# Hood River Glacier.

# "IT'S A COLD DAY WHEN WE GET LEFT."

HOOD RIVER, OREGON, THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1904.

PORT ARTHUR SAID TO HAVE FALL-

EN INTO JAPS HANDS.

in Interior With Heavy Loss.

and prisoners are said to be 600.

COLLIDE WITH THE RUSSIANS.

Miles From Haicheng.

Reports from Seoul and Tokio are to

According to the Standard's Tien Tsin

correspondent, China is appealing to

the powers for an extension of a year

The correspondent at Tien Tsin of

in the payment of the indemnity grow-

RAMMED IN FOO.

English Channel.

ing out of the Boxer troubles.

to lend 5,000,000 yen (\$2,500,000) to

Corea on easy terms.

fallen.

and on Sunday.

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# HOOD RIVER GLACIER EVENTS OF THE DAY

Many Readers.

and recommends their removal.

The Northern Securities company has

the Union Pacific.

and gives future plans.

opened in San Francisco.

dragged into the war.

of Florida, be ousted.

expected.

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ence, is begun.

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E DEN ENCAMPMENT, No. 48, I. O. O. F., Regular meeting second and fourth Mon days of each month. A. J. GATCHELL, C. P. BERT ENTRUCAS, Scribe,

TDLEWH

Admiral Togo's Entire Fleet Bombards Port Arthur. GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE St. Petersburg, March 24 .- Another TWO HEMISPHERES. attack by the Japanese fleet on Port

Arthur, beginning with operations by torpedo boats and ending with a bomcomprehensive Review of the Importbardment by battleships and cruisers, ant Happenings of the Past Week, took place after midnight Monday. Presented in Condensed Form, Most The emperor received the first mes-Likely to Prove Interesting to Our sage regarding the attack late this afternoon, but nothing was allowed to reach the public until 10 o'clock.

The isthmian canal commission has All information which has reached egun its preliminary work. St. Petersburg shows that the defend-The house has turned down the ers of Port Arthur had taken seriously to heart the coup of the Japanese tormendment to give Bristow less power.

pedo boats at the beginning of the war, The Japanese advance toward Ping and were now maintaining a sharp Yang is more rapid than the Russians lookout. The Japanese torpedo boats were twice discovered sneaking toward the The trial of Senator Burton, of Kanharbor entrance under cover of darksas, on the charge of selling his influ-

ness, but both times they were detected far out at ses, and were driven off by Japan believes foreign advisers to the hot fire opened on them. The Corea are giving Russia information breaking of day necsesarily prevented

JAPS DRIVEN OFF.

further torpedo boat operations, but Admiral Togo brought his battleships The military funeral of the Duke of and cruisers up. The division of his have resulted from a sharp encounter the Russians is their strong arm. Cambridge was the most impressive fleet was for the purpose of making a with the Russians at Chyong Syong. cross fire upon the harbor in the hope The Russian losses in killed, wounded Governor Peabody declares Telluride of destroying the town and of damagounty, Colo., to be in a state of insurection and has ordered out troops.

ing the Russian ships lying in the basin, or at least demoralizing the per-E. E. Calvin is said to be slated for sonnel of the defending force. When president of the O. R. & N. and A. L. the first official dispatches were re-Mohler is to get a high position with reived the belief gained ground that

Vice Admiral Makaroff had put to sea and that a naval fight had taken place.

sent out a circular saying the directors have decided to distribute the stock The report that Port Arthur had fall- tively support the batteries, and at the with the Russians occurred. en into the hands of the Japs was un- same time take advantage of any weak-

founded. Three attacks were made but ness which might develop in the ene- the effect that Marquis Ito has arranged each time the enemy was repulsed. my's attack. The second trial of Mrs. Botkin has

AID TO '05 FAIR. Bristow declares that he did not The House Committee Decides on an egard Beavers as an honest man. Appropriation of \$475,000.

Baron De Rosen, ex-minister of Jap-Washington, March 24 .- A substian, declares that the cabinet was tuie for the senate Lewis and Clark the Daily Mail reports that Kataoa, a bill, carrying an aggregate appropria- Japanese merchant and Russian spy,

The house committee has decided to tion of \$475,000, was today ordered re- has been assassinaated by being buried commend that Federal Judge Swayne, ported by the house committee on ex- alive, but that the Japanese authorities The hail on the streets was a foot deep The provisions of the bill are \$200,- ation. The British house of commons had a

warm debate over the admission of 000 for a government exhibit, includ-Chinese into the Transvaal, but vote of ing forestry and irrigation exhibits; censure was defeated. ensure was defeated. which will include in addition to the Hole Torn in a British Troopship in

Henry Norman, a member of the regular government exhibit, the Philip-British parliament, declares that the pine, Alaska, Hawaiian and Oriental the Japanese Russian war. exhibit. The bill provides that the plans for int buildings shall be pre irman Tawney, of Minnesota, y closing. and Representatives Tawney, an and Bartlett-are strongly in of the Lewis and Clark expo-50,000 asked for. War Funds are Assured. anges is about \$5,000,000. It is e that the increased tax shall be first supposed. Yankee Defies China. accounts he was still at Shangith his gunboat. A Japanese assed out of the river. hem to Vladivostok. The Rusdoes not exceed 75,000. Dussians Prepare for Slege.

Southampton, March 23 .- The Amerconhtrol of China is the real issue of exhibits, and \$25,000 for the Alaskan ican line steamship New York, Captain Young, from New York March 15, for Plymouth, via Cherbourg and by the supervising architect of asury and the buildings erected contract. The cost of preparing rounds and lighting is included in propriation for buildings, and channel with the Peninsula & Oriental propriation for buildings, and rity is granted for the coinage of 00 cold dollars to be used as sony. 0 gold dollars to be used as souvtroops on board. ins the bill in charge, will report vessels. The boats of the Assaye were lowered and the troops were mustered, senate will refuse to accept this but the bulkhead of the troopship tute bill after it is passed by the saved her and the vessel was able to ofference. As all the conferees-pairs. Nobody was injured. RUSSIA EXPECTED AS MUCH. Abandonment of Anju by Her Outposts there is good reason to believe Was Planned. vill increase the appropriation to St. Petersburg, March 23 .- General io, March 24 .- The Diet has accesses that have resulted since Russian skirmishing and advanced out- until picked up. ginning of the war. It is anposts, thrown forward solely for the d by the leaders of both political that they are in complete ac-The compromise whereby the triver are reached. The 50 miles of lieved, will safeguard the boat from land has been reduced and that sed on salt and silk stuffs is elimfrom the bill has disarmed the tion, and the revenue bill will ly skirmishing as the Japanese ad- series of fetes for the benefit of the Red son-as long as last July, jobbers were \$1.10@1.15 per cental. be passed without a dissenting vance progresses, but the Russians are Cross society at his historic mansion. selling Oregon and California pranes. The total amount affected by ance progresses, but the Russians are resolved to avoid a decisive engagement anges is about \$5,000,000. It is until certain of victory. until certain of victory, at the bill as finally passed will Is Military Precaution. for one year, and not five, as Paris, March 23 .- The Russian order stopping entry into Niu Chwang without a permit is understood in official quarters here to be a military precau Francisco, March 24 .- Officers tion due to the uncertainty as to which steamer Coptic, just arrived, of five places the Japanese will choose here during the last four days, 4,000 the river at Shanghai, and re-Iand operations. The five points are been sent to Vladivostok. Of the rest, been sent to Join hat her commander is a Captain the Yalu river, Nin Chwang, Port Ar- been sent to Vladivostok. Of the rest, every ablebodied man in the neighborborn in the United States, but thur, Vladivostok and Pigeon bay. sian by naturalization. When the Russians being unable to determine ing arrived in a wretched condition. some crew and go to clipping wool. It is stated by the commanding officer The price as established here for sheararter emphatically refused, and tack are making preparations and tak- that hereafter the men will arrive at ing is 8 cents where the crew board somebody to make him move. ing precautions at all five points. No Battle on the Yalu. at and a cruiser flying the same St. Petersburg, March 23 .- Beyond Russia to Seize Battleships ris, March 24.— The Echo de in accordance with Russian plans, the advices indicate little change in the situation. No official telegrams an-Wright said that the elections had Not Much it is rumored in naval circles nouncing collisions with the enemy passed off quietly, and that great interthat Captain Reitzenstein's Viad- had been received up to noon. The est was manifested in the results. He there is very little if any illegal fishing sour cream, 26 %c. added that the Filipinos showed them- being done on the Columbia at the ke at a certain point in the Pat from Chile by Japan and return is discreted. t from Chile by Japan and return is discreted. eneral staff, estimates that the Midshipmen From Washington. er of Japanese troops landed in Washington, March 23 .- The follow-Petersburg, March 24.-The Rus-are continuing preparations for a Ralph Hover, of Hoquiam, by Repre-Ranch sheds, barns, groves on timber ctive siege of Port Arthur by sentative Jones; and James H. McCool, claims and property along the railroad Echo-A large lok of sugar beet seed prime, 24c. g large quantities of supplies to of Walla Walla, by Representative has been destroyed. Several narrow has been received here and planters are Cushman.

DEPENDS ON FIRST LAND BATTLE. CAPTURES FORT Russia Believes That It Will Decide

Whether China Remains Neutral. St. Petersburg, March 23 .- In government circles there exists a strong belief that the question as to whether China will observe her neutrality will

depend largely upon the result of the Engagement by Lund and Sea Forces first heavy land fighting. A big vict-Said to Have Lasted Two Days- ory by the Russian army, it is believed, Land Forces Were Victorious-Rus- will insure the acquiescence of the Cesians Reported to Mave Been Routed

lestial empire, but there are grave lears as to what might happen in the event found in the tax exemption act passed of a signal Japanese success in the early stages of the land operations. For the Tokio, March 23 .- The newspapers time being the situation appears to be tain a report that. Port Arthur has

sea attack began of Saturday, was con- has given him fair assurance in answer be claimed as exempt. The doubt be forced out of business tinued throughout the day and night to his questions regarding the move- arises from the use of the semi-colon

great wall. The natives manifest a There is no confirmation from government sources of the newspaper reports.

sustain a really disastrous defeat on Japanese Cross Tatung Pass, Forty and perhaps against all foreigners. Russia's present plans are based on the Later advices established the fact that Chronicle's Shanghai correspondent of the first land battle, and no fighting the admiral had simply gone with the hears from Niu Chwang that the Jap- on a large scale will take place, if it undamaged portion of his fleet to the anese crossed Tatung pass, 40 miles possibly can be avoided, until the Rus

Higginsville, Mo., March 23 .- Fifty buildings are partly wrecked, one man is mortally injured and several others hurt, the town is in darkness, and the streets strewn with debris as the result of a tornado and hailstorm, which struck this place late this afternoon. positions, the vote being unanimous. disavow any knowledge of the assassin- within five minutes after the storm came, and some of the hailstones were very large. Dozens of trees in the town were blown down and several

The wind and hail came first and were followed by a terrific downpour of rain which flooded nearly every cellar in the

**HAPPENINGS HERE IN OREGON** 

FLAW IN EXEMPTION LAW.

Phrase in Doubt. Salem -One more flaw has been

by the legislatere at its special session. While there is no uncertainty as to the tion with the object of trying to obtain here publish extra editions which con- satisfactory, and it is certainly much intent of the framer of the bill, the a better lumber freight rate from the better than it was three weeks ago. The Pekin government has reiterated question whether there is a center fumity for Southern Pacific. The rate as it now is is demoralizing the lumber industry question whether there is any limit to is is demoralizing the lumber industry allen. They state that a combined land and Paul Lessar, the Russian minister, and the value of household goods that may

ment of Chinese troops north of the instead of a comma.

The attack was renewed Monday friendlier disposition than they did at county, father of the bill, was commorning and the fortress was taken. the beginning of the war, but the Rus-municated with in regard to it, and rethe beginning of the war, but the as no siaps know the Oriental character as no other Europeans do. They know how limitation on the exemption should ap-A Japanese victory is declared to in China, and that the only prestige of erated. In other words, that the \$300

the Russians is their strong arm. The recent naval success of the Jap-anese has not greatly impressed the tion is whether this intention can be Chinese, but if the Russians should uscertained from the language used. land the Chinese might suddenly be ial session of 1903, provides that the aroused, with the connivance or even following property shall be exempt

"The following property, if owned London, March 23 .- The Daily appreciation of the supreme importance kept for use, by and for his or her family; household goods, furniture and outer roads, where he could more effec- from Haicheng, and that collisions sians feel morally certain that they can team, whicle, harness or library neces-

sary to enable any person to carry on his trade, occupation or profession by which such person earns his or her living to the amount of three hundred

exempt from taxation." The supreme court of this state has one of the most productive seasons in several times decided that punctuation the fruit line that this valley has ever marks are not controlling in construing known. an act for the purpose of ascertaining

Favorable Report on Rural Route.

Oregon City-E. C. Clement, special inspector for the government for rural meaning of the legislature. But in and favorably reported on a third route that case the court found that the to be operated from the Oregon City town. The storm came from the west. meaning was otherwise clear. It is not postoffice. The route was inspected town. The storm came from the west. certain that the language of the exemp-It kept within a narrow path, at least certain that the language of the exemp-after a largely signed petition having

## BETTER LUMBER RATE WANTED. Use of a Semi-Colon Leaves Meaning of Cottage Grove Citizens Inaugurate Movement Affecting Southern.

Cottage Grove-A meeting of the business men of this place was held at the city hall last week for the purpose of discussing and effecting an organizain this valley and if a better rate cannot be obtained many of the mills will

NO. 45.

A committee was appointed to draft some line of procedure and after much discussion the meeting adjourned to meet again Tuesday night. If the recommendations of the committee will be adopted all Western Oregon will be drawn into the matter in question.

## Far-Reaching Irrigation Rules.

Salem-The proposed irrigation rules which were recently sudbmitted to the state land board for approval are designed to apply to all the irrigation projects in the Deschutes country. The rules were proposed by both the Deschutes irriagtion and power company and the Three Sisters irrigation emopany. The former company has absorbed the Pilot Butte development company and the Oregon irrigation company and acquired other interest utensils; two cows ten sheep, five swine giving it control of some 200,000 acres and the tools, implements, apparatus, of arid land. The Three Sisters company has a tract of 27,000 acres.

## Grand Ronde Fruit Outlook.

La Grande-Judd Geer, horticulturist commissioner for the Eastern Oregon (\$300) dollars, the articles to be select- district, states that the fruit prospects ed by such householder; provided, for this district are excellent for all vahowever, that when the assessed valua- rieties, and that the weather conditions tion of the personal property above have been very favorable for fruit. enumerated shall amount to less than Budding has been kept back to an exthree hundred (\$300) dollars, then tent on account of the cool weather, only such amount as the total of such and the trees are considered beyond the propertty herein enumreated shall be danger line as far as frost or freezing is concerned. Mr. Geer looks forward to

the censent of Japan, against Russia, from taxation:

deal the enemy a crushing blow.

WIND LIFTS ROOF.

Tornado Wrecks Fifty Buildings in **Missouri** Town.

horses were killed in the street. The storm came without warning.

its meaning. In the port of Portland case, decided last July, the supreme court changed the location of punctuation marks in order to arrive at the

I DLEWHLD LODGE. No. 187, L. O. O. F., masts in Fraternal Hall, every Thursday night. J. R. REES, N. G. BERT ENTRICAN, Secretary.	the Indian appropriation bill to pay the Klamath Indians \$537,007, in set-	the go pared
LTOOD RINER CHAPTER, No. 27, R. A. M.,	tlement of their claims against the gov.	the trunder
I meets third Friday night of each month. G. R. CANTNER, H. P. M. MCDONALD, Secretary.	ernment. The senate committee on Indian	the gr
COURT HOOD RIVER No. 42, Foresters of America, meets second and fourth Mon- days in each month in K. of P. Hall.	affairs, in reporting the Indian appro- priation bill, cut off the provision for	the ap autho 250,00
L. C. HAYNES, C. R. F. C. BROSIUS, Financial Secretary.	increasing the capacity of the Chema- wa school. This reduces the appropria-	eniis. Cha
LAUREL REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE, No. 57, L. O. O. F., meets first and third Fridays in each month. FRANCIS MORSE, N. G. THERESS CANTREN, Secretary.	tion for that school \$8,000. An immense steel plant will be erect-	who h it, and Sunda
HOOD RIVER LODGE No. 105, A. F. and A. M., meets Saturday evening on or before each full moon. C. D. THOMPSON, W. M.	ed at San Diego, California. Andrew Carnegle has given another \$5,000,000 for educational purposes.	The substi
R. B. SAVAOR, Secretary. OLETA ASSEMBLY No. 103, United Artisans, meets first and third Wednesdays, work; second and fourth Wednesdays, social; Arti- sans hall, F. C. BROSIUS, M. A.	America has asked Russia to treat kindly Japanese noncombatanta in Si-	to con Senate
sams hall. F. C. BROSUS, M. A. E. M. MCCARTY, Secretary. RIVERSIDE LODGE No. 68, A. O. U. W., meets first and third Saturdays of each month	breis. Germany will support Russia in pro-	Danie Sherm favor
E. R. BRADLEY, Financier. W. B. SHUTE, W. M. J. O. HAYNES, Recorder.	testing against the concentration of Chinese troops. Republicans of the Tenth congress-	they y
DR. W. T. ROWLEY	ional district, Georgia, have nominated a negro for congress.	tate of
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, OCULIST Office and Pharmacy, Hood Biver	C. H. Markham, formerly of Port- land, is to be made manager of the Southern Pacific railroad.	Tok adopte in the
Heights. Phone, Main 961. E. H. HARTWIG	Captain Piper, of New York, on in-	eral st the b
E. LAWYER	vestiagtion, declares Chicago police to be a disgrace to the city.	noune
Will Practice in All Courts.	Rear Admiral Walker tells the house	cord w
Office with Culbertson & Co.	committee that actual work on the Panama canal will be begun about	war.
HOOD RIVER OREGON C. H. JENKINS, D. M. D.	June.	tax on propos
CONTRACTOR AND	Chairman Tawney, of the house com-	inated
DENTIST.	mittee on expositions, still contends that the government appropriation for	likely
Specialist on Crown and Bridge Work. Telephones: Office, 281; residence, 94.	the 1905 fair must be expended by agents.	vote. the ch
Office over Bank Bldg. Hood River, Oregon	Sully, the great cotton king, has been	said th
H. L. DUMBLE,	forced to suspend.	provid levied
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Successor to Dr. M. F. Bhaw. Calls promitly answered in town or country.	Japan promises America to protect fully all foreiners at Fusan.	was at
Day or Night. Telephones: Residence, 611; Office, 613. Office over Reed's Grocery.	The senate has confirmed the nomin- ation of Wood to be major general.	San of the
J. F. WATT, M. D.	Bombardments of Port Arthur have not changed the general aspect of the	eaw t
Physician and Surgeon.	town.	port t
Telephones: Office, 281; residence, 283. SURGEON O. R. & N. CO.	Russian troops have been ordered to rest Coreans instead of fighting them as belliserants	a Rus ordere
JOHN LELAND HENDERSON	as belligerants. Chief Pinchot urgges the house com-	tain C
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, ABSTRACTER, NO- TAKY FUBLIC and REAL ESTATE AGENT.	mittee to provide for a forestry exhibit at the 1905 fair.	At las hai w
For 25 years a resident of Gregon and Wash- ington. Has had many years experience in Eval Estate matiers, as abstractor, sescriber of Utles and agent. Satisfaction guaranteed or	Hearst has asked the house to ap- point a committee to investingte the workings of the trusts.	gunbo flag pi
A. A. JAYNE.	Booker Washington dec.ares encour- agement of negroes to be taxpayers is	Par
	the salvation fo the race.	Paris savs
LAWYER.	The Russian fleet has returned to Port Arthur, being unable to losate the	there
Abstracts Furnished. Money Loaned.	enemy.	ivosto
Hood River, Oregon.	The house will require the postmaster general to make known regulations be-	cific t
F. C. BROSIUS, M. D.	fore he can make appropriations for handling "musual business."	bough with !
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. 'Phone Central, or 121.	Britain and France have settled long	sian g
Office Hours: 10 to 11 A. M.; 2 to 3 and 6 to 7 P. M.	standing dispute over Newfoundland fisheries.	Corea
BUTLER & CO.,	Japan is landing a third force in Cores, which will join the army at	St.
BANKERS.	Ping Yang.	sians prospe
Do a general banking business.	Bristow exonerates congressmen from wrongdoing in securing increases in	rushiz
HOOD RIVER. OBEGON	postal clerk hire.	that p

the tornado portion, only about two Southampton, met with two mishape blocks of the business portion of the today, grounding off Cape La Hague, town being damaged. France, in the early morning, and lat-Two other towns in this section were in the path of the storm, and both have

cording to meagre reports that are retroopship, bound for Bombay with 500 ceived here tonight several houses in both places have been wrecked, but the exact extent of the damage is not known.

> injured. More than 50 houses were unroofed.

> > ICON TO SHED SHOTS.

Sacred Relic Sent to Russian Torpedo

St. Petersburg, March 23 .- Vice that it will improve any this season," Zhilinsy's official confirmation of the raculous escape of four sailors from the "The fact is that the trade is already are destined for Nome. reports that the Russian outposts aban- torpedo boat destroyer Stereguschtchi, supplied. Everywhere I went I found doned Anju on the approach of the Jap- which foundered during the naval bat- that dealers have all the prunes they anese in force, causes no surprise here, the off Port Arthur March 9. The men want and most of it was bought at d resolutions thanking the navy as such action is in perfect accord with escaped by swimming when the boat pretty low prices. I found a jobber name of the nation for the sev- the Russian plan of campaign. The sank and succeeded in keeping afloat supplied with Oregon prunes that he

The metropolitan archbishop of St. cents in 25 pound boxes. These prunes purpose of harassing and worrying the Petersbrg has sent an icon to the tor- he will sell to the retail dealer at 51% Japanese outposts, fell back as the pedo boat Doshitelny, which in the to 6 cents and the retailers will sell with the program for raising the main body of the enemy moved forward conflict of March 9 managed to elude them to consumers at 835 cents, or the analytic the until the strong positions at the Yalu the Japanese fire This icon, it is be-"How did the jobber get them so

## One Thousand Soldiers a Day.

Harbin, March 23 .- Only 33 military trains have reached here since war though we will have a considerable was declared and not less than half of quantity of carry over stock to sell in these brought ammunition and provi- competition with 1904 prunes." sions. Of the 20,000 troops landed the greater part are on sick leave, hav- hood is making arrangements to join

Washington, March 23 .- Secretary the movement of troops to the Far East, Tait has received a mail report from will have to be rushed to get it out of the way before having begins, which is which is progressing satisfactorily, and Governor Wrigh. concerning the recent

### Range Fire Burns Buildings.

ing midshipmen have been appointed trous prairie fires have swept the but the Oregon officers are not out, to the Annapolis naval academy, from range country. One strip burned is six although they are watching the shore Washington: Guy H. Calhoun, of by 12 miles, another more than 20 to see that no fish are delivered.

NO DEMAND FOR PRUNES.

fair price, he took a carload of fruit

Salem-G. A. Westgate, of Albany, Salem-"The prune situation in the East didn't look good to me," said has tendered to the governor his resig-Bruce Cunningham upon his return board. No reason was given for the A grocery store in the business part from a recent trip to Iowa. Mr. Cunn- resignation. The resignation of Westof this place was wrecked by the storm. ingham is a well-known prune grower gate makes the fourth change in the John Dolphen, a clerk, was mortally of the Liberty neighborhood. After personnel of the board in the last few waiting all winter for an opportunity months, and ber remains. months, and but one experienced memto sell his crop at what he considered a

## Cattle Sold for Nome.

back to Iowa to sell it there himself. Echo-R. N. Stanfield has sold to "The prune market doesn't look good Mr. Cox, agent for the Pacific cold storand I don't see any reason to believe age company, of Tacoma, four carloads of his heaviest beef steers. These cat-Admiral Makaroff has reported the mi- he continued in answer to inquiries. the will remain here until April 15 and

## PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Walla Walla, 75c; bluestem, bought from an Oregon firm at 41% 80c; valley, 81c.

> Barley-Feed, \$21@22 per ton; brewng, \$22.50; rolled, \$24@25.

Flour-Valley, \$3.90@3.95 per barrel; hard wheat straights, \$4@4.20; clears, \$3.85@4; hard wheat patents, cheap? That beats me; but he had \$4.40@4.60; graham, \$3.50@3.90; rye flour, \$4.50@4.90.

Oats-No 1 white, \$1.15@1.20; gray,

Millstuffs-Bran, \$18@19 per ton middlings, \$24.50@26; shorts, \$19@ had all they wanted they stopped buy-ing. That is the condition that exists Hay-Timothy. \$15@16 per ton; ing. That is the condition that exists -the market has been supplied and no clover, \$10@11; grain, \$11@12; cheat,

more are wanted. It looks to me as \$11@12. Vegetables-Turnips, 80c per sack ; carrots, 80c; beets, \$1; parsnips, \$1;

cabbage, 1%@2c; lettuce, head, 25@ 40c per doz; parsley, 25c; tomatoes, \$1.50@1.75 per crate; cauliflower, 75c \$2@2.50 per sack.

Honey-\$3@3.50 per case.

Potatoes-Fancy, 90c@\$1 per cental; common, 60@80c; new potatoes, 3%c per lb; sweets, 5c per lb

Fruits-Apples, fancy, Baldwins and this year. As this is a forward spring Spitzenbergs, \$1.50@2.25 per box; in the Umatilla valley, sheep shearing choice, \$1@1.50; cooking, 75c.

Eggs-Oregon ranch, 1616c. Butter-Sweet cream butter, 30c per lb; fancy creamery, 25@2716c; choice creamery, 23@24c; dairy and store, nominal

Butter Fat-Sweet cream, 28%c;

Poultry-Chickens, mixed, 121/@

Cheese-Full cream, twins, 12@13c; Young America, 14@15c.

Beef-Dressed, 5@71/c per pound. Mutton-Dressed, 6@7c; lambs, 8c. Veal-Dressed, 7@8c.

Pork-Dressed, 7@7%c.

Hops - Choice, 25c per pound

Wool - Valley, 17@18c; Eastern escapes are reported from the ranches. busily engaged in preparing the ground. Oregon, 12@15c; mohair, 32@35c.

stantiate the reported capture of 1,800 selves adepts in political methods, and present time, and the closed season is 13c per pound; springs, small, 16@17c; several years. Deputy Fish Commis- dressed, 18@20c; geese, live, 8c; sioner Burton, of Washington, with ducks, \$8@9 per doz.

Sheep Losing Their Fleece.

Deputy F. B. Lippincott, of the Puget

Hemingford, Neb. March 23 .- Disas- sound district, are patrolling the river,

Sowing Beet Seed at Eche.

# Not Much Illegal Fishing. Astoria-So far as can be ascertained

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Boat Destroyer.

was erroneous.

populations of from 500 to 600. Ac- Eastern Market Has Been Supplied at Very Low Figure.

lished. The new route will dispense with Beaver Creek, Scheubel, Carus and Needy postoffices.

**Resigns From Fair Board.** 

been forwarded to the government au-

thorities asking that the route be estab-

very difficult for the movement of a Prince Abemlik Lazareff, a descend, them, and others bought at the same large force. There may be some live ant of the Armenian kings, is giving a figure. I learned that early in the sea-