

COMPETITION CURB IS DECLARED NEED

Lumber Industry Representa-
tives Lay Case Before
Federal Commission.

TRADE HELD DEMORALIZED

Association of Cypress Men Save
Their Business by Advertising.
Conference Is to Develop
Foreign Commerce.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Governmental regulation of competition, as opposed to the Government's activity against trusts and monopolies, is a necessity, according to representatives of the lumber industry, who presented formal statements describing present conditions in their trade at a conference held here today between the Federal Trade Commission and a committee representing the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association.

Overproduction, uncontrolled price-cutting and other ruinous competitive practices were blamed by R. H. Downman, of New Orleans, president of the association, for the present situation in the lumber industry.

Situation Declared Bad.

He described the situation as being one of demoralization for the last eight years, including at this time a condition of actual loss and a shameful waste of forest resources in the face of the necessity of providing employment for 650,000 men, on whom are dependent 2,475,000 persons.

C. H. Worcester, chairman of the Northern Hemlock and Hardwood Manufacturers' Association, gave the commission a statement of the conditions of the industry which he represents. He said that overproduction had resulted in demoralization.

"The remedy is easy, and it is spelled 'co-operation.'"

How a falling off in the cypress lumber industry was ameliorated by an advertising campaign, setting forth the uses of this kind of lumber, was related to the commission by George E. Watson, secretary of the Southern Cypress Manufacturers' Association.

Advertising Saved Trade.

Mr. Watson said that from 1908 to 1913 there had been an increase in the production of cypress lumber of about 47 per cent. Just before this period, he said, a decline in the sales of cypress set in, and demoralization was threatened.

A campaign of advertising to educate the public to demand cypress had been carried on, with the result that this wood probably had suffered smaller decline in volume of business and prices than had other woods, he said.

The hearings are a part of a nationwide series arranged toward developing America's foreign commerce. Later sessions will be held in many of the large cities west to the Pacific Coast.

In outlining the purposes of the hearing, Edward N. Hurley, of Chicago, vice-chairman of the commission, said: "In the judgment of the best business brains of this country, there never has been so favorable an opportunity for American commerce to seek and find foreign markets for its products as at this juncture."

LETTER INCIDENT PROBED

Sanity of Bureau Head Fighting
Munitions Export May Be Tested.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—F. X. Weinschenk, of Bellevue, Ia., arrested last week by secret service men, after he had written several letters to the White House, was transferred today from the observation ward of a hospital to the Government hospital for the insane on the report of two alienists that his mind was affected. He may be released later on a favorable report of the alienists, or may be held for a trial as to his sanity.

Weinschenk contacted the international information bureau here and mailed to a list of thousands of names propaganda for the German cause and against the export of war munitions to the allies. The investigators are looking into his statement that he was spending as much as \$1000 a month himself and had no associates.

1500 AT COLLEGE SPECIAL

Demonstration of Canning Methods
Draws at Many Towns.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, July 19.—(Special.)—More than 1500 persons attended this week by the Oregon Agricultural College in cars provided by the Southern Pacific Railway Company.

Since there is yet another full week of work, it seems likely that considerably more than 1500 persons will have advantage of these object lessons in home thrift.

The special demonstration cars will be at Corvallis Tuesday, Brainerd and Springfield Wednesday, Eugene and Tangent Thursday, Junction City, Harrisburg and Halsey Friday.

LAD IN SWIMMING DROWNS

Albert Taylor Sinks in Columbia
Near Interstate Bridge.

While swimming in the Columbia River near the interstate bridge at Vancouver yesterday afternoon, Albert Taylor, 17 years of age, was drowned. The accident occurred at 4 o'clock at Hayden Island near the latest harbor police were notified immediately, but the body of the boy was recovered with their assistance.

WARSAW IS TO BE GIVEN UP

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to nearly midnight no new communication came to hand.

Troops 40 Miles From Warsaw.

In the absence of additional official information from Petrograd there is nothing to throw fresh light on the eastern front, but the Austro-German advance could hardly seem to have lost its momentum. According to the latest accounts the Austro-German forces advancing from Pranzany were within 40 miles of Warsaw; while to the south Von Mackensen's center was at certain points within ten miles of the Lublin-Cholm River.

Russian soldiers engaged against the Austrians or the Germans carry on their persons an ikon or sacred picture, which is supposed to guard them against the bullets of the enemy. Every Russian General departing for the front has been presented with an ikon solemnly blessed by a priest or bishop.

HOW EX-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT APPEARED ON HIS TRIP THROUGH PORTLAND YESTERDAY.



Upper, Left—Shaking Hands With Crowds at Union Depot. Upper, Right—"Dee-lighted to See You." Lower, Left—"You Know My Views on the Baby Question." Lower, Right—"And I Won't Speak From the Standpoint of a Mollycoddle, Either."

T. R. REPEATS VIEWS

Lusitania and Mexico Statements Are Reasserted.

Political Talk Avoided

Peace Propagandists Denounced as 'Sissies'—Conference Held With Party Leaders and Reports on Prospects Are Heard.

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who went to Chehalis to meet the Colonel, extended an invitation to him to attend the convention now in progress in Portland. Dr. Coe, who is state chairman of the Progressive party, also is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution. In extending his regrets through Dr. Coe, Colonel Roosevelt gave utterance to the following:

"There would be no Sons of the American Revolution if the sentiments of the men in those early days would have been: Peace first, or peace at any price, or if, in 1776, the women had gone around singing a song like 'I Didn't Raise My Boy to Be a Soldier.'"

Judge Henry E. McGinn went to Seattle at the Colonel's invitation and rode with him to Portland, and although he was in repeated conferences with Progressive leaders of both Oregon and Washington yesterday, the Colonel was ready to talk about almost everything excepting politics.

Seattle Dispatch Denied.

His comment on the Presidential situation are summed up in the declaration made repeatedly through the day: "If you tell me what 1916 will bring forth I'll tell you precisely what I'll do in 1916."

"Well, Colonel, hasn't anyone told you what 1916 is going to bring forth?" suggested one of his hearers.

"No, I haven't met the seventh son of a seventh son who can prophesy what's going to happen."

At Vancouver Colonel Roosevelt saw a copy of a Portland evening paper bearing a story from Seattle in which the Colonel was purported to have said that, in the event the Republicans nominate Justice Hughes for the Presidency, the Progressives could consistently support him, and that, inasmuch as it would take at least 12 years for the Progressives to win success any way, it would be necessary, probably, for the new party to ally itself with the Republicans.

"That's absolutely false!" he shouted with emphasis, as he cast the paper ruthlessly into a Pullman car seat beside him.

"I never said anything of the kind! It's utterly false! You will notice that no one stands responsible for the statement. It doesn't pretend to quote me directly, and it doesn't give the source of its authority. They didn't hang the story onto anyone, as you newspaper boys say."

"And I want to say right here, when any time I have any statement to make about politics or about anything else I will make it over my own signature. I always have been able to speak for myself and I believe I am yet."

T. R. SAME AS EVER

Colonel Has Cheery Word for Each Old Friend.

Crowds Throng to Train

Characteristic Vigor and Alertness Mark Visit of ex-President.

Veterans Warmly Greeted and Spirit Praised.

Bronzed and tanned as if he had just stepped out of the African jungles, vigorous and active as if the word "fatigue" had just been coined to fit him, keen and alert in the quest for the most pertinent information as if he were actually campaigning for office, mercurial and blither in his denunciation of the ultra-pacifists, ex-President Theodore Roosevelt passed a busy 20 minutes in Portland yesterday afternoon.

The ex-President is on his way to the California expositions and is accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and J. W. McGrath, his secretary. He will deliver a lecture at San Francisco on the preparedness for war.

He is the same tireless worker and maintains the same boyish enthusiasm as in the old days when he was in the White House.

He is just as much of a persistent handshaker, is just as frequently "delighted" to meet the public, and gives just as frequent utterance to characteristic Roosevelt expressions as "By George," "Say that's bully," and others that apply peculiarly to a person of exceedingly active endeavor.

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The first big crowd to greet him was at Tacoma. The Colonel came out on the rear platform of the train and delivered a brief address. Another crowd was out at Tenino. He spoke to a few hundred people at Centralia and came to the steps of his car at Chehalis.

At Winlock one of the crowd sent in his card. The man was L. Whitney, who was a saddler in Troop A, First United States Volunteer Corps in the Spanish-American War.

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of a group of children who had gathered too near the train.

"Look out there, you'll get hurt," he called. "Better get those children away from there," he advised the crowd.

Another large crowd had gathered at Kalama, but the car in which the Roosevelt party was traveling stopped far up the track. Before the people could get back that far the train had started.

A group of Spanish-American War veterans headed a large delegation at Vancouver. The veterans carried the flag that they had used in the Philippine campaign. It was borne by Glen N. Ranck, a former sergeant of Company G, First Washington Volunteers.

"By George, I'm glad to see you!" he exclaimed, as he shook hands with Mr. Ranck.

"What regiment were you in?" he asked of another man.

"Second Oregon."

Politics Kept Out of Discussions.

"Indeed! Say, that's fine. We need more of you fellows."

Then he stepped back on the platform and viewed the surrounding landscape.

"I must say that you have fine crops in Washington and Oregon. But the best crop is your babies, and I see you have a lot of them." Just then he spied an elderly man at the edge of the crowd holding a small child in his arms.

"Is it your grandchild?" he shouted out.

"The man nodded affirmatively.

"Bully for you! You're in my class. I'm a grandfather, and you bet there's nothing better."

The child's father filed past and shook hands. He said his name was Dewey.

A group of Portland Progressives, headed by Colonel Emmett Callahan, boarded the train at Vancouver. The Colonel talked and joked with them but did not attempt to discuss politics.

Judge McGinn Is Praised.

Judge Henry E. McGinn had gone to Seattle the night before at Colonel Roosevelt's invitation, and traveled to Portland with him. Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, Progressive National committee chairman, boarded the train at Chehalis. The two conferred with the Colonel at various times, but agreed that nothing important, politically, had developed.

Colonel Roosevelt evidently is fond of Judge McGinn.

"He certainly is a citizen of whom you people in Oregon can be proud," he earnestly confided to a number of Portland men. "They don't make them any better than Judge McGinn."

"Now, there is something that I call fine," he burst out as he caught a glimpse of Mount Hood from the train.

"Ah," he ejaculated, pointing to a familiar object in the harbor.

"That's the cruiser Boston," someone volunteered.

"And so it is. Dewey had her at Manila."

"Splendid," he commented when told that she now is being used as a training ship for the Naval Militia.

He recalled jokingly a previous visit to Portland when someone uncaged a pair of playful cub bears at the banquet table where he was the guest of honor. Just then the train came to a stop and a committee of Progressives boarded the steps to greet him.

Greeting Given Bishop Sumner.

At once he stepped forward and rushed up with both hands outstretched.

"This certainly is a pleasure," he exclaimed. "I'm glad to see the live of the old-time friends. The Colonel had telegraphed to the bishop to meet him. Bishop Sumner introduced Archbishop Chambers.

"Go right on in and see Mrs. Roosevelt," he urged to the ecclesiastical pair as the crowd surged around them.

Mrs. T. B. Neuhausen, with a magnificent bunch of red roses, was the first woman to shake his hand.

"I didn't recognize you at first," he said, as he gasped, taking the proffered flowers.

J. W. Brewer came with two big bouquets and the greetings of the Portland Chamber of Commerce.

Afterwards the Colonel singled Mr. Brewer out in the crowd and thanked him earnestly.

"Sorry you couldn't stay longer," said Mr. Brewer.

"Well, if I stopped any place, I'd have to stop everywhere, and a man who has grandchildren doesn't want to stay away from home too long."

Crowds Cheer ex-President.

The Colonel seems to be particularly proud of his grandfatherhood, as he refers to it at every opportunity.

"Don't you remember me," burst out an enthusiastic woman. "I introduced you at Wyncoff, Kan., in 1904."

"And so you did," was the response. "I didn't recognize you at first."

The crowd was so big that the ex-President was rushed to the back end of the train. A mighty cheer went up as he mounted the platform.

"My friends," he said, "I hope it is not necessary for me to say how much pleasure it gives me to be here. You people of Oregon always have been kind to me. I have learned a great deal of what you have done, and have tried to act as missionary for Oregon's ideas in some of the other states."

He then warned the people not to believe any statement purporting to represent his views if not expressly stipulated that he had authorized the statement.

"I can brand such stories as amusing fairy tales," he asserted, thrusting out his ample jaw.

Cheery Word Given Everyone.

"Until I authorize a declaration of my views there is no use guessing on the strength of what someone else has heard from someone who claims to represent me."

The crowd clamored forward and the Colonel urged the people to pass in single file so that he could shake hands with as many as possible in the brief time that remained.

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NEW NOTE DRAFTED
Reply to Germany Is to Be Viewed by Cabinet Today.

DOCUMENT WILL BE BRIEF
President Cautions Councilors to Refrain From Discussing Probable Contents and Writers Asked Not to Speculate.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—President Wilson and Secretary Lansing prepared today the draft of a note on submarine warfare to be submitted to the cabinet tomorrow and to be sent to Germany probably before the end of the week.

Beyond the fact that the position already taken by the United States in its previous note will be reiterated, no information was forthcoming at either the White House or State Department concerning the probable contents of the new note.

The President cautioned those with whom he conferred to refrain from discussing the note in advance of its dispatch to Germany, and White House officials particularly required the correspondents to avoid speculation in the matter. He said that the character of the document had not been finally determined.

The note will be comparatively brief, excepting the conclusions of this Government as a result of Germany's failure to give the assurances asked for in the previous note—namely, that the lives of Americans traveling on the high seas would be protected by the German navy.

As yet the case of the British liner *Ordnance*, attacked by a German submarine, has not been brought officially to the attention of the State Department. Secretary Lansing today said he had expected word from some of the American passengers aboard, but if this failed to arrive in another day or two he would request one of the departments of the Government to institute an investigation to obtain accurate information concerning the incident.

Seaside Auditor's Hearing Today.

ASTORIA, Or., July 19.—(Special.)—J. L. Berry, Auditor and Police Judge of Seaside, will be arraigned in the Circuit Court tomorrow on an indictment charging malfeasance in office. He is accused of refusing to attend Council meetings.

The Real Suffrage Thought of Women

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general knowledge of business and professions.

Miss Carpenter took for the subject of her address the "Function of the Church for Clean City Government" and said that the best social workers were to be found outside the church. She also said that the industries that were unable to support their employees throughout the year were parasitic.

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"Cuckoo Game" Explained.

Taking credit for how the City of Los Angeles has played the "cuckoo game" on Chicago and San Francisco, Robert C. Barton, of Los Angeles, executive secretary of the morals efficiency committee of the southern city, in a speech on "How We Handle the Vice Problem in Southern California," related to the congress the ways and means employed by himself and those associated with him in setting rid of women of the underworld. Incidentally, he also attacked the ministers of San Francisco and Los Angeles, and

denoted loss of virtue as a requisite to success as a movie actress in this state. The cuckoo game, as christened by Mr. Barton, is borrowed from the practice of a bird in Ireland, which throws the eggs of other birds out of their nests, lays its own there and leaves them for the other birds to do the work.

Mr. Barton asserted that this game has been played by Los Angeles on San Francisco and Chicago.

"Our good people of the south saved the day, so that we might truly say that California invites the world and not the underworld," said Barton. "We have played the cuckoo game. We have driven those women east of Los Angeles and sent them back to Chicago and up here to San Francisco and on to Portland, where the people like them."

Mr. Barton's remarks drew loud sentiments against motion-picture actresses in and around Los Angeles.

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