

FRESH SERVICE S TUNED BY LINE

Secretary Creates Alaska Reserve to Circumvent Ultra-Conservationists.

RAILROAD TO GET TIMBER

Otherwise, Government Would Have to Pay for Material It Already Owns, Thus Depleting Appropriation.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 1.—"Go into the Chugach forest reserve and cut all the timber you need for the construction of the Government railroad from Seattle to Great Falls, Alaska," Secretary Lane, when the latter broached the Forest Service to the necessary permit, "but," added the Secretary, "you must pay us the market price for all the timber you cut."

When Secretary Lane found himself up against the proposition of the Government's buying its own timber to build its own railroad, thereby threatening to deplete the appropriation made by Congress, he proceeded to negotiate, and in due time evolved a scheme whereby he circumvented the Forest Service and got all the timber he and the Alaska Railroad Commission will require, for the mere cost of cutting.

Timber Reserve Created.
The Forest Service having held that not even the Government can cut timber from a forest reserve without paying for it, Secretary Lane proceeded to create a "timber reserve" out of the Chugach forest reserve, and along the line of the proposed Government railroad, to be cut by the Government, and in due time evolved a scheme whereby he circumvented the Forest Service and got all the timber he and the Alaska Railroad Commission will require, for the mere cost of cutting.

The Forest Service has no jurisdiction and cannot interfere. Incidentally, the Alaska Railroad Commission will have, in this reserve, all the timber it will require, and the mature timber in the Chugach forest reserve will continue to die off as the Government has been thwarted in one of its own projects by the ultra-conservation practiced by the Forest Service.

Secretary's Purpose Explained.
The purpose of the "timber reserve" created by Secretary Lane is explained by the following statement issued by the Interior Department:

"The purpose of the reservation is to prevent the timber needed for the construction of the Government railroad and its branches in Alaska from falling into possession of individuals or corporations, in which event it would be necessary for the Government to purchase timber which it once owned. It is not the intention of the Government, however, to make any unnecessary restrictions, to make any attempt to retard the development of the territory of Alaska along the line of the railroad or to prevent the withdrawal of the public land from the public domain. Only the timber on the land not the land itself, has been reserved."

"The land is still subject to location, settlement or entry under the public land laws, and it is provided that the withdrawal order that the Secretary of the Interior may permit settlers and others to acquire business in the locality to obtain such timber as they require for their own uses, provided that the timber is not needed for the construction of the Government railroad."

"It is the intention of the Government while conserving so much of its resources as it may need for its own use, at the same time to provide with the public in permitting the development of that part of the Territory of Alaska, for the benefit of which the railroad is being constructed."

DEATH CAMAS DESCRIBED

Department of Agriculture Issues Bulletin on Poison Weed.

The Department of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin (No. 125) on "Zygadenus, or Death Camas." This bulletin will doubtless be of interest to those who are engaged in the raising of stock, caused by the eating of this plant.

According to this publication, the death camas is found throughout the United States and as far north as Alaska, but is most abundant in the Rocky Mountains west to the Pacific Ocean. The plant may grow as more or less scattered individuals, but is sometimes common in large areas. In appearance it is grass-like, growing from a root stock or bulb which looks like an onion, while the flowers are bell-shaped, white, and somewhat resemble mignonette. In the Northwest the plant is known by numerous common names, such as lobelia, soap plant, alkali grass, waler lily, wild onion, hog's potato, squirrel food, poison sego, etc.

Numerous experiments have been made to discover a remedy for poisoning of sheep caused by eating this plant, but no satisfactory or practical medical remedy has been discovered to prevent losses. It is important to recognize the plant and avoid camping on it at any time, or grazing on it when the animals are hungry. If the animals become sick, they should be kept quiet, and under this treatment many will recover.

ADELE SNOWDEN WEDDED

Southern Girl Is Bride of Alfred W. Haywood, Jr., in New York.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Alfred W. Haywood, Jr., assistant counsel of the Lorillard Tobacco Company, has been married to Miss Adele Snowden, formerly of Savannah, Ga. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Septima Snowden, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Stephen L. Snowden. The bridegroom's best man was his brother, T. Holt Haywood.

The bridegroom is a native of North Carolina, and came to this country from the University of North Carolina in 1904. He has been practicing law in New York. He is a member of Squadron A, the Columbia University Club, the Southern Society and the North Carolina Society.

Miss Page to Wed Soon.

LONDON, June 22.—The marriage of Miss Katherine Page, daughter of the United States Ambassador to Great Britain, to Charles P. Loring will be celebrated quietly in London on August 4.

Let's Be Thankful
For Peace Today.

Monday Drawings

And Then Let's Be
Careful to Rap Wood

"IT NEVER CRABS"

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THE MONDAY CRAWFISH

"It Never Crabs"

Monday, July 5, 1915.

DEAN COLLINS, Editor.

EDITORIAL

The Crawfish has always stood for a safe and sane Fourth, ever since the members of the town with the sign of a Roman candle, and it is as strong for it today as ever.

We feel that it is a great thing to be able to see the anniversary of our Nation's birth roll around with a reasonable certainty that the members of the town will show up on the morning after with the full complement of eyes, ears and fingers, and though by careful investigation we have been able to find but few of the younger generation that agree with us.

But we understand that several of the young men are preparing to make the day an occasion of pointing out the "unpatriotic" nature of the greatest insurance policy of the nation to the detriment of the day's work. We have heard of a young man who, after a long and hard day's work, was told by a young man who was not a young man, that he was not a young man.

But we don't think it will get much worse driving at that.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Vic Huerta has been selected to spend his summer vacation in Mexico, where he will remain in the United States.

The Empress theater will have a new production, "The Girl of the Year," which will be a change from the usual fare.

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FIFTY WEEKS AGO TODAY

G. Baker went to New York to pick out actors for his theatrical company. He was accompanied by his wife and many friends.

Will Hearst, a San Francisco newspaper man, passed through the city on his way to New York. He was accompanied by his wife and many friends.

Chas. Myers, religious editor of the Oregonian, dropped in on the city on his way to New York. He was accompanied by his wife and many friends.

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LEBBER BOATS USE

William H. Murphy/Chartered by Charles R. McCormick.

STETSON AND DAISY SAIL

Eureka Will Carry Grain and Lumber to Baltimore—Tampiko, Poulson, Necanicum, Olympic, Shasta and Sallers to Load.

The coasting steamer William H. Murphy has been chartered by Charles R. McCormick to load lumber in Portland for San Francisco, thus forming an addition to the considerable fleet of lumber vessels in this port. The Murphy will be her second trip to this port, as she touched here several years ago.

The steamers J. B. Stetson and Daisy also left San Francisco Saturday bound for Portland to take on lumber. The Stetson is one of the regular steamers used by Mr. McCormick in the shipment of lumber, and the Stetson has been chartered by him. Both are small coasters being of 275 tons and the latter 321 tons.

The American coasting steamer Eureka is due in Portland from Seattle this week. She will take on grain at Seattle and lumber at Portland. She has been chartered by Mr. McCormick to load lumber in Portland for San Francisco, thus forming an addition to the considerable fleet of lumber vessels in this port.

The coasting steamer Johan Poulsen, 422 tons, left San Francisco July 3 for Portland. She has been chartered by Mr. McCormick to load lumber in Portland for San Francisco, thus forming an addition to the considerable fleet of lumber vessels in this port.

The steamers Olympic, 414 tons, out from San Pedro, and Shasta, 317 tons, out from San Francisco, will load lumber here for Dant & Russell for shipment to San Pedro. The Olympic left San Pedro on July 3.

There are, in addition, several sailing vessels due in this port for lumber cargo.

ISTHMIAN WILL SAIL TODAY

Kilburn Well Loaded With Freight and Passengers for San Francisco.

The steamer Isthmian, of the American-Hawaiian line, one of the regulars making the regular trip between New York City and Portland, is expected to complete the work of unloading at Alber's Dock No. 3 tonight and will drop down the river today. She will go to South America for a cargo of goods and passengers.

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AUTO PARTY FROM EAST MAKES PORTLAND STOP

Pennsylvanians Arrive From San Francisco and Register at Imperial. Prominent West Virginia Couple Spend Day in City on Way North.

BY ADDISON BENNETT.
LATE Friday night Mrs. A. Gillilan and her daughters, Frances and Nannie, with their chauffeur, arrived in their machine from San Francisco, being the first machine that has come through this way from there for several days, a portion of the road being had. Mrs. Gillilan and her daughters are on their way to the coast, and expect to put in fully two months before reaching their home. They made their headquarters while here at the Imperial.

Chester R. Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard stopped over a day, making their headquarters at the Imperial. They are on their way to the coast, and expect to put in fully two months before reaching their home. They made their headquarters while here at the Imperial.

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MAKING THE FOURTH SAFE AND SANE.

HOTEL REGISTER LOOKS LIKE WAR ZONE GUIDE

From Rome, Moscow, Warsaw, Berlin, Paris, London, Vienna and Belgrade They Come: Towns Are in New York and Other States.

"SAY," remarked the new reporter to the brick-looking, clean-shaven, always-ready-to-oblige hotel clerk at the leading hostelry of the city, "what's going on here?"

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