Hood River Glacier.

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The terrible suffering of the volunteers in the different camps from disthat of the enemy in the late war. cause this time as it always has been heretofore. The blames rests somewhere, and the people will try to find out. The administration will of dust and cinders. It is noticeable that course be blamed, and the republican the trains on both the O. R. & N. and idency two years hence, now sees de- to spend. feat staring it in the face. The party cannot "point with pride" to the conduct of the late war, nor will it claim it as a republican war, as was attempted in the start. The party will find it hard to shift the responsibility or change the issue. The question of the man with Spain and its mismanage, wealth of the city's inhabitants. The war with Spain and Its mismanagement so far as the neglect of the soldiers is concerned will enter into the campaign, and it is easy to see which party will get the worst of it, whether it diserves it or not. The decreased reway the wind is blowing.

Henderson we were permitted to peruse bulletins 11 and 14 from the university of Idaho, the work of Prof L. F. Henderson. Bulletin 14 treats of "Twelve of Idaho's Worst Weeds." The prickly lettuce, which has become a noxious weed in Hood River, is de scribed and the farmers of Idaho are advised to make a united effort towards its extermination. In cultivated fields or meadows this weed should be cut down with the boe below the crown or dug up. If mowed days suffice for these shoots to go to seed. It is the worst weed we have ever had in Hood River, and some united action should be taken among our people towards eradicating it before it spreads further.

Gov. Lord has called the legislature to meet in extra session, September 26th. There is no excuse for a session three months ahead of the regular session, which convenes in January. It the appropriation bills could wait nearly two years they could wait three months longer. The republicans have an overwhelming majority in the legisinture, elected to seat H. W. Corbett in the senate, and it ought not to take more than one ballot to decide the senatorial question. All that the taxpayers of the state have saved by the failure of the legislature to organize in 1897 will be squandered by the special

A Glimpse of Bastern Washington. During our trip en route to Spokane

case and neglect, and the frightful mor- think we are going too far in saying lieve the monotony of the wheat fields. case and neglect, and the frightful mor-tality among them, threatens to make our loss in human life greater than the specific Northwest (this of course doesn't mean that Hood River is not Disease has killed more than bullets in all our wars. Mismanagement is the ago last Tuesday, the mercury was playing tag with the digits in the 90s, making the trip to our destination void course be blamed, and the republican party, which until recently seemed to have everything going its way for suc-cess in the fall elections and the pres-

Spokane, the metropolis of Eastern Washington, is a modern, up-to-date city of 35,000 to 40,000 inhabitants. The business portion of the town is com-pactly built, and its seven and eight story buildings of brick and granite would do credit to the large cities of streets of the city are kept clean, and with a good street-sprinkling system there is no dust. Among the many handsome buildings of Spokane are the city hall, auditorium theater, Spokes-man-Review building and the county it diserves it or not. The decreased re-publican vote in Vermont shows which cream sandstone and completed in 1895 by the kindness of John Leland Henderson we were permitted to pe-ruse bulletins 11 and 14 from the uni-versity of Idaho, the work of Prof L. F. Henderson. Bulletin 14 treats

power furnished by the falls of the Spokane river flowing through the heart of the town, and with the rich mining and agricultural regions round about, is destined to become a great manufacturing center. Already to a considerable extent is this power being utilized to operate flour and saw mills, off the root sends out shoots, and a few the city's extensive electric railway and light system. The minimum mo-tive force of the Spokane fails is esti-mated at \$2,000 horse power.

Spokane is the largest railroad center on the Pacific coast. It has the advan-tage of three transcontinental lines-

he Great Northern, the Northern Pa-ific, and the Union Pacific in connec-ion with the O. R. & N., and the exensive farming and mining products of the district extending for 200 miles in every direction are handled by the three local railroads—the Spokane and Northern, the Central Washington, and the DeSmet and Courd'Alence.

After the adjournment of the press ssociation we took the Northern Pacific train for the town of Cheney, 16 miles south west of Spokane, where we had the pleasure of a few day's visit with Hon, D. F. Percival and wife.

had the pleasure of a few day's visit with Hon, D. F. Percival and wife. Cheney, situated in the midst of this rich grain country, is a town of 1500 people and has all the modern couve-niences of a town ten times its size, such as electric lights, graded streets and sidewalks, and a hydrant water -ystem costing \$40,000. Its substantial brick business blocks exhibit what a system costing \$40,000. Its substantial brick business blocks exhibit what a

orders. Many of these societies will ness met with the inevitable and 1 e have floats in the harvest festival parade, and the K. of P.'s expect to have the handsomest. A Glimnse of Bastern Washington.

expects to open in business. The country surrounding Cheney is During our trip en route to Spokane to attend the meeting of the Northwest press association, and the week we spent in that part of the state, we gained something of an idea of the vast re-sources of Eastern Washington and the Palouse country, and we don't think we are going too far in saying to surely make it the richest section of the Union. The farmers, with their great wheat fields producing from 25 to 40 bushels to the acre annually, have their home tracts planted to orchards and garden. Their houses are sub-stantial and comfortable dwellings. They are fast paying off their mort-gages, and everything indicates that in a short time they will be free from debt and begin to pile up bank accounts. In the city of Spokane there is not an empty business house to be seen. A glance at the bank clearings will show market especially just now for your merchantable that the city is fast recovering from the disastrous effects of the general crisis of '93. For the month of August, '98, the bank clearings of Spokane amount-He is always in the market for a ed to \$3,195,636, an increase of \$414,400 over the corresponding month last year, or an increase of \$2,254,476 over the same month for '93.

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Hon. Jas. F. Moore, late register of The Dalles land office, has opened a law office in The Dalles.

WANTED-TRUSTWORTHY AND ACT-ive gentlemen or ladies to travel for re-sponsible established house in Oregon. Month-ly 885 and expenses. Position steady. Refer-ence, Inclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Domiulon Company, Dept. Y, Chicago.

Wanted.





Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, August 16, 1848.—Notice is hereby given that the fol-lowing 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, Ore-gon, on Saturday, September 24, 1886, viz:

ALBERT G. MCKAMEY,



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forwarded his resignation. The Champion, which by the way is one of the brightest papers on our exchange list. will in all probability go out of existence when Mr. Baker removes from Troutdale.

W. T. Byars has resigned as editor of the Goldendale Sentinel and is succeeded by M. E. Miller, late of the Antelope Herald.

Chance for a Big Saw Mill.

Capt. P. S. Davidson of La Crosse, Wis., is here looking over the ground Wis., is here looking over the ground school building, erected in 1895 at a for the location of a saw mill that will cost of \$60,000, is a handsome structure Surveyors are at work, and if their re-port and other matters are favorable, the mill will be located on Mr. F. H. Button's farm on the east side of Hood forks of the river. A tunnel will be cut through the hill at J. R. Reynold's nished the supplies for the military posts in Montana and the Dakotas. His boats ascended the Big Horn river and brought away from the battlefield the dead of the Custer massacre.

The Spokane Fruit Fair.

1897 will be squandered by the special session. Mr. Fred C. Baker of the Troutdale Champion gives notice in his last week's issue that he will soon remove to Tillamook and take charge of the Headlight at that place. Mr. Baker is also postmaster at Troutdale and has newspapers, the Cheney Sentinel and the Free Press. We found Mr. Stewart of the Sentinel a genial member of the the Free Press. We found Mr. Stewart of the Sentinel a genial member of the fraternity of the art preservative. live local weekly presents a neat ap-pearance ty towrandically, while its pearance typographically, while its editorial columns reflect the wit and ability of their writer.

Cheney's citizens are congenial and intellectual, and many representative people of Eastern Washington make Cheney their home during the school months of the year, where their fam-ilies secure the educational advantages offered by the torum A state porcel illies secure the educational advantages offered by the town. A state normal school is located here. This school grew from the Cheney academy, es-tablished here in 1883. The normal school building, erected in 1895 at a cost of \$60,000, is a handsome structure of red brick, and with its efficient corps of instructors is recognized as one of the leading institutions of its kind in

cut about 10,000 feet of lumber an hour, of red brick, and with its efficient corps of instructors is recognized as one of the leading institutions of its kind in the Northwest. The school last term

had 300 students. county bridge, and the saw logs will be driven down the river from the land owned by F. H. Button above the forks of the river. A tunnel will to land owned by F. H. Buiton above the forks of the river. A tunnel will be out through the hill at J. R. Reynold's place and the logs floated through the is a veteran of the civil war. He first place and the logs floated through the tunnel to the low ground ou Mr. But-ton's place, below the rairoad. The location of the mill here hinges on the annulnent of the franchise granted to the Hood River Lumbering company. Mr. Davidson has looked the ground over and is ready to put in his mill, but will not make a move toward it until assured 'that the river is free for driving logs. Cant. Davidson has sign solid of the bunch-grass plains of the driving logs. Capt. Davideon has six soil of the bunch-grass plains of the sons who, with their families, will lo cate here if the mill is built. He is an plow. He was at one time county old-time mill man and has also been engaged extensively in transporting government troops and military sup-plies. At one time he owned 30 steam-boats on the Missouri river and furington legislature, five times re-elected mayor of Cheney, and declined further

political honors to give attention to his business interests. In 1883 he engaged in banking, doing business under the name of the Bank of Cheney. In 1889 he established the First National bank

Spokane, from the 4th to the 15th of October, will be the gayest city on the sion of 1893, with the loss of the great wheat crops of '98 and '94 through coast. The annual fruit fair will have destruction by rain and prevailing low especial days for most of the fraternal prices, was very disastrous to the busi-societies. The second day will be K. of ness men of Cheney. Mr. Percival societies. The second day will be K. of ness men of Cheney. Mr. Percival P. day, and the grand chancellor of the worked incessantly for three years to state of Washington will be present. stem the tide and keep his banks sol-The Red Men, Shriners, Eagles, Elks, vent, but in June, '96, the farmers were Odd Fellows and the press will also still unable to neet the obligations on have each day devoted to their several their mortgages, consequently his busi-

H. E. No. 7711, for the southeast quarter sec-tion 8, township 3 north, range 11 east, W. M. Who names the following witnesses to prove

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, Sept. 1, 1898,—Notice is hereby given that the fol-lowing-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, Ore-gon, on Friday, October 14, 1898, viz:

D. A. TURNER,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dailes, Oregon, Sept. 7, 1808. — 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 Register and Receiver at The Dailes, Oregon, on Friday, October 14, 1898, viz: NICHOLAS J. DEVOLD.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Vancouver, Wash., Sept. 6, 1898. — Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their chaims, and that said proof will be made before W. B. Presby, U. S. Commis-sioner for District of Washington, at his of-fice in Goldendale, Wash., on Saturday, Oct. 22, 1888, viz:

AUGUST FERDINAND WILKEN, AUGUST FERDINAND WILKEN, Homestead Entry No. 7905, for the east half of southwest quarter, and west half of southeast quarter of section thirteen, township four north, range ton east, Will. Mer. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultiva-tion of said land, viz: Matt. Wilken. Charles L. Colburn, Wesley S. Locke and Bethewel Hendryx, all of White Salmon P. O., Washington. Also, BETHEWEL HENDRYX.

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BETHEWEL HENDRYX, Homestead Entry No. 8104, for the sontheast quarter of southwest quarter of section eight-een, and the northeast quarter of northwest quarter and lots one and two of section nine-teen, township four north, range 11 east, Will. Mer. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said hand, viz: Matt Wilken, August Ferdinand Wilken, Wesley X, Locke and Charles L, Colburn, ali of White Salmon P. O., Washington. s901 W. H. DUNBAR, Register.