

Hood River Glacier.

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Volunteer Victory.

The American volunteer has certainly made a most impressive bow in our new theater in the Far East. With the exception of the Fourteenth Infantry and the Sixth artillery, the regulars were not engaged in the battle which raged around Manila Saturday night and Sunday. It was fought and won by volunteers in a manner which will open the eyes of Europe and Asia to the real merits of the American soldier.

In all her long years of contention with rebellious islanders, Spain has never fought, much less gained, so significant a battle. England herself has not made her presence felt so quickly nor as effectively in the new lands which she has overrun. More than ten years of campaigning and preparation elapsed between Chinese Gordon's fall and Sirdar Kitchener's rise; and the troops which slew and routed the Derwishes at Khartoum were the flower of British armies inured to the hardships of tropical life and re-enforced by a multitude of native allies who fought the fanatics in their own way and with their own weapons.

The performance of the American volunteer troops in the Philippines is extraordinary, measured by any standard or any precedent. The attack of the hostile natives was sudden, if not unexpected. More than half the Filipinos were armed with Mauser or Remington rifles, entrenched in defensible redoubts and trained in past conflicts with the armies of Spain. There seems to have been no lack of ammunition among the riflemen of Luzon, for the official dispatches relate that the "insurgents fired great quantities of cartridges." There was neither hesitation nor doubt in the conduct of the Americans, and the brief reports of General Otis and Admiral Dewey celebrate the soldierly demeanor of the volunteers.

The West is doubly proud of the achievements of our army in the Philippines. With the exception of Pennsylvania, every volunteer regiment engaged hailed from a Western state. California, Washington, Idaho, Colorado, Nebraska, South Dakota and Montana were represented. The list of dead and wounded prove that every regiment did its duty. The chapter enacted at Manila this week is a worthy supplement to the victories of our soldiers and sailors and a crowning vindication of the American citizen-soldier. — St. Louis Republic.

The Big Saw Mill is an Assured Fact.

A trip to Frank Button's meadows above town will convince anyone that the big saw mill is coming sure. About 50 men are at work with teams and pile drivers, and a grade, supposed to be above high-water mark, has been thrown up nearly across the sandy bottom from the railroad track at the upper end of Button's meadow to the rocky point just east of the old slaughter house, where the saw mill will be located. The rock that will be blasted off of this point to set the mill will be used for riprapping the grade on the river side. A heap of work has been done here in a short time. The O. R. & N. Co. is putting in the spur, and the work will cost \$7,000. In a few days the grade will be ready for the track, and then Capt. Davidson can start his machinery this way and know that he has a siding and a place to unload. Mr. Button was seen on the ground Tuesday morning watching the workmen tearing up and destroying some of the most valuable part of his ranch; but he didn't seem to care; in fact he seemed pleased to see the work of demolition going on. The Morse Bros. are furnishing the piles that are being driven to bridge the sloughs. The piles are towed across the Columbia with a skiff, as many as eight or ten being lashed together and brought over at one trip. Wm. Thompson is engaged with four horses snaking the piles from the river to the pile-driver. Abe Foley is at work with his team, running a scraper. Real estate is moving lively where these scrapers are at work. We think it safe now to assert that the big saw mill will come.

Daniel McDonald fell from a high railroad trestle at Viento, last Tuesday night, and was killed. Deceased had been working for the Oregon Lumber Co., but quit work Tuesday and was paid with a \$10 check. He asked Oscar Cameron to cash it but the latter did not have the change, and McDonald then borrowed a lantern of Cameron to go to the saloon scow. He probably inhaled a drop too much, and it is supposed that on his way home he lost his balance and fell off the trestle. He was a Canadian by birth, aged 42 years. Coroner Butts was summoned and a jury found a verdict in accordance with the above facts. The remains were brought to Hood River for burial.

A family consisting of husband and wife and five children arrived here Wednesday morning from Nebraska, and will occupy a house near the Frankton school.

H. F. Davidson has sold his livery stable property to Capt. Dukes.

G. J. Gessling has again been appointed deputy assessor for Hood River.

Prof. R. R. Allard sent a box of Hood River apples, of different varieties, to his brother, D. C. Allard, who belongs to the Oregon regiment in the Philippines. The apples arrived in good shape, every one sound.

Hon. T. R. Con's new residence on the hill is built in a commanding location and looks, from a distance, like it might be about ready for occupancy.

Hood River Public School Column.

School Directory—State Superintendent, J. H. Ackerman; county superintendent, C. L. G. Grier; Board of Directors, Dist. No. 3—C. M. Wolford, chairman; N. C. Evans, S. C. Cox, Clerk; Geo. T. Prather, Principal, R. B. Allard; second intermediate, Willie Walker, first intermediate, Grace Gibson; primary, Eliza Stevens; vocal instructor, Anne C. Smith.

Jails and prisons are the complement of schools; so many less as you have of the latter, so many more must you have of the former.—Horace Mann.

MONTHLY REPORT

Of Hood River public school for month ending February 10, 1899:

Number days taught.....	19
Number days attendance.....	2332
Number days absence.....	202
Number cases tardiness.....	40
Total number enrolled.....	154
Average daily attendance.....	123
Number neither absent nor tardy.....	49

and are as follows:

Primary Department—Lella Hersher, Etta Blagg, Anna McCafferty, Roy Blagg, Teddy Button, Mason Baldwin.

First Intermediate—Harold Hersher, Webster Kent, Walter Howell, Geneva Wolfard, Anna Jackson, Rine Blagg, Frank Angell, Mae Noteman, Mary LaFrance, Georgia Prather, Earl Blagg, Lester Foss, Edith Merrill, Blanche Howe, Blanche Montgomery, Lula Watson, Dollie Welds, Sylvia Russell, George Bradley.

Second Intermediate—Gertrude Buskirk, Willie Pess, Willie Walker, Lenora Adams, Annie Eadleton, Carrie Smith, Percy Adams, Guy Woodworth, Vera Jackson, Jay Russell.

Principal's Department—Louis Baldwin, Guy Crowe, Ernest Hinrichs, Gladys Hartley, Samuel Blowers, Ida Stranahan, P. C. Logsdon, M. W. Bartmess, Laura Hill, E. K. Bartmess, Agnes Dukes.

ANNUAL REPORT

Hood River school for the year commencing February 14, 1898, and ending February 10, 1899:

Number days taught.....	157
Number days attendance.....	19627
Number cases absence.....	1703
Number cases tardiness.....	506
Whole number boys enrolled during last 5 months.....	89
Whole number girls enrolled during last 5 months.....	100
Total number enrolled during last 5 months.....	189
Average number belonging.....	136
Average daily attendance.....	125
Greatest number days attendance during one month, Oct. and Nov.....	3002
Greatest number days absence during one month, Dec. and Jan.....	324
Greatest number cases tardiness during one month, Sept. and Oct.....	92
Greatest number enrolled during one month, Nov. and Dec.....	171
Greatest average number belonging during one month, Nov. and Dec.....	166
Greatest average daily attendance during one month, Nov. and Dec.....	152
Least number days attendance during one month, Apr. and May.....	1866
Least number cases tardiness during one month, Sept. and Oct.....	125
Least number enrolled during one month, April and May.....	113
Least average number belonging during one month, Apr. and May.....	106
Least average daily attendance during one month, Apr. and May.....	93

Number teachers employed first 3 mos., including music teacher..... 4
Number teachers employed last 5 mos., including music teacher..... 5
Number visitors during the year..... 177
Number cases corporal punishment..... 3
Amount of money invested in supplementary reading and reference books, raised by entertainment..... \$22 00
Amount of money raised for Lafayette monument..... 5 09
Amount of money raised for battleship "American Boy"..... 4 00

Branches taught: Reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, grammar, geography, drawing, music, physiology, United States history, mental arithmetic, algebra, rhetoric, general history, bookkeeping, physical geography, including general lessons on alcohol, tobacco, narcotics, morals, manners, trees, plants, metals, minerals, patriotism, science, air, botany, chemistry and natural philosophy.

Nine pupils were graduated from the eighth, or grammar grade, at the close of the spring term. The outgoing class contains 16 members.

Those who passed the February examination with general averages 90 per cent or over are:

First Grade—Teddy Button, Joy Mason, Roy Blagg.

Second Grade—Anna McCafferty, Mason Baldwin.

Third Grade—Wallace Moody, Willie Baker.

Fourth Grade—Mary LaFrance, Georgia Prather, Edith Merrill, Blanche Howe, Blanche Montgomery, Dollie Welds, Alvin Dishman, Sylvia Russell, Stella Parsons, Walter Parsons, Ada Hayner, Eva Ellison, Vera Allen.

Fifth Grade—Rue Blagg, Henry Brown, Losley Welds, Frank Angell, Webster Kent, Avila Watt, Walter Howell, Allie Welds, Geneva Wolfard, Grace Prather, Mabel Hayner.

Sixth Grade—Fanny Baker, Joy Russell.

Seventh Grade—Gertrude Buskirk, Willie Walker, Percy Adams, Lena Evans, Idel Woodworth.

Eighth Grade—Louis Baldwin, Ernest Hinrichs, Gladys Hartley, Sam Blowers, Altha Parsons, P. C. Logsdon.

Ninth Grade—M. W. Bartmess, Laura Hill, Agnes Dukes.

During the year Prof. H. T. French, A. B. Cordley, Hon. H. M. Williams, Hon. E. L. Smith, County Supt. Gilbert and Capt. Lewis have delivered short talks in the school. These talks, though short, lend a healthy enthusiasm to the entire school, break the monotony of daily routine as well as instruct.

A well attended teachers' institute was held here during the spring term, which met a hearty response from both patrons and teachers. We are expecting another to take place again some time in the near future.

Our system of education should be liberal and adapted to the greatest number. Many of our best citizens received their education in the public schools and are the readers and the doers of today. We believe the public will cordially support those in charge of our schools in their efforts to furnish the necessary instructions for a business life.

My assistant teachers have been prompt and faithful in the discharge of their duties and deserve all commendation that can be given. The pupils have worked with an earnestness of purpose that is bound to achieve some-

thing in the end.

That our system may be faulty we do not deny. Each day brings some error to the front, but just so long as diversity of opinion exists among educators as to the best results there must necessarily be experiments. To correct these errors, to improve our system and build up our school depends not only on those in direct control but upon the public as well.

I take this occasion to express my thanks to the honorable board of directors, the assistant teachers, the pupils and the patrons for your co-operation in the endeavor to improve our school, and ask that as we start in on the new year's work that we have the support of all. Yours respectfully,

R. R. ALLARD, Prin. H. R. P. S.

SCHOOL NEWS.

School closed Friday, February 10th, for a two weeks' vacation.

School will open on Monday, Feb. 27th, for a two months' term. The same corps of teachers were re-elected at the last board meeting.

Miss White, second intermediate, left for her home at Crowley, where she will spend her vacation.

The school houses is to have a thorough renovating during vacation, and teacher and janitor will endeavor to make things as bright and cheerful for the coming term.

Written for the Glacier.

The American Eagle.

Behold you eagle soaring to a dizzy height,
And suddenly swooping down like a flash upon the night.
Again he rises now circling round the mountain tops,
He utters piercing screams of defiance, then he stoops,
Glances o'er the bounding waters at the ships a-coming in;
Watches under the waters surfaced for the fishes cleaving fin.

Early in the morning he greets the rising sun,
Is first to be upon the wing, is last when day is done.
He rises from his eyry high and flies his airy way,
O'er wood, vale and mountain, o'er cliff, gulf and bay.
He circles, swoops and buoyantly floats like a high and lofty kite;
And at length upon some beetling crag he settles to alight.
And quietly watches for goat or sheep with sharp and piercing eye,
O'er unprospering roe-deer plump, heedless of danger nigh.

And quietly grazing down below, a roe-deer swift and fleet
Is discovered by the searching eye of the eagle; then a bleat,
Sounding from the neighboring heights, catches the eagle's ear.
He rises from his lofty perch and spreads his wings to fly;
And looking like a speck from underneath to any eye,
He circles always nearer, o'er the unsuspecting roe;
Then, hovering o'er her for a moment, he swoops down below.

His body cleaving through the air made a fluttering, rushing sound;
The startled deer glances quickly up and then she glances round;
The eagle's lightning swoop has gained for him a prize;
His cruel talons in his back, he strives with ill to rise.
Alas! it is too heavy, and now he takes his bleak,
That sharpened cruel weapon, his very life did seek.
In vain it madly gallops, in vain it tosses its head;
It snorts and gallops madly, but at last it falls dead.

Monarch of all the birds, he justly bears this name,
The noble American eagle, the symbol of Freedom and Fame.
Then do you wonder, people, that our eagle is revered,
As the symbol of a nation, by every other feared?
He represents our country, our country grand and free;
He represents our Freedom, our life and Liberty. — MARTIN C. NICKELSEN.

For Sale

One of the best paying small fruit farms in Hood River. Good location. Well watered. Good buildings and a pleasant home. This is a bargain. Call at this office.

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In 3 tracts, varying in size, from 40 to 80 acres. Highly improved, partly improved and unimproved. Abundance of irrigating water on most of the lands inquested. No trouble to show property. East Side 4 1/2 miles out. HARRISON BROS.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, Feb. 14, 1899.—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 Dalles, Oregon, on Saturday, March 23, 1899, viz:

JOHN T. NEALEIGH,
Of Hood River, Homestead Application No. 461, for the northeast 1/4 section 7, township 21, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Henry Prigge, George Stranahan, Frank Davenport and George Williams, all of Hood River, Oregon.

JAY P. LUCAS, Register, 17122.

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WALTER E. THOMPSON,
Of Hood River, Homestead Application No. 458, for the south 1/4 southwest 1/4, northwest 1/4 southwest 1/4, southwest 1/4 northwest 1/4, section 21, township 2 north, range 11 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Warren Wells, Charles Wells, Robert Robertson and Joseph Parser, all of Hood River, Oregon.

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JAMES BROWN,
H. E. No. 9238, for the northwest quarter section 13, township 4 north, range 10 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Matt Wilken, William Olson, Fred Wilken and Charles Hunt, all of White Salmon, P. O., Washington.

W. R. DUNBAR, Register, 17122.

Poland China Boar.

A thoroughbred Poland C. Ina boar for service also, young pigs for sale.

W. A. SLINGERLAND.

An Oyster

Stays in his shell and only comes out to get in the soup. We are not an oyster, and yet we attend strictly to our own business. Come and see us. You will always find our latch string out and our stock the largest and best selected of any in town.

Don't forget that we buy more of the farmers' produce than all others here combined.

G. D. WOODWORTH.

Dealer in General Merchandise, Farm Implements, Lumber, etc.
Hood River, Oregon.

Portland Price.

Yum Yum woven wire Mattress.....	\$2 50
Common woven wire Mattress.....	1 50
Wool Mattress.....	2 50
Excelsior wool top Mattress.....	2 50
Bedsprings.....	1 50

I challenge any one to get lower prices in Portland on these goods or any others that I have to sell.

S. E. BARTMESS.

Throw Away

Your money if you want to. Its yours; but if you don't want to and are looking for BARGAINS in Men's and Boy's Suits, Hats and Underwear, Women's and Children's Underwear, Blankets, Quilts, Rubber Boots and Shoes, drop in and see us.

We are making some prices on the lines mentioned that it will pay you to investigate.

A. S. BLOWERS & SON.

GEO. T. PRATHER,

Justice of the Peace for Hood River District. Notary Public for Oregon.

I am prepared at all times to draw and execute Deeds and Mortgages, and all kinds of legal papers carefully prepared.

I am also prepared on short notice to furnish correct Abstracts. Also represent the oldest and strongest insurance companies, so if you want your property insured don't fail to call on me and get a policy in a reliable insurance company.

And when it comes to Real Estate, I am the one you want to see. If you want to buy, sell or rent any land in Hood River Valley or White Salmon, don't fail to call on or write to me. I also negotiate loans on real estate. I have been a resident of Hood River valley for 19 years, therefore am thoroughly acquainted with the valley. GEO. T. PRATHER, Hood River.

All Teams stop at Reciprocity Corner.



Hood River's Meat Market

AND

Cash Store.

A fine lot of fresh staple Groceries, Canned Goods, fresh and cured Meats, pure open kettle rendered Lard. This Lard is put up at our Hood River Market, and we guarantee it.

Cut-rate prices to purchasers who buy at one time at least \$10 worth of goods for cash.

Goods delivered to patrons in the city.

CLYDE T. BONNEY, Proprietor.

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Of Hood River can furnish comfortable conveyances to all parts of the valley and vicinity. Heavy draying and transferring done with care and promptness.

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Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, Jan. 21, 1899.—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 Dalles, Oregon, on Saturday, March 11, 1899, viz:

CHARLES PRATHAR,
Of Mosier, Homestead Application No. 474, for the northeast 1/4 northeast 1/4 section 21, north 1/2 north 1/2, northwest 1/4, and northwest 1/4 northeast 1/4 section 22, township 2 north, range 11 east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
H. E. Huskey, A. T. Prather, George Huskey and William Stephenson, all of Mosier, Or.

JAY P. LUCAS, Register, 17122.

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ROBERT FORDYCE,
H. E. No. 8922, for the northeast quarter section thirty-five, township four north, range ten east, Willamette Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Ronald D. Cameron, L. E. Morse, Matt Wilken and William Olson, all of White Salmon, Washington.

W. R. DUNBAR, Register, 17075.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Stockholders of the East Fork Irrigating Company, take notice: our annual meeting will be held at Hood River, in the Chamberlain hall, on Saturday, Feb. 18, 1899, at 1 o'clock.

C. R. BONE, Secretary.

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For Sale. Apply to T. E. COON.

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(Successor to Dr. Morgan)

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JOHN LELAND HENDERSON.

Attorney-at-Law, Abstractor, Notary Public and Real Estate Agent.

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J. F. WATT, M. D.,

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BRADLEY,

Photographer.

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For sale. Four acres, one in strawberries; bearing fruit trees; plenty of water for irrigation. Located near Frankton graded school. Price reasonable for cash. F. GORDEN.

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TOMLINSON BROS., Prop'rs.

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Fresh Milk,

Aerated and deodorized, 5 cents a quart. F. H. BUTTON.

The Glacier

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GRANT EVANS, Prop'r,

Hood River, Or.

Strayed.

Three head of cattle, coming two years old. Earmarked and branded on right hip. Will pay a reward for any information concerning them. S. W. GURAN, Viento.

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40 acres, 2 miles from town. All kinds of fruit; 2 acres in strawberries; natural water privileges; bearing orchard. Terms reasonable. W. CAMPBELL.

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Will sell part of all my machinery. E. E. SAVAGE.

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With good improvements, 2 1/2 miles southwest of town. Good school near by, good roads, plenty of fruit and the best of land. Call on or address JOHN SHPMA.