

Hood River Glacier

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A REGURGITATION OF PARK

We do not like that word any too well, but it seems to us to express the situation into which the municipal auto park has wound itself.

In view of the fact that privately owned automobile parks are being rapidly developed in Oregon as they long ago were developed in California, to the point where they can adequately handle the motor tourists, we would seriously advise that the council may find a way out of the embarrassment that the auto park has raised by the sale of the property.

If, however, the city is going to retain ownership of the park property, it is our belief that the park should be operated under city control as a city park and with all concessions eliminated.

We would not recommend that the city sell all of the Batchelder tract. The location is excellent for development as a city park and recreation grounds.

We commented last week on the peculiar position Mr. Huelet has placed himself in the park matter because of his failure to resign from the council while receiving a salary as park employe and while negotiating for the lease of the park.

Because of our comment we did not wish to intimate that Mr. Huelet had been involved in dishonest intrigue. While we and many other citizens have disagreed with him at every turn in the matter of the park, our observation of his conduct has revealed the failure to resign as the only place for criticism.

Mr. Huelet told us Tuesday that he was ready to tender his resignation last summer, but refrained from such action when his fellow councilmen asked him to remain on the body. He stated that the matter was referred to the city attorney who advised that his resignation was not a necessity.

THE BRIDGE

The Bridge. By whatever name it may be known to the rest of the Northwest, to us here in Hood River it will always be just "The Bridge."

During the past few days, when the sunshine of late autumn poured its gold over the steelwork of the chains span and the white line of railings step the decks of the other spans, we have heard more than one citizen murmur, "It looks like a million dollars."

And today, the Thanksgiving day of 1924, we may well be thankful for enterprise, foresight and energies of our Hood River citizens and our neighbors of Klickitat and Skamania counties, Washington.

The Bridge will be dedicated December 6, with the folk of all the mid-Columbia districts participating. Let that dedicatory ceremony be an occasion for a rededication of ourselves to the promotion of the spirit that was brought into being when folk of mid-Columbia communities grasped the idea that was conceived by Messrs. Chandler and Gray and proceeded to execute it.

THE ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

If growers of the valley take enough serious interest in the session, the economic conference scheduled for Thursday and Friday of next week should prove of inestimable worth. Apple, pear, cherry and berry growers will be given production and market statistics of the nation and from an export standpoint. Valuable data will be made available by the group of specialists from the Oregon Agricultural College for the dairymen and poultry raiser.

We would urge that all ranchers and business men cooperate with the

Hood River Experiment Station in making this event one of the most successful ever held here.

A man aged 70 was in the other day and in the course of the conversation discussed briefly on the things for which a man might be thankful.

"I haven't amassed much of this world's goods," he said, "but of what real benefit would they be to me? I was kept pretty busy hustling in the days of my earning capacity finding the money to give my two daughters an education. My efforts, I think, were well expended, and today I find a real satisfaction in observing them in successful careers."

The above may not have been his exact words, but they were the substance. And today, Thanksgiving day, who is it that feels a greater thanks for the blessings of a beneficent Providence than parents, who have bent their will, harnessed their energies and expended their toll and thought in the rearing of a family of successful boys and girls? There is a real contentment in their hearts.

Let's cooperate, all of us, laymen, physicians, health authorities and civic bodies banded together for the protection of health, in curbing the spread of contagious diseases among the children of the schools. We wonder if some of the families of Hood River have sensed the real seriousness of scarlet fever. We have been fortunate in that no more serious consequences have ensued from the numerous cases we have had.

There is no need for any hysteria to develop, if everyone will faithfully observe quarantine laws and the general rules of sanitation. In case quarantine laws are not strictly observed, however, we may generate an unhealthy state of panic for the community.

Hood River is now really the hub of the mid-Columbia Cascades. Take a ride in an airplane, as many of our citizens have the past several weeks, and you will see roads, radiating like spokes, in every direction. The Bridge is a kind of master spoke.

We don't need to tell you, do we, to get out to the Firemen's ball tonight?

BARRETT OPERETTAS Grade and primary students of the Barrett school Tuesday night scored a hit in two operettas. They were directed by Mrs. C. H. Henney, supervisor of music in the city and county schools, who won plaudits for the production of the children in their drills and musical selections.

Pomona Grange Wednesday Hood River County Pomona grange will meet next Wednesday for an all day and night session at Park grange hall on the West Side. Grangers from all sections of the valley will be present, according to M. D. Odell, master. A dinner will be served at noon.

Team Track Relief Sought

The Chamber of Commerce Tuesday wrote to the O-W-R-N-C seeking favorable action toward the hard surfacing of the team track near the local freight station. Apple shippers are cooperating with Ted Baker, the chamber secretary, in an effort to secure relief from present conditions.

W. O. W. to Celebrate

The Woodmen of the World lodge will celebrate the opening of new lodge rooms in the First National Bank Building next Thursday night. Grand officers of Oregon and members of lodges at The Dalles, Dufur and White Salmon will be present, according to H. J. Lindsay, secretary.

d'Anjou Bring \$3.50

Dan Wulfe & Co. yesterday received a cablegram from London announcing the sale of a cargo of d'Anjou pears at prices that will net better than \$3.50 per box to growers.

Old Fashioned Dance Planned

"Sing me the old songs, mother, and let me dance the old time minuet, schottische or waltz." Such are the opening remarks of J. C. Devin & Son in announcing an old fashioned dancing party at the Mt. Hood Community hall Friday evening of next week.

OBITUARY

William Tollman

Funeral services were held last Saturday at the Anderson chapel for William Tollman, son of Mrs. P. A. Tollman, naval veteran of the great war, who died Wednesday night. Rev. A. E. Hall, pastor of the Christian and Missionary Alliance church, officiated. Interment followed at Idlewild cemetery.

Mrs. Mary M. Aldridge

Funeral services were held Saturday at the Hartness chapel for Mrs. Mary M. Aldridge, aged 74, who died at the home of a daughter at Doe. Interment followed at Idlewild cemetery.

WOMEN'S CLUB NEWS

The benefit card party given by the Woman's club Wednesday of last week was a great success, and \$96.25 was realized for the hospital fund. Mrs. Edgar Franz arranged for 35 tables of cards at which prominent women of the club acted as hostesses.

A number of tables were reserved by card clubs and the Welfare club of St. Mark's Guild. Prizes were won by Mrs. and Mrs. A. A. Franz, Mrs. A. S. Boyd, Mrs. E. E. Goodrich and Mrs. C. B. Woolpert.

Mrs. S. E. Bartness conducted a round-table and prepared a program for those who did not play cards. Readings were given by Helen Richards and Norman Wilbur. Wesley Wilbur gave a cornet solo and Janet Slade gave several piano numbers and accompanied Mr. Wilbur.

Wednesday, December 3, the next meeting of the Woman's club, will be given by Miss E. M. Davidson will have charge of the program for the afternoon.

LEGION NOTES

Four local legionnaires were the victims of a wreck Monday night at the Country club. Baker, Bob Frey, Clyde Burke and Howard Hackler were initiated into the local cottage of the 40 and 8, the playground order of the Legion.

The next meeting of the local post of the American Legion will be held next Monday evening at the court house. The election of officers will be the main business of the evening. All members are urged to be present and help make this meeting one of the big meetings of the year.

Don't forget that 1925 dues are payable now. Make the check payable to the American Legion and send it to Don McLeod, post adjutant. Let's have everyone paid up by December 15. Get a new member!

Big Cake Given Away Last Night

Iscenberg & Thornton gave as a reward to the best cakewalkers last night the most huge cake ever seen here. The advertising entertaining tickled the theatre going public with amusing unique and comic incidents.

Last Thursday night the entertainers presented "Rastus in the Radio Shop," showing one of H. B. Reed's most up to date acts.

Tuesday Temperature 23 Degrees

A minimum temperature of 23 degrees accompanied the first hot frost of the season here Tuesday night, the coldest of the year.

St. Mark's Church

Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock next Sunday. Church school meets as usual at 9.45. Rev. L. H. Miller, Rector.

English Lutheran Church

Regular services at 11 a. m. The school meets at 10.30 a. m. P. Hildebrandt, Pastor.

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