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Calendar for July 1908 showing days of the week and dates.

Notwithstanding the cry of timber famine, the soaring price of lumber, and the disastrous effects of a money panic late in the last year, the total lumber cut of the year 1907, according to figures made public by the census bureau, is 2705 million feet, board measure, more than that of 1906.

The substantial increase in the total production of lumber in 1907, says the report, "as compared with 1906, in spite of the financial stringency, is remarkable, and especially so in view of certain well known local causes. Aside from the car shortage, which necessitated a restriction of the cut in many localities, the fact that the industry of lumber manufacture was practically suspended on the Pacific coast early in the fall on account of the prospective raise in freight rates by the railroads, materially affected the amount of the output."

The fiscal year ended June 30 has been the record year of American shipbuilding, according to reports to the bureau of navigation, and the center of the industry is on the Great Lakes.

During the year 1504 vessels of 588,627 gross tons were built and numbered in the United States, of which 75 steel steamers of 394,379 gross tons were built on the Great Lakes.

This year steel vessels built numbered 147 of 417,167 gross tons, compared with 360,855 tons built last year. These two are the years of the largest steel construction in the United States.

The tonnage built is entirely for domestic transportation, no vessels exclusively for foreign trade having been built in the United States.

Of the 147 steel vessels, 53 exceeded 1000 gross tons each, 55 on the Great Lakes, the largest being the William M. Mills of 7982 tons and 39 on the seaboard, the largest being the Columbian of 8273 tons, built at San Francisco for trade to Hawaii.

Four wooden sailing vessels exceeding 1000 tons each, were built during the year, the largest being the Edward J. Lawrence of 3250 gross tons.

Advertised Letters. Mrs. R. L. Henninger. Mrs. Hanna Kelly. Mrs. George W. Powell. H. W. Cook. Wm. F. Gillard. Harold Haynes. Sanford Kelly. D. L. Lincoln. Mike Sculley. Wm. Russell. Andrew Wilson. G. M. RICHEY, Postmaster.

SOCIETY.

Shower for Miss Reiland.

A very pleasant event in the social annals of Tals camp No. 2986, Royal Neighbors of America, took place last evening in the lodge parlors. The occasion was a shower given in honor of Miss Mary Reiland, who is soon to become the bride of Roscoe A. West.

Miss Reiland has been acting secretary of the Royal Neighbors for the past four years, and has attended to her duties in a most careful and efficient manner.

The wedding will take place in the evening of Wednesday, August 15, at the Methodist church.

REAL ESTATE BUSINESS.

Transfers During Week in County Are Over \$26,000.

As will be shown by the following record of real estate transfers for the week ending July 21, furnished by the La Grande Investment company, business in these lines was rather good in Union county. This amount of money changed hands between the buyers and sellers of 18 pieces of property:

D. W. Hug, to Maria A. Riggs, SW 1/4, Sec. 13, Tp. 1 N., R. 46 E., \$400.

Mary H. Dalton to George McDow, NW 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 7, Tp. 4 S., R. 40 E., \$900.

United States to Geo. McDow, SE 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 29, NE 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 22, Tp. 4 S., R. 41 E.

F. P. Childers to A. J. Reber, lot 4 in block C, Coggan's add. \$450.

United States to Anna Huber, W 1/2, SW 1/4, Sec. 21, E 1/2, SE 1/4, Sec. 22, Tp. 2 S., R. 36 E.

J. F. Robertson to O. O. Johnson, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 3, Home Investment add. \$100.

United States to Fred W. Davis, E 1/2, SW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 13, Tp. 5 S., R. 40 E.

John Hyde to C. R. Hibberd, lots 15 and 16, block 4, Imbler. \$1000.

A. F. Sanders to A. P. Swafford, S 1/2, NE 1/4, NW 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 8, Tp. 5 S., R. 38 E., \$1000.

Geo. Ott, to C. R. Hibberd, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 22, Imbler. \$120.

John Wilson to A. P. Lyman, half interest in lots 3 and 4, block 20, Predmore's add. \$1500.

Wm. Dobbs to John W. D. Hunter, part SE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 13, Tp. 4 S., R. 29 E. \$2500.

Roy Debbis to John W. D. Hunter, part SE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 13, Tp. 4 S., R. 38 E. \$2000.

J. L. Hammack to D. Sommer, S 1/2, NE 1/4, S 1/2, NW 1/4, Sec. 9, Tp. 1 N., R. 29 E. \$1.

Henry Rogers to G. P. McDowell, lots 2 and 4, block 4, Shaw's add to Summerville. \$125.

W. H. Ewin to H. J. Nelson, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 12, Tp. 4 S., R. 29 E. \$8500.

Len Winslow to Peter Halling, part NE 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 18, Tp. 4 S., R. 40 E. \$1650.

J. A. Russell to W. A. Cousins, part SE 1/4, Sec. 8, Tp. 2 S., R. 24 E. \$1500.

Florida Lynch to Will Frasier, part SW 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 23, Tp. 5 S., R. 40 E. \$100.

La Grande Investment Co. to C. J. Black, lots 3 and 4, block 83, Chaglin's add. \$1200.

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One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are cathartic. They regulate, invigorate and cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels. As a "dinner pill," to promote digestion, take one each day. To relieve the distress arising from over-eating, nothing equals one of these little "Pellets." They're tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules, scarcely larger than mustard seeds.

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W. R. C. Attention. Every member of the W. R. C. is urged to be present at the regular meeting on Saturday, at 2:30, as business of importance is to be transacted.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 11th, 1908.

RAY HANSON, of La Grande, Oregon, who, on May 6th, 1908, made Timber and Stone sworn statement No. 6621, for NW 1/4, NW 1/4, Section 19, Township 4 S., Range 37, E. W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on the 3d day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mike LePage, Mary E. Wilson, Blanche Baker, James McIntyre, all of La Grande, Ore.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

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