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ELLIS SPEAKS OF CONSERVATION

Theory is All Right but Not Properly Administered.

Pendleton, Or., July 8.—That the East is conservation was the statement made this evening by Representative Ellis, who has just returned from Washington to spend the Summer at his home in this city.

"I have no fault to find with the conservation theory in itself, if properly administered," said Mr. Ellis. "But if the conservation system is to be administered in such a way that the natural resources of the West are to be bottled up indefinitely, I am not in favor of it at all.

"The bottling up of the timber land would be a mighty profitable thing for the man owning the timber, but it would be disastrous to the state, since it would retard its development indefinitely.

"For that reason I failed to become as enthusiastic concerning the conservation legislation as the members of Congress from the Eastern states, who seem determined to administer the conservation policy according to their own ideas and without regard to the welfare of the Western states, which are the ones most concerned."

Representative Ellis says he is inclined to look with more favor upon the recent coal land legislation. This provides that title to the surface land may pass to the individuals, while title to the coal lying beneath the surface will be retained by the Government.

He expressed himself as particularly well pleased with Oregon's prospects for a share of the \$20,000,000 reclamation bond fund. Just before leaving for Oregon he had a conference with President Taft and Secretary Ballinger regarding this matter and he was assured by them that Oregon would be given a square deal. This bond issue is to be used in the completion and extension of projects already under way and Ellis feels assured that the extension of the Umatilla project will be ordered. This will mean the reclamation of \$60,000 additional acres in Umatilla and Morrow counties.

He regretted his inability to secure the passage of the original reclamation fund bill, but he said that opposition of the members of Congress from the Eastern States was too great to be overcome entirely, even by the assistance of President Taft. He said the expenditures of large sums from the reclamation fund in an effort to locate feasible projects in such states as Kansas and the Dakotas

was the source of opposition to the reclamation service measure. In the matters of appropriations, Representative Ellis thinks he has been particularly successful. He secured an appropriation of \$1,200,000 for the mouth of the Columbia River, \$175,000 for the improvement of the river from Portland to Astoria, and \$600,000 for Celilo. He says the sums are all that can possibly be used until time for the passage of another river and harbor bill, while every project in the second district, which was reported favorably by the Army engineers, was given an appropriation.

With the appropriation for the purchase of a site at The Dalles, Representative Ellis has now made provision for a Federal building in every city in his district that is large enough to fill the requirements of the department.

Ellis in company with his wife and son arrived home last night and will spend the greater part of the Summer in this city. He will be joined by his private secretary in a few days, and will then undertake to dispose of a great amount of work which he has on hand for the Summer. He has made no plans to visit Portland soon.

Land Restored to Public Domain.

Washington, July 9.—The secretary of the interior has restored to the public domain several tracts of land that had been withdrawn in connection with the irrigation projects but that are not needed now by the reclamation service. The restorations of the week include: Boise, land district in Idaho, 43,980 acres; subject to settlement September 17 and to entry October 17.

Phoenix land district, Arizona, 3200 acres, subject to settlement September 19, and to entry October 19.

The unappropriated public lands in area eliminated from the Coeur d'Alene and Pon d'Oreille national forests in Idaho, by presidential proclamation, will become subject to settlement under the homestead law on August 22 and to entry September 21. About 8300 acres were unappropriated. The lands are located at Bonner, Lath and Kootenia counties.

An area eliminating from the Pecos national forest, New Mexico, and amounting to 31,562 acres, can be settled on August 15, and entry made September 14. The lands are located in Santa Fe and Rio Arriba counties.

That a revival of the mining industry is taking place in this county seems certain, and that fabulously rich rock is found here is unquestioned, says the Central Point Herald.

FARMING PAYS IN MORROW COUNTY

Ben Buschke will Clean up a Good Stake this Season.

Talk about the Roosevelt idea. Ben Buschke, one of Morrow county's most prosperous farmers believes in it.

Mr Buschke was in town Monday. He is one of our biggest farmers. Out on Rhea creek, on the Jim Rhea place, Mr. Buschke has 2300 acres of fall wheat and the well filled yellow heads are now ready for the combine.

In the plowing, seeding and growing of this great body of wheat, not one dollar has been paid out for hired help. In the harvesting, threshing, and hauling to the warehouse not another dollar will be paid out for hired help.

This sounds strange, but it is true. Mr Buschke and his six sons will attend to every detail of this work, while Mrs Buschke, the good housewife and her six daughters will have no trouble in taking care of that very important part of the work.

Mr Buschke is certainly king of his own plantation. He owns his horses and has plenty of them. He owns a combine and all the other necessary machinery to carry on the work of farming on a large scale.

If it were necessary to hire this crop harvested, at the ruling price of \$2.00 per acre, this would mean a chunk of \$4,600.00 out of the bank account.

All that Mr Buschke will be compelled to buy will be sacks.

Fifty-five long days to harvest his own crop is task that now confronts Mr. Buschke and his six sons. Then comes the hauling to market.

Mr Buschke estimates that his wheat will average 14 bushels to the acre.

He has already been offered 70 cents per bushel on contract. That will represent a check not to be ashamed of when the crop is sold. And that check will belong to the Buschke family.

Mr Buschke is pretty well satisfied with the outlook of farming in Morrow county.

He informs the Gazette that crop prospects in the lone wheat belt are fully as good if not better than in 1907.

In sowing this year Mr. Buschke tried four varieties of wheat in order to test the merits of the different kinds. The varieties sown were: Blue stem, club, 40-fold and turkey red. Of the different varieties, the turkey red shows a decided advantage.

The immense Baldwin ranch in Crook county will be cut up into small farms and sold to home-seekers.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No. 143 Dept. Ill., G. A. R.

Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above Post, Kawanae, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across the kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity. All druggists.

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Grain Prices Going up.

Chicago, July.—Practically no rain in sections of the Spring wheat country, which has been suffering from the long-continued drouth, was responsible for a general advance in grain prices in all North American markets this week. In Chicago, July wheat gained 8 1/2 cents for the week; September was 6 1/2 cents higher, and December advanced 5 1/2 cents.

An unusual speculative situation developed in the Northwest as a result of the long dry spell there. Country buying was so fast and furious at times that it carried big speculators off their feet. Shorts among the latter were compelled to capitulate. These covered quite generally, as was shown in the big advance in the new crop futures there.

Despite incentives for a big market in Chicago, a reverse was seen. At times the big pit was absolutely dull. The speculative public contiguous to this market, unlike that in the Northwest, was slow to follow such an important advance in values, and the result was that Northwestern markets led Chicago throughout the week.

Information from responsible Northwestern sources indicated that crop losses bordered on a calamity. Advances in wheat values in the Northwest and a decline in values of stocks of railroads operating in that section gave color to serious reports from big trade sources.

Fortunately talk was tempered a little by the comparatively low temperatures prevailing in the drought district and by reports of occasional scattered showers. Southwestern wheat values were affected by gains in the Northwest. It was the impression that Northwestern millers would reinforce their home supply by larger purchases than usual of Southwestern hard Winter wheat.

Many people in the trade believe that, owing to the serious damage to Spring wheat, this country will have to import wheat for domestic use because of the shortage. Others, who do not believe that the crop has suffered a calamity, confirm this belief, but importation will be forced, they declare, because speculative sentiment will advance values to an important level.

Washington, July.—The crop growth of the United States on July 1 was lower than at any time during the last 10 years, according to crop reports of the Department of Agriculture, issued: The report says:

"The general average condition of crop growth in the United States, July 1, was about 5.5 per cent lower than on July 1, 1909, 3.8 per cent lower than July 1, 1908, and 3.4 per cent lower than the 10-year average condition on July 1."

Snow is now all gone on the route to Crater Lake to its rim.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To the Republican voters of Morrow County: I shall be a candidate before the Republican Primary for the nomination of Sheriff of Morrow County. I have had over six years' experience in the sheriff work under Sheriff Shutt as his deputy. I am 39 years old, and have lived in Morrow county ever since it has been organized.

G. A. BLEAKMAN,
Hardman, Or.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, May 31st, 1910.

Notice is hereby given, that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by Joseph W. Rector, its attorney in fact, whose Post Office address is Heppner, Oregon, has filed in this office his application to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 4, 1897, (30 Stat., 36), the NW 1/4 Sec. 30, T. 2 S., R. 27 E. W. M., in Morrow county, Oregon, containing 78.05 acres. Serial No. 67956.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands above described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land or for any other reason to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the 20th day of July, 1910.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.
June 9- July 14

Ballinger Coming West.

Washington, July 7.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger left Washington today for a trip of inspection westward, which may cover a period of several months. He was accompanied by E. C. Finney, assistant to the Secretary, and a stenographer.

Mr. Ballinger's itinerary includes visits to Fort Belknap and Blackfoot Indian reservations, in Montana, and probably to the Flathead Reservation in the same state. He will inspect irrigation projects on these reservations.

After visiting the agencies he will go to Seattle and from there will make several trips to reclamation projects to inspect conditions.

The Board of Army Engineers designated to examine the reclamation projects and advise upon the expenditure of the \$20,000,000 issue of certificates of indebtedness probably will take up its duties some time prior to August 1. The board will expedite its field work as much as possible and will be ready to report to the President early in the Fall.

First Assistant Secretary Pierce will act as Secretary of the Interior during the absence of Mr. Ballinger.

The Making of Moving Pictures.

Perhaps you have seen moving pictures of trains which were so real that you almost feared you would be run over. Do you know why these pictures looked so real?

The moving-picture camera has in it a long ribbon-like film about three

inches wide and several hundred feet long. This is, of course, rolled around a spool inside the camera. As the pictures are taken a part of the film leaves the spool, passes behind the lens, then rolls upon a second spool, while another part of the film is moving into position to receive a picture.

The moving of the film together with the opening and closing of the shutter of the camera, is all done by the winding of a little wheel. So that the pictures may not overlap each other on the film, the long roll has perforations which cause just the proper part of the film to stop behind the lens just as the shutter automatically opens and then closes. So quickly are the pictures taken that 49 photographs are made on the film in a second. Sometimes 5000 separate pictures will be taken on one film within two or three minutes.

In order to be developed, these long rolls of film are fastened hollow cylinder, which revolves, dipping the film into a bath of developing solution. When the pictures are shown at the picture shows they are wound from one to another just as rapidly as when they were taken, so that the actions of the people represented by the photographs may seem real. The reason that the pictures look so large, although they are really very small, is because they are magnified by a lens in the large lantern.

A stock, grain and alfalfa ranch of 2800 acres near Mitchell sold for \$9 an acre.

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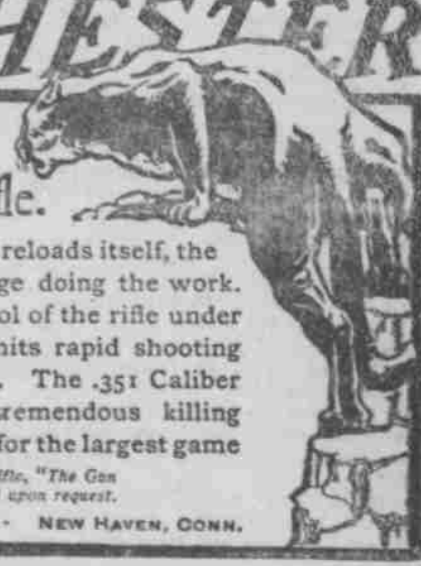
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