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BURLEY, IDAHO AFTER FACTORY

LA GRANDE FACTORY TO BE MOVED THERE IN NEAR FUTURE

Report Conflicts With Avowed Statement of President Eccles.

That Burley, Idaho, is talked of as the place where the La Grande Sugar factory is to be moved to in case it is taken from La Grande, is indicated by news dispatches from Burley to the Deseret News of Salt Lake. However it was only a few days ago that President Eccles determined that the 1912 crop should be gotten ready for any effort to move the local factory will not be made in the coming season. The news dispatch referred to follows:

Burley, Ida., Nov. 24.—Agricultural Superintendent Pingree of the Amalgamated Sugar company, and several others have been in this field for some days past holding meetings with the farmers with a view to the establishment of a sugar factory somewhere in Cassia county. While Mr. Pingree has done no talking for publication, it is generally understood that the encouragement received from every section is sufficient to justify the belief that this part of Idaho will have a sugar factory during the year 1912. Well authenticated reports state that the plant intended to be built here will be removed from La Grande, Ore., as

it has been known for a long time past that the operations there have proved unprofitable.

Inquiry at the offices of the Amalgamated Sugar company by the Deseret News representative in Ogden today confirms the above report. The Ogden officials said that Mr. Pingree was in the Burley and Oakley country looking over the field and holding meetings with the farmers to see what amount of acreage could be guaranteed the new enterprise. If it was satisfactory a plant would be constructed there by the Amalgamated company probably next year. While the officials were somewhat reticent regarding the removal of the factory from La Grande they did not deny that such a step was in contemplation.

Only Technically.
"Is your child in bed by 8 every evening?"
"Technically, yes. We begin arguing about that time."—Washington Herald.

The eyes of other people are the eyes that ruin us.—Franklin.

THE GENTLEMAN.

Robert E. Lee's Definition of the Qualities That Make Him.

Lee hated parade, display and ceremony, hated above all things being made an object of public gaze and adulation. His idea of high position was high responsibility, a superior was simply one who had larger duties, and the mark of a gentleman was a keen sense of the feelings and susceptibilities of others. No one has ever expressed this attitude more delicately than he himself in this memorandum found among his papers after his death:

"The forbearing use of power does not only form a touchstone, but the manner in which an individual enjoys certain advantages over others is a test of a true gentleman. The power which the strong have over the weak, the magistrate over the citizen, the employer over the employed, the educated over the unlettered, the experienced over the confiding, even the clever over the silly—the forbearing or inoffensive use of all this power or authority or a total abstinence from it when the case admits it, will show the gentleman in a plain light. The gentleman does not needlessly and unnecessarily remind an offender of a wrong he may have committed against him. He cannot only forgive; he can forget, and he strives for that nobleness of self and mildness of character which impart sufficient strength to let the past be but the past. A true man of honor feels humbled himself when he cannot help humbling others."—Gambel Bradford, Jr., in Atlantic.

SKIN OF A BADGER.

So Loose the Animal Can Almost Turn Around in It.

The pelt of an adult badger is extremely thick and difficult for a biting adversary to penetrate, writes a trapper in Fur News, and so loosely does the skin cover the body that the animal is able to turn almost around in its hide.

Should a dog acquire a hold on the throat the badger turns himself so that the dog's grip is on the back of the badger's neck without having loosened his first hold. Then the badger secures a viselike grip upon some vulnerable portion of his enemy, and while his long tusks penetrate to the limit he digs and scratches with his front feet, which are furnished with claws almost as formidable and deadly as might be expected from an anteater of the dark continent.

He who has removed the pelt of a badger and is at all observing does not wonder at this animal being sharp bitten and that he is able to hang with bulldog tenacity when the formation and adjustment of his jaws are noted. Neither is it so much of a mystery how he manages to bore through the soil so rapidly that half a dozen men with shovels cannot overtake him, for he is a mass of cords and muscles, particularly in the neck, chest and shoulders, very similar in physical construction to the ground mole.

A badger is chiefly valuable when it has a long coat, so that the guard hairs can be plucked and used to make shaving brushes.

GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES.

Racial Marks Left by Our Early Explorers and Settlers.

While most of the states of the Mississippi valley, besides countless rivers and lakes in all parts of the country, bear Indian names, but a small number only of the towns that are the work of the white man have adopted names borrowed from the original owners of the land. Not one in ten, it has been pointed out, of the 150 large cities has an Indian name, and among those that have it is usually an adoption from some neighboring lake or stream.

The early explorers and settlers have left their racial marks. Up the Hudson and Mohawk the trail of the Dutchman is pretty clear. The French influence in northern New York and Vermont and along the line of the great lakes is familiar in many names. Mississippi has no "haints" in its list, whereas, across the river, Louisiana, by nine parishes and many towns, rivers and lakes, perpetuates the religious tenets of its early settlers. Kentucky and Tennessee evidence the vocabulary of the hunter and trapper; Montana and Idaho that of the miner. All the region acquired from Mexico, particularly southern California, maintains in its place names the memory of its Spanish explorers and settlers.

There are relatively few Indian names on the Pacific coast. North of the Spanish belt capes and towns frequently reflect the loyalty of early settlers to the older states of the Union.—Pittsburg Press.

THE FRUGAL ARABS.

They Live on Two Simple Meals of Bread and Dates a Day.

The daily routine of the Arab is simple and well ordered. He is up with the daybreak and as soon as possible loads his camels; then he rides for some four or five hours before he has his first morning meal; then he is off again until late in the afternoon, when a halt is made for the night. Supper usually consists of warm bread, with an onion or dates as a relish. Bread is prepared in as simple a manner as possible. While the coarse flour and water are being kneaded into dough a large fire is made, which provides a good heap of hot ashes. On part of these the flattened dough is laid, then covered with the remainder of the ashes.

In about fifteen minutes the dough is sufficiently baked. It is then well beaten to free it from ashes, broken in pieces and divided among those who from their bags have contributed the meal. After the evening feast coffee is made by some member of the party and, poured out into tiny cups, is solemnly handed around to each one.

Dates often take the place of bread in Arabia. There are many varieties, and the composition of the date does not differ so very much from that of bread. Fat is lacking in both, but this is supplied by the butter churned in skin bags suspended from a tripod and shaken or rolled on the ground.—Chicago News.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for recorder of the city of La Grande. Thanking the public for their support on December 11th, I am,
Yours truly,
C. M. HUMPHREYS.

NOTICE

La Grande, Oregon, Nov. 24, 1911.
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