

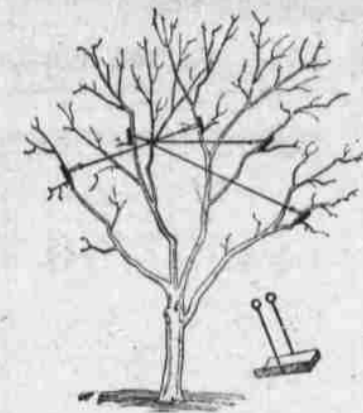
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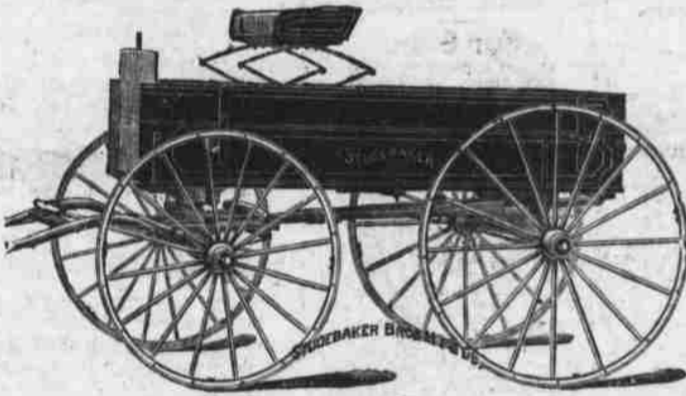
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If your strawberries are not in first-class condition get some of the No. 4 fertilizer and strengthen them up. This fertilizer helps the culls grow into good berries. Now is the time to apply it.

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A car of Studebaker wagons now in contains some special fruit growers' wagons with large size boxes, strong neat and durable, at the same prices that have been asked for less desirable styles. Don't fail to call and examine them when they come in.

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Dam Sudda 228, by Rockwood 1467, sire of five and dams of seven in the list. Second dam Gray Maid, by Brigham Young, son of Whinrop Knox. Third dam Nellie, by Black Stranger, by the Ware horse, son of Gen. Knox. Will make the season at Frank Butten's Place, Hood River.

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Ladies, I thank you for your liberal patronage during the Spring Season, which shows me that you appreciate my efforts to secure for you the Latest Designs in Millinery. I am still receiving fresh invoices each week from Eastern markets, from which I shall be pleased to fill your orders for SUMMER MILLINERY.

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Famous Hood River Strawberries

Our charges are the cost of marketing your Berries, and we ship for you without profit.

FAIR TREATMENT AND NO PREFERENCES.

The office will be open from Thursday, May 12th, in the afternoons, from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m., until Berries begin to ripen, and after that all day and all night if necessary.

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Country Club Inn.

The Glacier man was out rusticking Sunday and in his meanderings brought up at that very popular pleasure resort, Country Club Inn. Few of our people realize what we have in this quiet little inn. The cottage is a model of comfort in every detail. Everything has been constructed with a view to the comfort and convenience, not only of the guests, but also to the employees themselves—a point often neglected in the construction of buildings of this class.

They have a fine, broad, cool porch on the east, fronting on the drive. This veranda is fitted up with the easiest, most comfortable of lounging chairs and is an ideal place to kill time. The parlor is shady and cool, the dining room airy, well lighted and pleasant as a nook in the wildwood. Not the slightest odor from the kitchen ever reaches it, and this coziness is fitted with the latest best appliances known to that important department of the hostelry.

The grounds are dotted with a number of most excellent tents, having board floors and walls, furnished with the same fixtures used in the sleeping apartments of modern hotels. This, in part, has been said a number of other places of entertainment in our city and valley; but there is only one Grandma Munra. The presiding genius at this delightful stopping place, Mrs. Munra, is a celebrity. Her renown reaches from the Pacific to the Atlantic. Her father, Joseph M. Starrett, founded the first newspaper established in Erie, Pa., the Erie Gazette, in 1820. This paper is still being published in Erie.

Horace Greeley, a green, gawky country boy, wearing a slouched hat, trousers two or three years too short for him, a pair of cowhide shoes tied with home cut cowhide thongs, applied to Mr. Starrett to learn the printer's trade. He was put to work in the office much to the disgust of Mrs. Munra's mother, Mrs. Starrett, who said, "Joseph, you do bring in some of the most horrid people."

Young Greeley began his career on the princely salary of \$50 a year and the whole world knows the result. Mrs. Munra has a most charming personality. She is vivacious, yet dignified, enjoys wide acquaintance with all classes of travelers, is genial, kind and gracious alike to all, from her millionaire guest to her most humble domestic. She carries her 73 years with the grace and sprightliness of the maiden of 16 summers, and in her beautiful snowy curls one would not be able to guess within 30 years of her age. There is but one Grandma Munra.

On the register during the week, was noticed, among many others, the names of Misses Poulson, Mrs. A. B. Johnson, Mrs. S. H. W. Digby, San Francisco, L. Mitchell, Miss Lindell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bates, R. L. Dunham, Roy Dunham, Miss Poulson, Mrs. A. B. Johnson, Portland.

The Sunday dinner was all one could expect from such perfect environments. It was prepared in the most perfect manner by Miss Wilcox, the chef, and served in faultless style. The menu consisted of noodle soup, roast chicken, roast beef with dressing, potatoes and asparagus, cabbage salad and tomatoes, apple pie and ice cream, and it was Grandma's ice cream—the best ever.

Grandma was everywhere making everybody happy with her bright winsome manner, and the printer went away calling down blessings on the presiding goddess of Country Club Inn.

Ball-Bearing Hub. Harry V. Rand of Vancouver, nephew of M. V. Rand, with his uncle, M. V., was in Hood River showing a model of his invention of a ball-bearing hub for wheels on vehicles such as bicycles, including railroad cars and automobiles. He has millions of dollars in his invention. It will revolutionize vehicle manufacture, for it is to all vehicles what the ball-bearing is to the bicycle.

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Oregon Bird Law.

Recently we made a plea for the birds. Below we give an extract from the Oregon Bird Law. We respectfully ask our citizens, especially our boys and young men who delight to try their skill with the rifle to carefully read this law and faithfully observe the restrictions placed therein. Not simply because it is a law, but because of the wisdom of the enactment and the good that will accrue from the observance of it.

It is a commendable trait in our boys to desire to become expert marksmen. It is one of the things which makes the army and navy of the United States the most effective in the world and commands respect for our flag; but this skill can be acquired by practice upon such animals and birds as do more harm than good to the industrial interests of our country, to the taking of such creatures as provide food for the hunters, when in season, and not to the destruction of those species which by nature are scavengers, clearing the country of the filth that endangers the health of the community by its pollution of the air and water, and the land of noxious weeds by feeding on their seeds, and protecting the trees and plants by living on the injurious insects which infest them.

We do not believe there is a boy or man in Hood River valley who will willfully violate this bird law when he rightly understands its import. But if there is, no one should hesitate to make complaint against such a person, for it is as much for the good of the violator of the law as for any one that he be brought to account for his crime.

The Bird Law of Oregon (signed by the governor February 24, 1903) protects at all times Gulls, Terns, Song, Weed-Seed Eating, Insectivorous, or other non-game birds, also their nests and eggs. Penalty upon conviction, a fine of not less than \$5 or not more than \$100, and in default of the payment of the fine imposed, imprisonment at the rate of one dollar each day of the fine imposed.

Game birds can only be killed during the open season established by law. Under the federal law a fine not exceeding \$200 is also provided: (1) For the delivery of any birds killed in violation of the laws of Oregon to any express, railroad or steamboat company, or to any other common carrier, for shipment out of the state, (2) For the transportation of such birds by any common carrier out of the state, (3) For shipment out of the state of any package containing game, birds, or other animals, which does not bear the shipper's name and address, and a statement of the nature of the contents.

Railroads and express companies are cautioned against forwarding any package of birds which is improperly marked or supposed to contain birds killed contrary to law.

The public is requested to report violations of the game law to either of the following named societies, or to the Chief Warden: Audubon Society, A. W. Anthony, president; Fish and Game Association, A. E. Gearhardt, secretary, the address in both instances being Portland. Also to J. W. Baker, game and forestry warden, Cottage Grove.

Hooie Goes East.

Great is Barrett and Hooie is her prophet. Grape is hanging on the eyebrows of the Glacier now because of the sudden departure of the great and only Hooie, Thursday, for the bleeding Kansas. Mr. Hooie landed in his bunch of Barrett news Wednesday, and looking sadly at the devil remarked, "Mephistopheles, I leave you tomorrow." "Why thus, father of Barrett?" replied the devil, who will do the Barrett stunt in your absence?" "Barrett will languish until we get our Hooie-a-gain," and the prophet of Barrett shied the shooting stick at the devil as he dodged behind the galley rack. Mr. Hooie did not know when he would return, if at all, as he was going on an important business mission, the result of which was as difficult to foresee as the future of Barrett. The only consolation the Glacier has is, that if our correspondent located in the state of blizzards and bushwhackers he cannot use our Barrett thunder in that country. He has gone on record here hard and fast. He has said "Barrett against the world" and that last word includes the best part of Kansas at least. We do not believe Brother Hooie can procure a divorce from Barrett anyway, certainly not on the grounds of "failure to provide" because we have abundant testimony that the neighbors saw that he did not grow hungry. Great is Barrett and she will surely have her Hooie-a-gain.

M. P. Isenberg's Successor Appointed.

Saturday's Oregonian announces the appointment of Adolph Aschoff as successor of M. P. Isenberg, ex-supervisor of the northern division of the Cascade forest reserve. No better appointment could have been made. Mr. Aschoff is a careful, shrewd, thoroughly educated gentleman, conscientious and faithful in the discharge of his duties, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of the men with whom he has to deal on the range. Mr. Aschoff was Mr. Isenberg's chief ranger and his marked ability in that position was of great assistance to Mr. Isenberg in performing his duties as supervisor, which duties Mr. Isenberg ably executed, not "supposed to have performed" as the correspondent to Oregonian asserts. There is no one who relieves more over the final out come of this investigation than Mr. Isenberg, for he still retains a keen personal interest in the welfare of the forest reserve, and knowing Mr. Aschoff's ability in this service, he is assured the work will be well cared for.

Whoooping Cough.

"In the spring of 1901 my children had whooping cough," says Mr. D. W. Capps, of Capps, Ala. "I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with the most satisfactory results. I think this is the best remedy I have ever seen for whooping cough. This remedy keeps the cough loose, lessens the severity and frequency of the coughing spells, and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by all druggists."

Encampment Program.

First day of G. A. R. Encampment. Reception of guests June 15 at 8 o'clock p. m.

Music by Hood River band. Presentation of the freedom of the city to G. A. R. guests by Mayor Blowers.

Response by Post Department Commander Getzen. Welcome by Hon. E. L. Smith on behalf of the citizens of Hood River valley.

Response by Department Commander Turner. Address of welcome by Hon. M. P. Isenberg on behalf of Cady Post No. 16, G. A. R.

Response by Post Commander Calkins. Welcome address on behalf of the Cady Woman's Relief corps by Mrs. J. W. Rigby. Response by department president of W. R. C.

Address by Captain J. P. Shaw on behalf of the executive committee. Address by department president of the Ladies of G. A. R. The above program will be interspersed with appropriate music. Programs of other days of the entertainment will appear later. By order of program committee. W. B. HOOIE, Chairman.

Nurserymen's Meeting.

Pacific Coast association of Nurserymen's second annual convention will meet Wednesday, June 1, 1904, at Hood River, Oregon. Headquarters, Mount Hood hotel, where meeting hall will be announced. Meeting called to order at 9:30 a. m. by the president, S. A. Miller, Milton, Oregon.

PAPERS AND DISCUSSIONS.

Legislation in its Relation to Nurserymen, also Notes and Comments on Meetings of National Association of Nurserymen—M. McDonald, Salem, Ore. Himalaya Giant Blackberry—A. Brownell, Albany, Oregon.

The Nurseryman and the Fruit Grower—Wilbur K. Newell, Dilley, Ore. Washington Nursery Law Past Year—A. Van Holderbeke, Tacoma, Wash. Floriculture—C. N. Sandall, Seattle, Wash.

Improvement of Nursery Stock—C. P. Hartley, Caldwell, Idaho. Our Association—F. W. Powers, Salem, Ore. Cutting and Care of Scions—A. Holaday, Seaside, Ore. Election of officers.

A question box will be provided for any queries that may be propounded, and the perplexing problems will be solved, if possible, through the combined wisdom of the association. Arrangements will endeavor to be made for a drive to the famous berry fields and orchards of Hood River and a reception is announced for the evening. Music will be provided.

G. W. Miller of the Milton nursery will be prepared with cornet solo selections, accompanied by Mrs. Miller. Selections by a mixed quartette and vocal solos are also promised by members.

OFFICERS.

S. A. Miller, president, Milton, Ore. Vice Presidents: J. B. Pilkington, Portland, Ore.; J. A. Stewart, (Christophers), Wash.; Chas. J. Hartley, Caldwell, Idaho; Eric, Salt Lake, Utah; C. A. Tommerson, secretary-treasurer, Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. H. C. Campbell, manager of the Regular line of steamers, has kindly granted a round trip excursion for 100 from Portland to Hood River for \$2. Good meals provided on board for 35 cents. Boats leave the Regular company's office, Alder street wharf, at 7 a. m. In order to arrive at Hood River in time for meeting, June 1, it will be necessary to leave Portland, by this route, at 7 a. m. May 31.

All nurserymen on the Pacific coast, including seedsmen, florists, horticultural implement makers, are invited to attend and become members if not already enrolled. A special invitation is extended to the ladies to attend this meeting.

Interests for the general welfare of the nursery business are identical to those of each individual and it is by pulling together we can enlarge and better the scope of our work. The Knights of Pythias lodge room has been secured for the meeting on Wednesday next. A reception for the nurserymen and their wives will be given Wednesday evening.

An Interesting Article.

W. A. Laidlaw has an article in the May number of the Chamber of Commerce Bulletin in which he gives some very interesting statistics concerning the results of irrigation in the United States. Among other things he says:

On the authority of the United States census for 1890, the important statement is made that there were hardly more than 3,000,000 acres of land in the country which had felt the transforming touch of irrigation. Of these, a little more than 1,000,000 acres were in California, while Colorado included 800,000 acres. The total value of these lands were placed at \$206,800,000, averaging \$83.28 per acre. The irrigated lands of Utah were valued at \$84.25 per acre, while those of the Golden State averaged \$150 per acre. The aggregate cost of the entire irrigated area reached the sum of \$77,490,000, and the net profit of the farmers and owners of the irrigating ditches was \$219,370,000. This enormous cost was due to an extensive system of pipes under ground, tending toward a great economy of water usage and the prevention of loss by seepage. In some of the irrigating districts of California water right cost as much as \$500 per acre, though the average cost was \$39.28 per acre.

Here in Hood River we can give Mr. Laidlaw several points to the good and discount him. Our water rights are acquired at a cost of \$30 an inch, requiring not more than an inch to an acre. Our net receipts run from \$100 to \$500 per acre, and our cultivated irrigated land is valued at from \$500 to \$1,000 per acre.

Railroad Excursion to Salem.

Sunday, June 6, 1904, Sunset Lodge No. 130, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, will run their fourth annual excursion to Salem.

Sufficient coaches will be furnished to provide seats for all. At the State Fair grounds a first class entertainment will be given to amuse the excursionists, consisting of base ball, bicycle races, bicycle trick riding and many other first class attractions. Program of amusements will be distributed at a later date.

This will be the only opportunity of this nature this season for the people of Hood River and vicinity to spend a day of keen and wholesome pleasure. The committee in charge are careful and experienced railroad men and will spare no time or expense to make this day one long to be remembered. No liquors sold on trains or at the grounds, and perfect order will be maintained. Lunches and refreshments can be procured at the grounds.

Come with us and spend a day of enjoyment and help us to provide a fund to care for our sick and disabled members. Tickets for sale at O. R. & N. ticket office.

O. R. & N. Summer Book.

The handsome 1904 summer book, "Recreational Resorts," issued by the passenger department of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company is just out. It tells all about the summering places of the Columbia River valley—a brief description of the trips up and down the Columbia river to the mountains, beaches, inland resorts and fountains of healing, where they are and how to reach them. The book has a special designed front cover, printed in two colors, and the inside pages are splendidly illustrated by costly and beautiful half tones. A copy of this publication may be obtained by sending two cents in stamps to A. L. Craig, general passenger agent of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Co., Portland.

Follow the Band.

The band boys will serve ice cream in Potter's grove at Belmont Saturday of this week and in Hood River Monday of next week. The proceeds are to be used to help pay for the new instruments which will be here this week, and which cost nearly \$400. Give the boys a boost. They deserve it.