

MONEY IN TIMBER

Wisconsin Men Making Large Investments.

IN OREGON LANDS, \$500,000

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John E. Mayo, adjutant of Summer Post No. 12, G. A. R., of the Department of Oregon, East Side, yesterday received an acknowledgment from Rear-Admiral Winfield Scott Schley of the resolution passed by the post, expressing confidence in him and deprecating the efforts of the Navy clique to destroy his high reputation.

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NO TELEPHONES FOR FIREMEN.

Order to Remove Them From Engine-House Causes Furry.

There is quite a furry among the firemen on both sides of the river, especially on the East Side, over the order from the Chief to remove from all the engine-houses all the private telephones.

DISTRICT MISSIONARY AFFAIRS.

Home Missionary Society Will Meet in Centenary Church.

The Women's Home Missionary Society for Portland district will convene this morning at 10 o'clock in Centenary Methodist Church, East Ninth and East Pine streets.

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DAINTY box, an exquisite wrapper, a delicate color, and a clinging fragrance—yet all these will not cleanse the skin! Has it ever occurred to you that you pay big prices for these things? Do you care to buy five articles or do you require only one—a strictly pure soap.

IVORY SOAP—99 1/2 PER CENT PURE.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. H. Beckley, a well-known Eastern Oregon skeptic, is registered at the Perkins from the Dalles.

DISTINGUISHED PREACHER COMING.

Dr. Hiff Will Speak at Centenary on "Thirty Years Among Mormons."

Stereopticon Lecture.

Ensign A. Davis will deliver a lecture this evening with stereopticon views in the Salvation Army barracks on the corner of East Oak and East Ash streets.

East Side Notes.

The Montavilla Sub-Board of Trade will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Peninsula Board will convene at University Park.

SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETINGS.

Gresham Neighborhood Is Stirred Up Over Finances and Politics.

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MISCELLANEOUS "HAIR TONICS."

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