

UNCLE SAM IS TAKING STOCK

Large Corps of Experts Are at work Compiling Statistics

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The first returns to the national conservation commission show that Uncle Sam is making fine headway with his inventory of natural resources.

Inquiries have been going out from this and that government office by the thousand. They have gone to special agents in the field, to government stations here and there, to township assessors, to manufacturers, to lumber dealers, to railroad and steamboat companies and to farmers.

Great Interest. Since the governors and the great national organizations have shown so great an interest in the conservation of resources the movement has spread all over the United States.

Movement Non-Partisan. That the conservation movement is absolutely non-partisan is shown in the vigorous declarations in the platforms of both leading political parties in favor of conservation of natural resources.

LOW PEACH PRICES DOMINATE IN PORTLAND

The Telegram of September 9 has the following regarding the peach market in Portland:

What peaches will be worth tomorrow is a matter of speculation on Front street today. Lower prices than have prevailed thus far this season are inevitable, for the supply when the trade opens in the morning will be by far the heaviest of the season.

Since Saturday at least five carloads of the fruit has been received from various parts of this state and Washington, and at the opening tomorrow the chances are that there will be seven or eight cars on hand.

But while the supply tomorrow will be large, there is little doubt that the demand will be the heaviest of the season, and this may keep the market from going to pieces.

Dealers today were not inclined to quote prices on the best grade peaches for there was practically no business doing with the regular local trade.

Crawfords will comprise the bulk of the offerings for the week, and the season for this sort will practically come to an end this week.

SHOT LIFELINE ASHORE; NEARLY KILLED SHOPMEN

PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 10.—Louis Black, grst mate on the steamship Bonaventure, who is under arrest on the odd charge of shooting a lifeline ashore while the vessel was moored in the river and scaring the wits out of a dozen shopmen a mile away, will try to convince the municipal court that the machine used in the operation should not be classed as firearms.

MAN GOES WRONG BY SPECULATING IN WHEAT

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 10.—Latimer Carter, under arrest here on a charge of embezzling funds from the estate of George L. Douglas, of which he was trustee in Louisville, Ky., declared today that the sum he appropriated was \$50,000 instead of \$60,000 as first reported.

BUTTE WATER FOR \$233,582

Complete Table Showing Cost of Covered Flume to Bring Water to Medford

B. H. Harris has completed his estimate of the cost of bringing water to Medford from the Big Butte, a distance of 43 miles.

Mr. Harris' estimate provides for a covered flume, 3x3 feet and 30 miles in length. The cost of the flume, including the surveying, will amount to \$63,582.

A flume three feet wide and two feet eight inches deep will carry 1000 miners' inches of water. Allowing 100 inches for leakage, the city would still be supplied with 900 miners' inches.

The detailed estimate of Mr. Harris is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Cost. Includes Lumber (1,782,000 feet at \$15 per 1000), Cover for flume (540,000 feet at \$15 per 1000), Nails and spikes per lineal foot (3 cents), Work at \$10 per 100 lineal feet, Trestle work and material, Surveying, Total (\$63,582).

The new popular Mission Grill, 149

SECRETARY MUST PAY DAMAGES TO UNION MEMBER

PARIS, Sept. 10.—In one of the most remarkable decisions ever handed down in a French court, the secretary of the electrical workers' union has been sentenced to pay damages to two members of the union because they were thrown out of work on the night of August 6, when Paris was dark.

LOCAL MARKET

The following quotations are an impartial report of the prices paid by Medford dealers: Wheat—\$56 per bushel, Flour—\$2.75 per cwt, Whole barley—\$23 per ton.

If you have lost or found anything, need work, or have something to sell, it doesn't matter what you wish to try a Want Ad in The Tribune.

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Medford Time Table

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Table with 2 columns: Train No., Time. Includes Northbound (No. 10 Oregon Express, No. 14 Portland Express) and Southbound (No. 15 California Express, No. 13 San Francisco Exp., No. 225 From Grants Pass, No. 225 For Ashland).

PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY

Table with 2 columns: Train No., Time. Includes Rogue River Valley Railway (No. 2 Leaves Medford, No. 4 Leaves Medford, Motor Leaves Medford, Motor Leaves Medford, No. 1 Leaves Jacksonville, No. 3 Leaves Jacksonville, Motor Leaves Jacksonville, Motor Leaves Jacksonville).

Table with 2 columns: Station, Time. Includes Eagle Point, Northbound, Southbound, Jacksonville.

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