CONSERVATION IS

Forests Mean Everything to Welfare of the Nation at

Large

"A very few years ago 'forest conservation' was little more than a phrase; today it is a vital issue in our national development," says Treadwell Cleveland, Jr., in a circupursued by any nation.

"The forest is one of the chief supand the life of all the industries which depend upon it, but also the control of the waters for human use. There is only barrenness in the future of the nation which has lost the use of wood and the control of wa-

"It has shown that we are still three and a half times as much wood schoolhouse, to Mr. McGibbon, a Texas is added by the new growth. It as and Oklahoma oil operator, The has shown that less than one-third place comprises 37 acres, 17 of which of the growing trees felled by the are in bearing peaches and the price lumberman is ever used at all, so that was \$12,500. two-thirds of all the timber cut is simply destroyed. It has shown that here from the southeast to take one-eleventh of all the forests are charge of the property. Mr. McGibswept by fires every year, and that bon does not expect to come here to on the average since 1870 forest reside upon the property purchased, fires have yearly cost \$50,000,000 in which is a most pleasant home, for timber and 50 lives. It has shown that over 99 per cent of the forests in private hands, which comprise three-fourths of all the forest land and four-fifths of all the wood, is thus devastated by destructive use and the scourge of unchecked fires. while less than 1 per cent is properly handled for successive crops or effeetively protected from fire. The forest as a resource is rapidly being obliterated."

COUNTY TEACHERS HOLD INSTITUTE AT ASHLAND

The teachers of Jackson and Josephine counties will meet in Ashland for a four days' joint institute beginning Wednesday, October 27, and continuing until and including Saturday, the 30th. County Superintendent J. Percy Wells has the arrangements in hand for the meeting, an unusually strong program is being arranged, and the gathering is being looked forward to with no small degree of interest in educational circles of the two counties.

Among the prominent instructors will be State Superintendent J. H. Ackerman, H. A. Adrian, Superintendent of the Santa Barban city schools; L. R. Alderman of the University of Oregon, department of education; H. M. Crooks, president of Albany college, and Catherine Montgomery, primary supervisor state nor mal school, Bellingham, Wash., besides several local educators. The institute will be programed in three divisions-primary, intermediate and school.

NEW LUMBER PLANT **UPON SODA CREEK**

(Siskiyou News.)

It is stated on excellent authority that the Northern California Lumber company of Hilt expects to erect a large plant on its Soda Creek holdings, lying east of Dunsmuir, in the very near future. Financial arrangements are practically completed for the installation of a plant fully as · large and complete as the Hilt plant.

Surveyors are now in the field laying out the railroad to be built for the purpose of tapping this large body of timber, consisting of about 350,000,000 feet of timber.

This company recently purchased the Coggins tract, comprising the largest accessible body of timber in that section and embodies over 400,-000,000 feet of sugar and white pine. About half of this tract sold by the Coggins brothers is in Jackson county, Oregon, in which the Shattuck ranch of 250 acres is located, which raises from 400 to 500 tons of hay annually.

SAVES UNCLE SAM MONEY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 .- As the result of the experiment made by the Jesse G. Hodges to Enos Connavy department for the saving of money by the consolidation of stores on board seven of the vessels of the navy, it is probable that the system will be inaugurated on all vessels. It is estimated from the saving accomplished on the seven vessels that \$750,000 a year can be saved in this manner on all if the plan is put into peration

Instead of issuing supplies in bulk to the vessels selected for the test. the Connecticut, the Minnesota, the lar on the status of forestry in this Georgia, the New Jersey and the Vercountry, which has just been issued mont battleships, and the West Virby the United States forest service, ginia and the Colorado, armed cruis-"In connection with the general plan ers, money allotments were provided to conserve all natural resources it for each ship's department, in order is the most important and far-reach- that purchases be made to meet each ing economic policy ever adopted and vessel's requirements. The average of saying on each of the seven vessels was 42 per cent. Under construction ports of the whole material fabric of and repair 50 per cent was saved; our civilization. The forest means equipment, 47 per cent; steam enginnot only a permanent supply of wood eering. 34 per cent, and supplies and accounts, 16 per cent.

McDANIEL PEACH GROVE AT ASHLAND IS SOLD

(The Tidings.)

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acres in Bellevne tract ... Charles H. Deierlein to Wil-S. Crowell, land in D L C 83, township 37, range 2 W ... 20000 L. Sherman to Jesse G.

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