HOWAPH-Moses Lake, name in ʰawachkin language of Moses' people.

HYM SYM SMAH-~~Igmalix~~ Old Chief and Wives, name for Signal Peak

south of White Swan.

Husum —   in white salmon country —

Hood River

See West Shore, 1887 edition, pp 778.

Hartline, a town in the northwestern part of Grant County. The first settlement was named Parnell for an old settler. Later a townsite was selected on land sold for the purpose by John Hartline, another old settler, and the town was named for him)Postmaster in Names MSS Letter 42. Meany)

Hatton, a town in the southwestern part of Adams county. The place was originally known as Twin Wells. When the postoffice was established in 1888 the postoffice department asked for a new name. The superintendent of the railroad asked the postmaster, J.D. Hackett, for a list of the patrons of the office. One of the names submitted was Sutton (father of State Senator Sutton) whereupon the railroad man took the first two letters of Hackett and the last four letters of Sutton and submitted the composite name of Hatton which was adopted.(Mrs. Ida Belle Hackett , in names MSS Letter 476 )

Haven, a town on the Columbia River in the southern part of Grant county. It was named for Henry H. Haven in 1908.(F.C. Koppen of Wahluke, in names MSS Letter 110  , Meany)

Hawk Creek, a tributary of the Columbia River at Peach in the north-centr
part of Lincoln county. The name was for an early settler named Hawkins (Post
master at Peach in Names MSS Letter 159 Meany)

Hazard, a settlement, store and at one time a postoffice in the northern part of Spokane county. The store was started about 1886 by R.R. Hazard and in his home the place was named(L.C. Owen of Denison in Names MSS Letter 190  Meany)

Hellgate, a town in the northwestern part of Lincoln County
In the Columbia River four miles above the mouth of the Sanpoil River
there is a rapid locally known as Hell Gate. On July 3, 1811, it was
mentioned as Strong Rapid by David Thompson of the Northwest Company of
Montreal. (T.C. Elliott in the Washington Historical Quarterly
March 1914 page 44 note 5) Hell's Gate is also used as a name for
rapids in the Columbia river three miles below Maryhill.

Helse-De-Lite  See Camp Washington and Coulee Creek.

Hillyard now a part of Spokane in Spokane county. It was platted as an independent town on October 25, 1892   by Leland D. and Kate C. Westfall The name was in honor of James J. Hill of the Great Northern Railway Company which built there the largest railroad shops west of St. Paul (Postmaster of Hillyard in Names MSS Letter 194) On November 14, 1825, the place was referred to as Horse Plains by John Work  of the Hudson's Bay Company (T.C. Elliott in the Washington Historical Quarterly July 1914 Page 180   Meany)

Hock Spur, see Buckeye and Denison, Spokane county.

Home Valley  a post office and settlement in the southern part of
Skamania county. A few Norwegians settled in the little valley surrounded
by mountains and John Kanekeberg gave it t e name of Heim Dal in
1893. The same year he was appointed postmaster and the government
.translated the name into Home Valley ( Nellie E. Youcham, in Names MSS Lett
346 Meany)

Horlick, a town in the central part of Kittitas county. H.R. Williams vice president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway says it was named after a brand of malted milk (IN Names MSS Letter 589. Meany)

Horseshoe—A number of geographic features have received this descriptive name: Horseshoe basin at the head of Stehekin river in the northern portion of Chelan county; Horseshoe falls in the Columbia River twelve miles above The Dalles; Horseshoe Lake in the central part of Okanogan county; hHOsO Horseshoe Mountain, a ridge in Ferry county and another ridge near the Canadian boundary in Okanogan county, Horseshoe Bend, see Kiona, Horseshoe City, see Waitsburg (Meany)

Hunters, a town in Stevens County and a creek of the same name, flowing into the Columbia River in Stevens County. The name is in honor of James Hunter, the first white settler at that place (G.L. Martin in names MSS Letter 444 Meany)

Hunt's Junction, in Walla Walla county, named in honor of
G.W. Hunt of the old Hunt Road. (Postmaster at Attalia in Names
MSS letter 134, Meany)

Huntsville, a town in the west central portion of Columbia County. During the soa winter of 1878-79 members of the United Brethren church raised a fund of $10,000 to enoo endow a university. B.J. Hunt was manager. With John Fudge he donated ninety acres for a townsite which on being platted received the name of Huntsville. School was begun there in the Washington Institute on November 4, 1870 1879. (Illustrated History of Southeastern Washington page 374. Meany)

Hyak, the name of a lake and creek near the east portal of the Chiago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway tunnel through the Cascade range in Kittitas county. The word is from the Chinook Jargon and means hurry.

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Grouse Creek, in the southwestern part of Asotin county. "The grouse were very thick in the early days when I camehere, and there are quite a lot of them yet." (Henry Hansen of Hanson's Ferry in Names MSS, Letter 236 Meany)