OUT OF THE FIGHT

Cushman Has No Place in Tacoma Election.

NEITHER MAN IS FRIENDLY

Victory of Fawcett Gives Strength to Foster Forces.

CHURCHES WITH CAMPBELL

McBride Will Not Be Able to Get the Goods Promised to Him by the Representative Who Looks Out for Himself.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—In the mayoralty fight between Louis D. Campbell and A. V. Fawcett there is no place for Representative Cushman and his friends to light. Neither man is friendly to Cushman, and the fight for the nomination will be limited to these two.

This may be a fortunate circumstance for Cushman, as the mayoralty fight is growing very bitter. Personalities are creeping into the campaign, and it is probable before the convention meets, that the two factions will be almost irreconcilable. Even this fact, however, only aids Cushman in that it keeps him out of the local fight, for it will give him no new strength in the Fall campaign. Whichever of the two candidates is nominated will not be friendly to Cushman.

The mayoralty campaign, too, will be confined to Fawcett and Campbell. The fight has shaped up so early and on such definite lines that it will be impossible for a third candidate to clarify the atmosphere. To Campbell the fight means a vindication for his two terms. To the Fawcett faction his fight means victory for the liberal element and a strengthening of the Foster forces, giving them the first organization that they ever had in Tacoma.

Fawcett Backed by Foster Men.

Fawcett was brought out by Foster influences. He was induced to make the fight at the time it looked as though Foster would have to fight to retain control of Pierce County. After local opposition had been removed the Foster forces here met and decided to stay with Fawcett. This ties him up to Foster and that kind of a combination does not mean much for Cushman.

Campbell has always been identified with the Hamilton faction, and this political wing has not been eager recently to aid Cushman. While Campbell is not an outspoken opponent of Cushman, he turned down an offer two years ago to go on Cushman's delegation, and he has not striven to help the Congressman much.

More than that, Cushman's closest friends are men who have fought Campbell through the two terms he has served Tacoma as its Mayor.

The fact that Cushman will not have any hold on the municipal administration will not affect the county's support of his candidacy at the State Convention. But it will make it impossible for Cushman to deliver Pierce County to McBride. Recently McBride has told some of his closest friends that he expected to get Pierce County's support in his fight for renomination through Cushman. He stated that Cushman would be able to deliver as he had during the last campaign.

Cannot Deliver the Goods.

This will be impossible at the State Convention this year. Cushman swung the state delegation at the last minute by pleading that McBride had given him the necessary strength to force his renomination, and he owed it to the Governor to support his railroad commission plank. Since Cushman has named 24 of Pierce County's 49 delegates, that number, at least, were willing to follow him down the line.

The Pierce County Convention, prior to this, had turned down a commission plank urged by McBride's friends. In the interests of harmony, for Cushman pleaded he had committed himself and could not be turned down an endorsement of an elective commission was given. Cushman, at the State Convention disregarded this instruction.

Forewarned, the opponents of McBride will not let Cushman take another such a delegation to the State Convention. On the straight issue of McBrideism or railroadism the county is safe with the roads. Tacoma was built up by the Northern Pacific, and the city's interests lie with that road.

Not Support Whoever Wins.

Had Cushman a municipal administration at his back he might have hopes of making a successful fight for the county delegation. With Fawcett as Mayor the administration will be turned over to Foster, and Fawcett always organizes well when he has control. With Campbell as Mayor the administration will be lukewarm in its support of Foster, but will not support Cushman's plan to take away the state delegation.

There is no intention in any of these protection plans on the part of the anti-McBride men to turn down Cushman. It is questionable whether that could be done in Pierce County, and all that will be sought will be the selection of a state delegation that will not follow the Governor.

McBride's advisers in Pierce County are not in close touch with the real situation else they would hardly have advised him that Cushman could deliver the county a second time. Senator Warburton is McBride's closest friend, and Warburton has been practically forced out of politics. He will not be able to swing anything for the Governor.

Next to him is W. H. Paulhamus, who will be involved with State Senator C. L. Stewart as a candidate for State Senator from the Twenty-fifth or Valley District. In this fight most of Paulhamus' time will be occupied, for the contest will be uncomfortably close. Such interests as the Western American Company, with mines at Fairfax, the Wilkeson and Carbonado Coal Companies and the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Company's big logging camps will all be with Stewart. It should be conceded, too, that Stewart will carry his home town, Puyallup. If this is a correct estimate Paulhamus will fail next time to deliver his legislative district, and with that gone, the only hope of the Cushman-McBride combine carrying an anti-railroad fight would be gone.

Rumor of Entente With Railroads.

There have been rumors to the effect that Cushman has had an understanding with the railroads. Of course, McBride's friends do not credit this, and naturally Cushman does not confirm it. But the fact that the railroads are not fighting him lends color to the story, and the circumstance that Cushman has always been willing to make any alignment that would protect his interests makes it easy to believe the assertion.

There is no question but that a tacit understanding was reached a few months ago to the effect that railroad politics was not to be played by Cushman in Pierce County. It was understood then that Cushman and the roads would be protected no matter what incidental interests might have to fight out the question of control. Whether anything has happened in the meantime to upset this understanding is a matter that differing opinions do not settle.

To go back to the municipal fight is to pick up the principal campaign fight of the year in Pierce. The liberal element have gone into Fawcett's campaign to win, and the liquor dealers can be expected to make the same strong fight for Fawcett that they did for their candidates in other Washington cities last month. Campbell's Chief of Police, Packler, has been obnoxious to the liberal element, and while Fawcett will not throw the town entirely open, he is committed to a very liberal policy.

Campbell, it is claimed, has patched up his fight with the church element. While this gives him a support he has not had during past months, it also serves to intensify the fight of the liberal element behind Fawcett.

All the enemies Campbell has made during the four years he has been Mayor have turned to defeat him in this fight. His campaign for re-election lacks organization, but there is a strong sentiment in Tacoma that he has given the city an honest and capable administration. In his record is found his principal grounds for asking support.

The fight against Fawcett brings in the charge that he is too recent a Democrat. Fawcett left the Democrats early in 1901, after that party had elected him County Commissioner and Mayor, and had once been defeated with him as their candidate. Moreover, Pierce had supported him for Governor. Now that Fawcett asks Republican favors his recent conversion is a circumstance that gives him trouble. But he is individually popular with the masses where partisan politics does not cut the figure that does personal popularity.

DEATH OF FRANCIS A. WHITE

Everett Resident Had an Active Career in the Business World.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Francis A. White, a well-known resident of Everett, Wash., died in this city today, at the age of 80 years. Mr. White had an active career in the development of the West.

Francis A. White was born at Unadilla, Otsego County, N. Y., July 19, 1823. His boyhood years were passed on his father's farm. Later he entered a store as clerk, finally becoming proprietor. Early in the '50's he came West, being one of the pioneers of Nebraska and the Central West. He was one of the projectors and owners of the first projected stage line to run between Omaha and Denver, before the Union Pacific completed surveying. He was largely interested in railroad construction and banking in the Middle West.

Later he removed to New York, becoming interested in the New York, Rutland & Montreal Railroad, also the Toledo, Columbus & Southern Railroad. He formed one of the party of passengers on the first train to run from New York to Albany. In 1876 he was one of the promoters of the New York Consolidated Mining Exchange, and was a successful operator in Wall street. He had a wide railroad experience.

Mr. White knew intimately many great magnates, among them J. J. Hill, at whose advice Mr. White came to Everett in 1891. Since his residence in that city he has not engaged actively in business, save for the brief management of a bank he started in 1892. He was instrumental in bringing much capital to Everett for investment. Up to the day of his death he was wonderfully well posted on current affairs. He and his grandson, Francis C. White, left for California December 12, in search of health, and expected to remain south until next June. The only child, Creda E. White, of Fruitvale, Cal., was at the bedside. Mr. White was a wealthy man.

Mrs. Mary R. Thompson.

LA GRANDE, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The death of Mary R. Thompson, commonly called Grandma Thompson, occured at Elgin, 25 miles from this city, Tuesday, January 12. She had been a resident of this county for many years, and had a host of friends.

Deceased was born in Vermont August 16, 1816, was 87 years, 4 months and 25 days old. In early childhood she removed with her parents to Clinton County, N. Y., and at the age of 13 she was married to Peter Bisconer, who was accidentally killed by a tree falling on him while at work in the woods. One son was born to them, Wesley Bisconer, who resides at Vancouver, Wash. At the age of 20 she was married to William Thompson, and to this union was born 11 children, four of whom survive, Andy and S. S. Thompson, of Elgin; Mrs. Hulda Gargrave and Maggie Thompson, of Yorkville, Ill. She had 37 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. She came to Oregon in 1884.

William Stone.

COLTON, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—William Stone, better known as "Old Bill" Stone, died here Thursday, aged 71 years. He was a native of Ireland, unmarried and came over to New York in the Spring of 1852, thence to Oregon by way of the isthmus the same year. He has been a resident of Clackamas County ever since.

Saw Beauties of Willamette Falls.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The Oregon Water Power & Railway Company today ran out of Portland to this city two special excursions that were largely patronized by the delegates in attendance at the Livestock Association meeting in Portland.

The visitors were escorted to Canemah Park, where a splendid view is offered of the Willamette Falls, which are exceptionally beautiful at this time of the year because of the raise in the stage of the Willamette.

CELEBRATED SIXTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MR. AND MRS. N. A. W. HOWE.

CRESWELL, Or., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. N. A. W. Howe celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary today. N. A. W. Howe was born in Connecticut, December 30, 1820, and was married to Ann Eliza Sands in Wisconsin, January 16, 1844. Mrs. Howe is now past 80 years of age. In 1871 they came to Oregon, settling in Lane County, where they have since lived continuously. Three children, Mrs. A. J. Johnson, E. L. Howe and C. S. Howe, all of Creswell, are living. Two children have died—one as an infant, the other, Mrs. Clara M. Rhinehart, then of Eugene, in 1891. In the four families there are 11 grandchildren now living. "Father" and "Mother" Howe have a wide circle of friends, who will rejoice with them on this occasion. They have for half a century been very active in the Methodist Church, in supporting the various activities of which they have contributed liberally.

POLITICS IN LINN

Two Candidates for the Circuit Judgeship.

OTHER COUNTIES ASPIRANTS

For Local Offices Willing Barkises Are Very Numerous--Democrats Expect to Get In Some of Their Faith.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The political battle that heralds the approach of the Spring tide in the Third Judicial District every four years is on. Work on the undercurrent is evident and the big caldron that is labeled politics has begun to boil. Rumors of combinations of greater or less magnitude are afloat, and some of the sayings of Dame Rumor sound credible.

In the first place, it is very readily believed that every one of the five counties in the district will have a candidate for some one of the important and lucrative positions offered by the state in the Third District, and that all but Polk have a candidate for Circuit Judge. It is even said that some of the counties in this district have more than one candidate for political honors that are accompanied with emolument. Should such be the case, and the indications are that way, there will be some pretty local fights as preliminaries to the big event in the district convention, and these local fights will undoubtedly have a strong influence on the make-up of the county tickets in those counties where the preliminary struggles take place.

Linn County is one of the most important counties politically in the Third Judicial District, and will have to bear her portion of the preliminary sparring. She has many lawyers, and there is hardly one of them who would positively refuse to hold a political office which is lucrative as well as honorable, provided his friends insisted. In fact, many, yes, most all of them, have been by some means or other mentioned as very available timber for Circuit Judge or District Attorney, but they have gradually prevailed upon their friends not to force them into the political conflict, until there remain as certain candidates, so far as can be judged at present, but two in Linn County, J. R. Wyatt and H. H. Hewitt. Both are willing to occupy a bench in either department of the Circuit Court.

Both Judges cannot come from Linn County. One of these men must take a back seat. But both, so their friends say, can carry the County Convention and secure a solid delegation to the District Convention. This question must be decided at home, and the fight is already begun. It will affect the County Convention very much, for the indications are that the county offices will be traded in securing a desirable delegation for either of these men in about the same manner as are combinations and trades effected in the larger conventions.

Aspirants for local offices realize this, and are already looking about to see which of the favorite sons is their favorite. In return, the candidates for district honors are looking about to see which of the numerous county candidates can swing the largest number of votes from his particular section in the local convention.

One of the Circuit Judges is pretty certain to come from Linn County. The fight at home is the important one, and will be hotly contested. Already friends of each man are singing the praises of their leader. Hewitt's friends point out that Mr. Hewitt is a good judge of law, that he has held both the offices of District Attorney and Circuit Judge in the past, which fits him admirably for the office of Circuit Judge now. They argue that experience is the thing, and, of course, use this against Mr. Wyatt.

The friends of Mr. Wyatt, on the other hand, say that he is one of the leading attorneys of Albany, that his reputation extends over the entire district, that he has always taken an active part in politics for the good of the Republican cause, working consistently, and has never asked for an office. They maintain that it is time he should be recognized. It is further said that Wyatt's nomination would unite the Republican party in Linn County.

The great question is, What combinations will be made with outside counties? Mr. Eddy, with his five votes in Tillamook, is known to be desirous of the Judgeship, while Yamhill County has an avowed candidate in James McCain, who is backed by a delegation that has 11 votes.

Judge George H. Burnett, of course, is a candidate for renomination. Will he be able to enter the District Convention with an undivided delegation of 22 votes? Is the problem that confronts prospective candidates who are anxious for a winning combination. It has been rumored that an effort would be made to defeat Judge Burnett for renomination, and if this rumor is true, and is carried into effect, an affiliation with him would not be very profitable. On the other hand, if Mr. Burnett can enter the convention with his usual great strength, the man who would be successful must align his forces with those of Burnett unless a combination of three counties outside of Marion is made. Altogether the situation in the Third District is complicated.

The Democrats have mentioned for the Judgeship Reuben P. Boise, the present Judge of Department No. 2, and the Nestor of the Oregon bar, and Hon. W. R. Bilyeu, of Linn County, a member of the lower branch of the Oregon Legislature. If they have a candidate for District Attorney, he has not as yet been mentioned.

In Linn County the candidates for local offices are legion in both parties. The Republicans have mentioned N. M. Newport, W. C. Tweedale, G. W. Wright and J. N. Duncan for County Judge.

For County Recorder W. B. Glass, of Brownsville, and W. W. Francis, of Halsey, are spoken of.

Joseph Hume, of Brownsville, and R. L. White, of Harrisburg, are said to be aspirants for the office of Sheriff.

J. W. Miller, of Scio, would be pleased with the Clerkship, and James Elkins will undoubtedly succeed himself as Treasurer.

For the lower branch of the Legislature F. D. Cornett, of Syracuse Precinct, will be nominated to succeed himself, and Hon. W. A. Templeton of Brownsville, and Attorney George W. Wright are mentioned as possible running mates.

The Democrats have candidates to succeed themselves in the present incumbents, B. M. Payne, Clerk, Price Munkers, Recorder, Worth Huston, Sheriff, and H. M. Palmer, Judge. Huston will have strong opposition in F. H. Pfeiffer, of Albany, while Palmer will have to settle the nomination for Judge between C. H. Stewart, J. J. Whitney, of Albany, and Riley Shelton, of Scio, and C. C. Jackson, of Halsey.

BAKER CITY WANTS Y. M. C. A.

Business Men Anxious to Help in the Erection of a Building.

BAKER CITY, Jan. 17.—A well directed effort is being made to organize a branch of the Young Men's Christian Association in this city. Several attempts have been made in the past, but they have all failed. Recently a committee of young men from the various young people's societies of the several churches in the city were appointed to take up the work of the organization. This committee has been steadily at work for the past two months, and has met with marked success. Funds are being raised fpr the purpose of employing a permanent secretary, and the committee has an experienced man in view whose services they hope to secure at an early date. The plan is to secure a lot and erect a Y. M. C. A. building just as soon as possible.

The organization committee secured the services of the Schubert Symphony Club, and gave a concert at the Opera House last week, from which they realized a neat sum, which is to be the nucleus of the building fund. Already the committee has received assurances of substantial donations from prominent citizens, who say that they will gladly assist in the work once they are satisfied that a determined effort is to be made to establish a branch of the Y. M. C. A. on a permanent footing in this city.

Penitentiary Fills Up Fast.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—The report of Superintendent C. W. James, of the Oregon penitentiary, for the quarter ending December 31, shows an increase in the number of prisoners from 289 to 311. There were received during the quarter, 63; discharged, 39, and transferred to the asylum, 2. The earnings of the prison were as follows:

Board of U. S. prisoners	$ 246.55
Convict labor in stone foundry	2,795.20
Labor digging sewer	115.25
Total	$3,157.25

The expenditures for the three months were:

Salaries of officers	$5,542.00
Supplies consumed	4,190.29
Prison betterment fund	3,841.45
Repairs and improvements	6,000.00
Other expenses	499.21
Total	$19,432.95

Be Patient, There Are 366 Days.

Long Creek Light.

This is the first leap year we have had for eight years. We have as yet received no proposals.

"What's you idea in beginning with pie and eating your dinner backwards?" "My stomach's upset."—Cornell Widow.

BAKER CITY HAS IMPROVED UNDER HIS REGIME

BAKER CITY, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Mayor R. D. Carter, who is serving his second term as Mayor of Baker City, was born in Maryland, in 1856. He came to Baker County in 1877, and has resided here ever since. He was employed for a short time on a cattle ranch soon after he came to Oregon, but soon engaged in business for himself. He is the senior member of the firm of Carter & Miller, one of the leading wholesale and retail butcher establishments of Eastern Oregon. The firm is also engaged in stockraising, owning two large cattle ranches.

Mayor R. D. Carter.

Mayor Carter has always taken an active part in politics, has served as chairman of the County Democratic Committee. Although a Democrat, he was elected Mayor as a nonpartisan, the question of party politics scarcely ever being considered in the matter of choosing municipal officers in Baker City.

Under Mayor Carter's administration Baker City has acquired a first-class gravity water system, with an abundant supply of water, a modern sewerage system, and, before the close of his present term, the city will have a handsome City Hall. The work of constructing the City Hall is now under way.

The matter of street-paving has been seriously considered by the Mayor and Council, and something will probably be done in that line during the present year.

TO SAVE MURDERER'S NECK

ARMSTRONG'S ATTORNEY TO APPLY FOR HABEAS CORPUS WRIT.

If Judge Bellinger Refuses, Appeal Will Be Attempted to Higher United States Courts.

BAKER CITY, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Attorney Bentley made preparations today to apply to Judge Bellinger, of the United States District Court, at Portland, for a writ of habeas corpus for Armstrong, the condemned murderer, whose execution is fixed for next Friday. Bentley was advised of the adverse ruling of the Supreme Court of the state last night, and Armstrong was informed this morning. To all appearances Armstrong is resigned to his fate, although he showed more signs of nervousness today than he has at any time since his arrest.

Sheriff Brown is proceeding with the preparations for the execution. The work of erecting the gallows will begin tomorrow morning early and will be finished by Tuesday or Wednesday at the latest. Armstrong's attorneys still insist that their client will not be executed Friday or at any other time.

The purpose is to file the application for a writ of habeas corpus with Judge Bellinger tomorrow and if the Judge concludes to grant the application it will be necessary for the Sheriff to take Armstrong to Portland, where the matter will have to be argued by Armstrong's attorneys and District Attorney White. In the event of Judge Bellinger refusing to interfere, it is understood that an effort will be made to appeal from his ruling to the United States Circuit Court or to the United States Supreme Court direct.

In the meantime, unless some court grants a stay of proceedings or Governor Chamberlain grants a reprieve, Sheriff Brown will proceed to execute Judge Eakins' order, and hang the prisoner.

Articles of Incorporation Filed.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Dunbar this week as follows:

Pine Lakes Ditch and Reservoir Company, Pine Valley, Baker County; $500; J. W. Bloom, George Steel, J. H. Chandler, J. H. Irwin, E. C. Leep.

Whitney Company, Limited, Portland; $15,000; general merchandise; G. M. Whitney, Alex Bernstein, D. Solis Cohen.

The Bock & Thomas Company, La Grande; wholesale meat business; $15,000; F. M. Bock, G. W. Thomas, F. S. Ivanhoe.

Pioneer Mutual Telephone Company, Brownsville; $4,000; George A. McCart, W. W. Poland, C. F. Leatherman.

Johnson Land & Live Stock Company, Dufur; $65,000; Thomas H. Johnson, George Johnson, John C. Johnson, Samuel B. Johnson.

Reid & Hertsche Company, Portland; leather goods; $20,000; J. A. Reid, E. A. Hertsche, J. C. Hertsche.

Western Baking Company, Portland, crackers, etc.; $50,000; C. X. Larrabee, Henry S. Reed, Colin K. Harbaugh, Henry S. Rowe, N. P. Foulks.

American Crystalized Milk Company, Portland, condensed milk; $2,000; R. H. Pratt, N. F. Maleen, S. H. Haines.

Altnow & Company, Woodburn, hardware; $10,000 Henry J. Altnow, W. J. Makelin, John E. Tracy.

Lostine Mercantile Company, Lostine; $13,000; R. C. Mays, J. H. Haun, C. B. Mays.

W. B. Steele Construction Company; Portland; $1,000; W. B. Steele, W. B. Steele, Jr., D. E. Steele.

Jerry White is Improving.

BAKER CITY, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The condition of Jerry White, who was shot by Colonel W. F. Butcher Friday evening, still continues favorable. He is resting easy today and there are no signs of inflammation. Both wounds are in good condition.

Colonel Butcher has retained ex-Senator William Smith and Charles Hyde as counsel, and it is understood that Senator Rand will also be retained for the defense.

If White continues to improve, the preliminary examination will probably not occur until he is able to attend.

Builds Pipe Organ for Church.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Work is already engaged for the new carriage and organ factory now being erected in Albany. R. M. Cramer, the proprietor, stated that he would manufacture a pipe organ and sell it at cost to the church first applying for the same. The United Presbyterian Church made application, and the organ will be manufactured as the first work of the factory in Albany. This will make two pipe organs in Albany churches, the Catholic Church already having a fine one.

Cougars Killing Cattle.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Farmers in the vicinity of Lorane are annoyed more than usual this Winter by cougars, and a number of instances have been reported where stock has been killed by them. The animals are very sly and can rarely be seen, but frequently they are heard in the evening very near the settlements.

Last week Dr. Petrie went out from Cottage Grove with his hounds and succeeded in killing one very fine specimen. There have been several chases without results.

NEWS OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Story Hour for Children Resumed--Books on Russia and Japan.

Miss Hassler has resumed her story hour, and at 4 o'clock every Friday afternoon stories on the Greek and Trojan heroes will be told in the children's room. Last Friday the story was upon the funeral games, the children listening with spellbound interest.

The Library Association formerly issued monthly bulletins of the books added to the library. It has not been possible to continue these since the library has been free, until the present time. The first number of the new series, which will be published as a quarterly bulletin, may now be obtained at the library. This covers the books added to the library in September, October and November. The next issue may be expected the first of March.

The Library possesses a fine collection of books upon Russia and Japan. The following is a selected list; others may be found in the Library upon request:

JAPAN—DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL.

Arnold, Sir Edwin. Japonica.....915.2 A753
Bishop, Mrs. I. L. (B.). Unbeaten Tracks in Japan. 1881.....915.2 B594
Brownell, C. L. Heart of Japan; glimpses of life and nature far from the traveller's track. 1903.....915.2 B884
Clement, E. W. Handbook of modern Japan. 1903.....915.2 C626
Finck, H. T. Lotos-time in Japan. 1895.....915.2 F492
Fraser, Mrs. M. (C.). Letters from Japan; a record of modern life in the island empire. 1899.....915.2 F842
Gulick, S. L. Evolution of the Japanese, social and psychic. 1903.....915.2 G972
Griffis, W. E. Verbeck of Japan. 1900.....B V47G
Hearn, Lafcadio. Gleanings in Buddha-fields. 1897.....915.2 H436g
Hearn, Lafcadio. In ghostly Japan. 1899.....915.2 H436i
Hearn, Lafcadio. "Out of the East;" reveries and studies in the new Japan. 1895.....915.2 H436o
Hearn, Lafcadio. Kokoro; hints and echoes of Japanese inner life. 1896.....915.2 H436k
Hearn, Lafcadio. Kotto.....915.2 H436ko
LaFarge, John. Artist's letters from Japan. 1897.....915.2 L159
Lowell, Percival. Noto: an unexplored corner of Japan. 1891.....915.2 L918n
Lowell, Percival. Soul of the Far East. 1896.....915.2 L918
Miyamori, Asataro. Life of Yukichi Fukuzawa. 1902.....B F961M
Norman, Henry. Real Japan; studies of contemporary Japanese manners, morals, administration and politics. 1892.915.2 N842
Ransome, J. S. Japan in transition. 1899.....915.2 R212
Regamey, E. F. Japan in art and industry. 1893.....915.2 R333
Seidmore, E. R. Jinrikisha days in Japan. 1895.....915.2 S416
Stead, Alfred. Japan today. 1902..915.2 S706
Taylor, Bayard. Japan, in our day. 1872.....915.2 T235

RUSSIA AND SIBERIA.

Bigelow, Poultney. Borderland of czar and kaiser. 1895.....914.6
Bookwalter, J. W. Siberia and Central Asia. 1899.....915.7 B724
Dana, C. A. Eastern journeys; some notes of travel in Russia. 1896.....914.7 D187
Fraser, J. F. Real Siberia together with an account of a dash through Manchuria. 1902.....915.7 F841
Gautier, Theophile. Winter in Russia. 1877.....914.7 G277
Hapgood, J. F. Russian rambles. 1895.....914.7 H252
Hare, A. J. C. Studies in Russia. 1895.....914.7 H274
Kropotkin, P. A. Memoirs of a revolutionist. p. 14-519.....B K96
Leroy-Beaulieu, H. J. B. A. Empire of the Tsars and the Russians. 1893-96.....914.7 L621
Norman, Henry. All the Russians. 1902.....914.7 N842
Palmer, F. H. Russian life in town and country. 1901.....914.7 P173
Stadling, Jonas & R. W. Land of Tolstoi. 1897.....914.7 S777
Stepniak, pseud. Underground Russia. 1883.....914.7 S837
Stepniak, pseud. Russian peasantry. 1888.....914.7 S837r
Vogue, E. M. vicomte. Tsar and his people. 1891.....915.7 V888
.....915.7 V949
Wolkonsky, Serge. Pictures of Russian literature. 1897.....891.7 W862

RUSSIAN HISTORY.

Morfill, W. R. Story of Russia. 1890.....947 M846
Noble, Edmund. Russia and the Russians. 1900.....947 N745
Rambaud, A. N. Popular history of Russia. 1882.....947 R187
Bishop, Mrs. I. L. (B.). Korea and her neighbors. 1898.....915.19 B622
Curzon, G. N. C. Korea. (See his Problems of the Far East. 1896).....950 C953
Foster, J. W. Korea and its neighbors. (See his American diplomacy in the Orient. p. 307-343. 1903.).....327.73 F755
Griffis, W. E. Corea; the hermit nation. 1882.....951.9 G852
Normad, Henry. Korea. (See his Peoples and politics of the Far East. 1895.).....
Wallace, Ia M. Russia. 1877.....914.7 W188
Wenyon, Charles. Across Siberia on the great post road.....915.7 W481
Wright, G. F. Asiatic Russia. 1902.....915 N842

Eastern Farms Rehabilitated.

New York Sun.

According to Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, the Eastern farmers are rehabilitating themselves by means of dairies, buckwheat, rye and potatoes, sweet and white. The South has gone in for corn, wheat, sweet potatoes, cane and sorghum syrup, hay, fruits, cattle, farm-made cheese, tobacco and home-made butter. The Pacific Slope and Rocky Mountain States, the North Central States, and all parts of the country where agriculture is followed, are more prosperous than ever before.

Secretary Wilson presents figures of crop production to show how great the value of some of the principal crops is. In this table is shown what the farms of the country should produce of certain crops in a year under favorable circumstances:

	Quantity.	Value.
Wheat, bushels	975,000,000	$ 400,000,000
Corn, bushels	2,325,000,000	1,000,000,000
Oats, bushels	1,000,000,000	300,000,000
Barley, bushels	100,000,000	50,000,000
Rice, bushels	250,000,000	.....
Hay, tons	55,000,000	500,000,000
Cotton, bales	10,500,000	530,000,000
Tobacco, pounds	800,000,000	60,000,000

The Department of Agriculture took a census of the Nation's farm animals on January 1 of this year. The count showed the following animals on hand, and the department estimated their value:

	Number.	Value.
Horses	18,557,000	$1,021,000,000
Mules	2,728,000	300,000,000
Milch cows	17,105,000	517,000,000
Other cattle	45,000,000	823,000,000
Sheep	64,000,000	168,000,000
Hogs	47,000,000	365,000,000

The department estimates that three-eighths of the working population of the Nation draws its livelihood from agricultural pursuits, and the condition of this great number of men and women was never better than it is today.

Prophet Without Honor, Etc.

Klamath Falls Express.

It is said that the name of Oregon's Governor will be presented to the National Democratic Convention as Oregon's choice for the Presidency. The second choice of the state will be W. R. Hearst, because he was a Pacific Coast man originally. If Chamberlain cannot get the nomination, the vote of Oregon will be behind the New Yorker. Complimentary, of course; but neither will be the choice of the convention.

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