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AUTO MAKING HAS COME TO BE ENORMOUS INDUSTRY

According to figures just compiled by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, 40 million dollars' worth of automobiles and parts thereof were sent out of continental United States in the fiscal year 1913, against about one million dollars' worth in 1903, a decade earlier. These figures of 1913 include 26 million dollars' worth of finished automobiles sent to foreign countries, about two and a half million dollars' worth to Hawaii and Porto Rico, four million dollars' worth of tires, two million dollars' worth of automobile engines, and five and a half million dollars worth of parts other than tires and engines. It was only in 1902 that the exports of automobiles became sufficient to justify a separate record of this class of merchandise, the figures for that year, including the separate parts, being less than one million dollars. In 1907 five years later, they were but six million, and in 1912, approximately 12 million dollars in value.

The number of machines exported to foreign countries in 1913 was 25,000, against 7,000 in 1910, and a little less than 3,000 in 1907, the first year in which the number was stated in the export records of the country. The average price at which they were exported was about $1,700 each in 1907. The 1913 exports included about 1,000 commercial automobiles at an average valuation of $1,800 each and 24,000 other machines at an average price of about $1,000 each.

The imports of automobiles in the fiscal year 1913 were less than two million dollars' value, against over four million in 1907, and the average price of those imported in 1913, about $2,300 each, against $3,400 in 1907.

Canada is the largest purchaser of our automobiles the total number sent to that country in 1913 being 7,212 valued at $9,233,561. England is the next largest customer, the total number sent to the United Kingdom in 1913 being 3,979 valued at $3,026,895; while to British Oceania (chiefly Australia and New Zealand), 3,062 valued at $2,914,451 were exported; to South America, 2,820 valued at $3,165,205; British South Africa, 1,290 valued at $1,167,371; Germany, 849 valued at $768,418; British East Indies, 867 valued at $711,653; France, 824 valued at $625,795; and to Russia in Europe, 593 valued at $519,076. The average price of those sent to Canada was over $1,200 each; of those sent to South America, about $1,100 each; and of those exported to Europe about $800 each.

The distribution of American autobiles extends to all parts of the world the figures for the fiscal year showing exports to 75 countries and colonies. Bulgaria, Roumania, Servia. Turkey, Greece, the Azores, the Canary islands, the West Indies, Siam the Dutch East Indies, Russia in Asia, Korea, French Oceania, Egypt, China, Japan and India are included in the list of countries named as the destination of the exports of the year while the list includes also practicallyevery countries of Europe, South America, and North America.

To Stop Scaling of Psoriasis

This Troublesome Skin Disease Promptly Checked by a very Simple Attention.

Classed with eczema, psoriasis has been considered one of the most obstinate of skin diseases.

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Like nearly all skin diseases, psoriasis is primarily due to impaired blood.

The skin is but a network of fine blood vessels. And it is a perfectly natural consequence that any influence in the blood that is a condition of ill health makes its first appearance in the skin. There is one ingredient in S. S. S. which peculiarly stimulates cellular or glandular activity to select from the blood or from this fine network of blood vessels in the skin, those elements which it requires for regeneration.

Thus pimples, acne, eczema, lupus, or any other blood condition that attacks the skin or seeks an outlet through the skin, is met with the antidotal effect of S. S. S.

This is why skin troubles vanish so readily and why they do not return.

You can get S. S. S. in any drug store, but insist upon having it. Take no chance by permitting anyone to recommend a substitute. And if your blood condition is such that you would like to consult a specialist freely, address the Medical Dept., The Swift Specific Company, 182 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

Remarkable Cure of Disentery.

"I was attacked with dysentery about July 15th, and used the doctor's medicine and other remedies with no relief, only getting worse all the time. I was unable to do anything and my weight dropped from 145 to 125 pounds. I suffered for about two months when I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I used two bottles of it and it gave me permanent relief,' writes B. W. Hill of Snow Hill, N. C. For sale by all dealers.

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1913, a special election will be held in the City of La Grande, in the County of Union and State of Oregon, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters thereof, the proposition of adopting or rejecting an Act entitled: "An Act to Provide a New Commission Charter, of the City of La Grande, in the County of Union, in the State of Oregon," filed in the office of the City Recorder of said City on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1913, which was proposed by initiative petition, signed by the requisite number of legal voters, and submitting the same to the electors of said City for their adoption or rejection, at a special election to be held therein on October 1st, A. D. 1913.

The polling places designated for said election and the judges and clerks appointed to conduct said election, are as follows:

FIRST WARD—Polling place at Court House.
JUDGES—M. McMurray, W. N. Monroe, Geo. J. Wagner.
CLERKS—Mrs. Wall Lane, Mrs. J. W. McAlister.
SECOND WARD—Polling place at Council Chambers.
JUDGES—H. W. Stoner, O. R. Coolidge, J. K. Wright.
CLERKS—C. M. Humphreys, N. J. Mansager.
THIRD WARD—Polling place at Donahue House, Corner 3rd and Washington Avenue.
JUDGES—J. M. Hilts, C. C. Penington, B. W. Grandy.
CLERKS—Howard Davis, Will Hamilton.
FOURTH WARD—Polling place at Little Brick School House.
JUDGES—John Ladd, E. S. Brasel, R. A. Masterton.
CLERKS—Will Thompson, Jr., Wm. Randall.

Said election will be held and conducted and the returns thereof filed as provided by law in the case of general city elections in said city.

The polls at said election will be opened at the hour of 7:30 o'clock A. M. and closed at the hour of 7 o'clock P. M. on said election day.

The Ballot Title of the Act aforesaid has been prepared by the City Attorney and filed with the City Recorder of said City, in the manner and time required by the laws of the State of Oregon governing the Initiative and Referendum in Cities.

All qualified electors of said City will be permitted to vote at said election.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL OF SAID CITY OF LA GRANDE, OREGON.

Dated, July 25th, A. D. 1913.

LEE WARNICK,
City Recorder.

7, 28; 8, 4, 11, 18, 25; 9, 1.

EDUCATOR AND AUTHOR TALKS SOCIALISM

Back in Toledo, Brand Whitlock's town, some eight years ago was a big college, and the president, after the custom of successful educators, made much money.

The president believed in education for all; and, because he so believed it wrung his soul when fathers came to him and told him how impossible they found it to keep their sons and daughters in college until the course was completed. These fathers were hard-working, honest and intelligent men but the son, who was talented in music, had to leave college and take a commercial course; the daughter whose soul longed cfr a career in art left to enter the over-crowded commercial field and compete with other daughters who were as unfit as she for such work—and with sons as well.

Is Promptly Disinherited.

"It made me sad" declared W. F. Ries, one time president of that college, "and I wondered what was the matter. Here were hundreds of girls and boys eminently fitted by nature for one career who were being forced

W. F. RIES

for lack of means, into ill-paid work for which they had neither aptitude nor taste. It seemed something must be wrong—then I read Edward Bellamy's 'Looking Backward' and everything became clear. In the great white light of my understanding I gave up my college and went out to show men and women the wickedness of a system that gives to the idler $2,034 of every $2,471 earned by the worker, for that is what capitalism does; what it will always do. And that is why the roused workers of the world will soon overthrow it.

"My father realized vaguely something of the import of my new doctrine and promptly disinherited me with much paternal wrath. No son of his should spend paternal dollars unless he believed them to be sacred. That disturbed neither me nor my good wife, for we had a vision of a better day, the same kind of vision old John Brown had when they hung him for a traitor two years before a continent shook beneath the marching feet of half a million men going with muskets to make his dream a reality so quickly do men act when finally their minds rebound from long suppression. The rage against slavery was rage against special privilege in a recognizable form! that same feeling is alive today in the hearts of all just Americans.

"I can remember the first efforts made to have public schools in this country; the agitators for them met with the most violent abuse, one man even being clubbed and stoned because he spoke in favor of education for all, it being claimed that such a thing would destroy all incentive.

"The 'antis' cried out 'Free public schools would be the crime of the age—the greatest calamity that could befall mankind!' We know how much truth there was in that just as we know that the public schools are at once the world's greatest blessing and our only absolutely socialistic institutions.

"Our people have learned to expect education as a right, all working together for all. In the same way we shall learn to expect food, shelter and clothing as a right and co-operate that all may have them.

"People got used to the idea of free education; they will just as surely grow to recognize that all people have a right to the wealth of the world as much as they can use. When there is no hoarding there will be enough and to spare for all."

Prof. Ries will speak in Honan hall Monday evening, August 4. At his meeting on the street last Wednesday night he challenged any well-known citizen of La Grande to debate, and offered to present him with $10 for so doing, and to give him another $10 should the audience decide the citizen had the best of it. There is a possibility of one of our lawyers accepting the challenge, so you can't afford to miss this meeting, as there is likely to be a lively scrimmage.

The lecture will be absolutely free and ladies and students of the high school are particularly invited.

California has engaged Comrade Ries for an entire year, believing him to be one of the best organizers and lecturers in the whole country.

When Prof. Ries is not doing anything else he writes books, one of which head the largest sale (4,000,000) of any book written in America. Some of these books will be on sale Monday night. Adv. 8-2 2t p.

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