

HOOD RIVER-WHITE SALMON BRIDGE NOW OPEN



Above—New span with hills of Hood River in background. Below—Leslie Butler driving the last spike. Photo by Reeves.

DAGGATT & HAVENER FINISH SHIPPING

Among the interested Washington people here last Saturday to participate in the opening of the bridge were H. W. Daggatt and W. J. Havener, Lyle, Wash., apple growers and shippers. These men last summer formed the firm of Daggatt & Havener. They have made a record in their handling of apples for the Lyle growers this season. They erected a 50 by 125 warehouse last fall. They assembled the fruit and sold for cash. The crop showed a shortage of 25 per cent over 1923. There were 71 cars loaded through their house, only two of which were consigned. Growers were well pleased with the manner in which the operators disposed of their crops and made prompt settlement. The growers' fruit has been all cleaned up and they have their money for the new year.

The Lyle growers were well represented at the opening of the bridge and will enjoy many benefits which Hood River offers to the Washington districts. The completion of the highway has made the Lyle district a neighbor of Hood River, as it is possible for the wives and children to visit the glass windows and take in the movies.

SCHOOL NEWS

The second six weeks period of the first semester ended last Friday and the report cards of pupils in all schools were given out to be taken home to the parents Wednesday of this week. The parents are requested to examine these carefully to notice the progress of their children and to sign the cards, returning them as soon as possible. The first semester will end Friday, January 23, and is now two-thirds completed.

A series of fire drills were held at the Park street school Monday afternoon by Supt. Cannon and School Clerk Acheson. It was found that in regard to the drills with the three exits open the 400 pupils of the school got out of the building in less than a minute. When one of the stairways was blocked 200 pupils on the school floor got down in only five or ten seconds over one minute. The drill was repeated, with the same results on the other stairway.

County Nurse Whitteker devoted much of her time last Monday morning in examining each and every person in the high school for symptoms of scarlet fever. One person was sent home because of a sore throat, but this was to prevent spreading colds. No indications of scarlet fever were discovered, much to the satisfaction of all. Miss Whitteker made daily inspection at all schools this week.

The freshmen English classes have been divided into two groups. Those whose work has not been satisfactory are reviewing the past 12 weeks' work. Those who do not need the review are working on advertising projects. They are representing rival toy shops and are writing the advertisements for the Christmas sales in their most effective English. This was the regular high school assembly held by Prin. Gibson Tuesday morning, an excellent program was given. The first number was a song by the Girls' Glee club, directed by Mrs. C. H. Henney. Then the High School debating club, under the direction of Miss Esther Bettinger, presented the question, "Resolved, That the Govern-

ment Should Own and Operate the Coal Mines." The affirmative side was given by Lois Jean Sinclair and Ed Naumes; the negative side was taken by Clifton Emmel and Howard Miller. All the speakers did very well considering their experience, but the negative side won the decision of the judges unanimously. Wilho Beljongs were making up their decision Miss Helen Jones, a last year's graduate, sang a double number, accompanied by Mrs. Henney at the piano.

Next Friday night another high school party will be held. This will be by the pupils of the junior and freshman classes, for themselves and their parents, all of whom are especially invited to attend.

At next Tuesday's assembly reports will be given by the four pupils who attended the high school conference at the University of Oregon last week. These pupils are: Verdina Isbell, Miriam Brown, Ed Naumes and Ernest McKittrick. At the Christmas assembly the following week a Christmas play will be put on.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors last Monday night a number of items of public interest were discussed and disposed of. The resignation of Prof. L. F. Henderson, teacher of French in the high school, and Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell, teacher of the fourth grade in the Park street school, were received and accepted. The work of Rev. C. R. Delepine to succeed Prof. Henderson temporarily at the high school was approved. Mrs. C. H. Cramer was elected to fill out the unexpired contract of Mrs. Mitchell at the Park street school. The board also passed a resolution directing the superintendent to exclude from school after December 15 all pupils whose personal tuition was not paid by that time. The school clerk's census for 1924 shows 655 boys and 672 girls, between the ages of 4 and 20 years, legally residing in School District No. 3, a total of 1128. This number is somewhat less than last year's total.

Dr. C. H. Jenkins, member of the school board, was sent as a representative of this school district to the state meeting of boards of directors held at the Oregon building in Portland Wednesday of this week.

WOMEN'S CLUB NEWS

One of the most interesting meetings of the year, an educational meeting, was held by the Women's club last Wednesday. The civic committee, with Miss May Davidson in charge, discussed matters of the city government.

Harold Hershner, president of the city council, gave a short talk on the auto park. He told of the improvements already made and of those contemplated in the near future. He also presented briefly the problem that confronts the council concerning the park at the present time.

J. W. Crites gave a clear resume of the city's financial status. Mrs. C. A. Bell gave statistics comparing the budgets of Hood River and The Dalles.

Traffic Officer Morrison, called "Best Speed Cop in the State," lived up to his reputation by giving a snappy but practical talk on traffic rules.

E. C. Smith, city attorney, told of the city government and briefly sketched the paving program here.

Miss Davidson concluded the program by summarizing and bringing up the problem of beautifying the triangular strip of ground at the intersection of State and Oak streets at the west end of town.

Before the regular speakers Mrs. W. W. Rodwell was chairman of an entertainment program. As this was also guest day Mrs. J. C. Meyer and Mrs. W. L. Nichols, members of the social committee, served light refreshments.

Mrs. Hayes Blackford, chairman of the Child Welfare committee, will have charge of the next meeting, Wednesday, December 17.

Miss Adella Prichard, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, was guest of honor at a dinner meeting of the Hood River Business Women's club last Friday evening. Following an appeal from Miss Prichard and Mrs. Wm. Manroe, the local club adopted a resolution which has been forwarded to the Oregon congressmen and members elect of the coming legislature, asking for support of the proposed constitutional amendment which will empower congress to regulate the employment of children in industries.

Miss Prichard told of activities of the national convention at West Baden, Ind., last summer, and of plans for the 1925 convention at Portland, Me., next July.

A dinner meeting of the local chapter of the American Association of University Women will be held at the Mount Hood hotel tomorrow evening at 6:30 o'clock. Miss Louise Shields, secretary of the national labor commission of Oregon, will be the chief speaker. She will tell of her aims for an educational survey of the county and her interest in the successful Kiddie Kamp which was established last fall during the apple harvest season and which will be repeated on an expanded scale next year.

All teachers of the valley, whether members of the organization or not, and mothers of school children are invited to attend the dinner session.

Why Not Get Together?
December 8, 1924.

Editor Glacier: Permit me to call your attention to a few facts and I will promise not to take up any more of your time.

The new city park after due and careful consideration (six months of it) was purchased by the city council, as they considered it a good opportunity to acquire a desirable city park and pay for it by operating part of it as an automobile park for tourists.

This appeared—and still appears foolish—especially with the support of our citizens. Hood River, of all places, should have an attractive and well equipped auto park. The day of the small park has passed. Auto tourists go to the better ones and advise others where the better ones are.

Auto tourists from all parts of the United States and Canada, who have stopped in our new park are unanimous in telling us we have the most attractive and best equipped auto park in the Northwest, and this comment comes spontaneously and unolicited, and should mean something to Hood River. The natural beauty especially impresses all. How many citizens have seen their new park? Staying over to see Hood River valley? It also means more money here.

The tourists who stop in our park will leave more money here in one season than the total cost of the entire city park tract. This is not may be, it is an assured fact.

Hood River now has a really beautiful park. It should be a credit to the whole valley and the return from it will be greater than we have. It will also bring to us the most desirable kind of advertising.

The city has bought and equipped the new park. Would it not be worth while for everyone here to boost it and help make and keep it the outstanding auto park of all, and reap the benefits which will surely come from such an institution? Why not ditch our hammers and buy a horn? Those who oppose and knock the new park serve no good purpose. They only encourage others to open competition parks, and their action will only tend to lessen the earning power of our park and render it liable to be a tax burden, which it should not and need not be with proper support.

I have no apologies to offer for the part I have taken in helping to acquire and equip the new park. Someone had to be on the job and I fall to recall anyone else offering to do it. It came to me as a duty that I could do in my poor way perform and I have done my best according to my humble perception. Whether you believe it or not, my desire has been and is to help all I can in furthering the best interests of our community, to do something for the place I live in and love profoundly.

Yours for harmonious community effort.
C. O. Huelt.

Barrett P-T Meeting
The regular meeting of the Barrett Parent-Teacher Association will be held at the school house Tuesday evening, December 16, at 8 o'clock. C. King Benton and Miss Julianne Benton will play a violin and piano duet. County Supt. Crites will talk on "School Law Every Parent Should Know" and will also give a short discussion of club work. The Barrett Campfire Girls will sing, and Miss Iva Howey, of the high school, will discuss "The Country Child in the Town High School."

During the social hour refreshments will be served.

Skamania Camps Closed
The logging camps of the Wind River Lumber Co. in the Carson valley have been closed because of the heavy snowfall. The Logging Basin Co., also located in Skamania county, has closed its camps for the winter.

A WARNING TO PARENTS OF DISTRICT
After a survey of the situation relative to communicable diseases among children, I find that we are liable to bring on ourselves a serious epidemic following the holiday season. For the first three days this week a number of cases of scarlet fever have been reported.

This is the season of the year when every community, school and Sunday school is preparing for a cantata, Christmas tree or other form of entertainment, in which the younger children as a rule participate. I wish to warn parents, teachers and those in charge of plans for younger children that any such plans for this year should be cancelled. Every effort should be taken to keep the smaller children of the community

isolated at their own homes. I consider that the danger that would arise from a spread of the communicable diseases of children at the usual Christmas entertainments this year such as to cause grave alarm, and parents are urged to cooperate to their utmost with health authorities.

Dr. Jesse Edgington, County and City Health Officer.
Editor Honors Teacher
R. M. Hamill, superintendent of the Cascade Locks public schools, was the recipient of an honor recently, when he was notified by the editor of the Oregon Technical Record, a magazine published by the federated engineers of Oregon Agricultural College, that he was on "the eternal mailing list" of the publication; that is, being editor of the magazine during his four years in Oregon Agricultural College, this courtesy was extended to him. Mr. Hamill also has been requested to contribute editorials and articles

of interest to the readers of the magazine. The magazine will be added to the list of magazines on the library table in the high school reading room.

Parkdale Roads Are Fine
The highways of the Upper Valley are fine, according to J. F. Thompson, here Saturday on a shopping tour. Mr. Thompson says that the lateral connecting Parkdale with the Loop highway is better than the trunk route, as the Upper Valley road superintendent has kept it well dragged and otherwise cared for.

"Apple harvest work is done," said Mr. Thompson, "and the Upper Valley folk are ready for winter weather. We haven't had much yet. The little snow we had the other day has about all melted off."

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