyond Free Bridge to The Dalles have suffered more or less from grasshoppers, and some are wholly destroyed.  
Governor A. J. Smith of the soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kansas, has issued a notice that the institution is overcrowded, and that it would be a physical impossibility to receive more veterans for some time. The governor says the membership is close to 3,000, and that a dozen to 20 applicants are turned away daily.

The California socialist labor convention adopted a platform protesting against the free coinage of silver on the ground that such action would be class legislation, inasmuch as it is alleged it would benefit the debtor class at the expense of capitalists. The platform declares that free silver would not benefit laboring men, as wage earners, it is said, are not as a rule debtors.

Grasshoppers have eaten every blossom and leaf off the flowers growing on the graves in the Masonic cemetery. The only green thing left is a weeping willow at the grave of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller's baby. This Mr. Miller saved by building over it a wooden frame, which he covered from the ground up with close wire screening.—Fossil Journal.

A good comparison of the extent of the fruit industry in the state of Oregon can be made with that of Vacaville. The total output of the whole state will not exceed 200 carloads, while Vacaville will send out about four times that, including dried fruit. In the way of regading a little we might add that in 1894 over 2000 cars of green fruit, or thirteen times Oregon's crop, was grown in this township alone.—Vacaville (Cal.) Reporter.

It is a well known fact, disputed by none, that the price of wheat in this country is governed by the Liverpool price, notwithstanding we export only a small portion of our wheat compared with the amount we consume at home. In brief, the home price is always set by the export or world's price. Now, why can't we pass a law giving our farmers double the world's price as the price to be paid them for their wheat? Why longer permit England to dictate the price of American wheat? The dastard who thinks the United States alone cannot double the price of its wheat, independent of all other nations, is lacking in courage and patriotism.—Fossil Journal.

- List of Letters**  
Remaining in the Hood River post office uncalled for Aug. 1, 1896:
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| Allen, Thos         | Jones, R           |
| Alkerli, Henry      | Limatluen, John    |
| Arnups, S (Indian)  | Lemison, D C       |
| Boyer, DeWitt C     | Mulligan, Chas D   |
| Craigton, Arthur    | McDonald, A        |
| Clark, Mrs Thos     | Newcomb, Bert      |
| Copper, R D         | Osborne, Wallace   |
| Collins, Nelson     | Riehmood, C C      |
| Dallas, Mrs M (Ind) | Smith, Mrs S W     |
| D'Arcy, J P         | Slughton, Mrs      |
| Filber, Jacob       | Stromas, Roy E     |
| Garkit, Claude      | Taylor, Mrs W H    |
| Johnson, Albert     | Widson, Jas        |
|                     | L. E. MORSE, P. M. |

**FRUIT GROWING**  
Is what this valley was made for, and the growing of fruit trees and plants is what I am here for. The best varieties of Hood River grow trees and the largest stock of small fruits, etc., in the country, can be found at the  
**COLUMBIA NURSERY**  
H. C. Bateham, Prop'r.

**Contract Wanted.**  
I am prepared to take a contract for cutting cordwood, grubbing land, or any kind of job requiring labor. Call at Chinese wash house, Hood River. J. KING.

**NEW YORK WORLD.**  
Thrice a-week Edition.

Eighteen pages a week, 156 papers a year. Is larger than any weekly or semi-weekly paper published and is the only important democratic "weekly" published in New York city. Three times as large as the leading republican weekly of New York city. It will be of especial advantage to you during the presidential campaign, as it is published every other day, except Sunday, and has all the freshness and timeliness of a daily. It contains all the news with a long list of interesting departments, unique features, cartoons and graphic illustrations, the latter being a specialty. All these improvements have been made without any increase in the cost, which remains at one dollar per year.  
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**Cure for Headache.**  
As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure, and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation, Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Fifty cents and \$1 a bottle. For sale at the Hood River Pharmacy.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 1, 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 the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., on Sept. 10, 1896, viz:

WALTER J. BATES, H. E. No. 5218, for the northeast 1/4 section 15, township 3 north, range 11 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Lyman E. Lindsay, Henry Johnston, William B. Jones and Jacob E. Jacobson, all of White Salmon, Klickitat county, Wash. Atstl. GEO. H. STEVENSON, Register.

**\$16 a Month**  
Will buy a house and two lots in Hood River. Also, organ for sale cheap, and household furniture. S. R. HUSBANDS.

**Lateral Ditch Co.**  
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Lateral Ditch Company for the election of officers is called for Saturday, August 8, 1896, at 1 p. m. By order of the president. J. T. NEFF, Secretary.

**Fruit Farm for Sale.**  
I will sell my place, 2 miles from the town of Hood River, near a graded school, containing 40 acres, good house and barn, strong spring, wind mill, 1/2 acre in orchard, 1/2 acre in strawberries, all fenced, for \$1500. FRED HOWE, Hood River.

**AUBURN, SMITH & CO.,**  
General Commission Merchants  
Wholesale dealers in  
**Fruits and Produce,**  
134-138 Front st., Portland, Or.  
Consignments and correspondence solicited. J05

**Irrigating Notice.**  
Owing to the limited amount of water that can be furnished for irrigation, the Hood River Spring Water Co. has adopted the following regulations:  
Parties living south of Oak street will irrigate from 5 to 9 o'clock, p. m., and those living north of same street, from 6 to 9 a. m. In irrigating the regulation half-inch nozzle must be used, and the water applied in the form of spray or sprinkle and in no other manner.  
All water for irrigating must be applied and paid for before using.  
Any violation of these rules will subject the irrigator to forfeiture of the privilege of irrigation.  
HOOD RIVER SPRING WATER CO.  
Jul 11

**Paper Hanging.**  
E. L. Rood, who has had 8 years' experience in the business of painting and paper hanging, is now prepared to do this kind of work for citizens of Hood River. He can furnish the paper and put it on your walls at Portland prices.

**HOOD RIVER NURSERY.**  
WM. TILLET, Proprietor.  
Grower and dealer in choice Nursery stock. He has the only stock of the

**Yakima Apple,**  
The best of red apples, and as long a keeper as the Yellow Newtown.  
I have about 20,000 apple trees of the best varieties growing in my nursery. All standard varieties are grafted from the best stock in Hood River.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, July 31, 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 the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on September 5, 1896, viz:

ROSEANNAH MCKAMEY, H. E. No. 3218, for the southeast 1/4 section 32, township 1 north, range 10 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Mrs. Anna Rose, William Rodenhiser, David R. Cooper and A. H. Tieman, all of Mount Hood, Oregon. JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., July 16, 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 U. S. Circuit Court for District of Washington, at his office in Goldendale, Wash., on Sept. 5, 1896, viz:

JOHN O. TEPPEL, H. E. No. 7077, for the southwest 1/4 of north-west 1/4 and west 1/4 of southwest 1/4 section 17, and north-west 1/4 of north-west 1/4 section 20, township 4 north, range 12 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Stacker, James Fitz, Lewis C. Wright and John H. Henderson, all of Lyle, O. Wash. GEO. H. STEVENSON, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., July 9, 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 the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., on August 21, 1896, viz:

JOE WILLIAMS (Indian), H. E. No. 8227, for the southwest 1/4 section 17, township 4 north, range 11 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Timothy George, Johnnie Slowie, Hendrix and George Oilmore, all of White Salmon, Wash. Also, CHARLES QUAEEMPTO (Indian), H. E. No. 8853, for the south 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 34, township 4 north, range 10 east, and lots 1 and 2, section 3, township 3 north, range 10 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Johnnie Kunki, Johnnie Slowie and Jacob Hunt, all of White Salmon, Wash. GEO. H. STEVENSON, Register.

**THE OLD RELIABLE**  
**Jewelry Store,**  
J. H. FERGUSON, American Watchmaker, proprietor, is still doing business at the old stand. Watches cleaned, 50 cents; main springs, 50 cents. All work warranted. A fine line of Watches and Jewelry for sale at bottom prices.

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(Successor to E. L. Smith—Oldest Established House in the valley.)  
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**Fruit Trees.**  
All the best variety of Apples, including Yakima, Gano, Arkansas Black, etc., and all other kinds of nursery stock kept constantly on hand. Prices will be made satisfactory. Buy your trees at the home nursery and save expense and damage. We are here to stay.  
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Comfortable conveyances to all parts of Hood River Valley and vicinity. Heavy dray and transferring done with care and promptness. Also, dealers in  
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Call and see our stock and get prices; they are interesting.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, July 7, 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 the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on August 18, 1896, viz:

WILLIAM J. CAMPBELL, H. E. No. 3857, for the northwest 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 27, township 3 north, range 10 east, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: T. E. Wickens, B. Warren, Fred Howe, and E. D. Calkins, all of Hood River. J. H. MOORE, Register.

**Here's a Bargain.**  
Forty-six and one-half acres, 35 acres in cultivation, 10 acres being in orchard; 300 8-year-old and 100 2-year-old apple trees; plenty of cherries, prunes, pears, peaches, and numerous small fruits for family use. Good farm buildings, besides a good team and harness, worth \$250. One light and 1 heavy wagon, 1 cow and farming implements. The best buy in Hood River valley. Price \$3000 cash. Call on or address J. B. HUNT, Hood River Or.

I will be ready for repairing and fitting harness after January 1st. Farm products will be taken in trade. Leave harness for repairing Blowers' store. Highest price paid for hides. [229] E. D. CALKINS.