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LOST CREEK FALLS, ABOUT SMILLS UP THE COQUILLE RIVER FROM BREWSTER VALLEY.

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ARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 21.-(Special.)--What is more fascinating than a waterfall in a quiet woodland nook, dashing down over a big rock and 50 or 100 feet below foaming in a little mountain stream? Surely nothing could be more refreshing after a long tramp on a hot day. Weariness is driven away by the very sound of the water before a full view of the charm-me witch is chained The feature of beauty at the winner claid development. Waterfalls, that is real ones worth see-ing, are not made to order and placed in the goldhish ponds of the formal garden. They must be in rugged places, else the stream of which they are a part would water before a full view of the charm-ing sight is obtained. The feast of beauty on visiting one of the mountain weter-fails repays the effort of a long journey to any one who can in the ident ap-preciate the magnificence of nature. Hunting waterfails with a camera is

quite as much fun as hunting deer with a heavy rifle, especially if the lover of the outdoors does not particularly enjoy the slanghter of the pretty heasts of the forest, which is the chief part of the latter sport. But whatever is the recreathin which calls to the wild districts the inspiration on discovering a waterfall is none the less lofty.

Throughout the woods and mountains of Southern Oregon are dozens of these waterfalls, and none more pleasing or varying in their form and size can be found the world over. Some of these fails, among them the most attractive, have been seen by but a few persons, because of being located in out-of-theway places. To the real naturalist the very isolation lends added enchantment and makes greater the enjoyment of seewhich are suggestive of danger to the boatman; the heavy volume of water which nature has so lavishly scattered through the southern part of the state. Like the flowers which were born to bluab unseen, there are waterfails of in-describable grandeur hidden away in the recesses and deep canyons of the dennely wooded mountains of Southern Oregon. That more artists of brush and ing and perhaps photographing for the benefit of others, these exquisite scenes

through the mountains. They are in the upper waters of the Umpqua, Coos and Rogue rivers and the branches of the Coquilie and in the streams tributary to these main waterways Some of these fulls will doubtler and Conullie and in the streams tributary to these main waterways. Some of these fails will doubtless one

to these main waterways. Some of these fails will doubtless one day be famous show places for tourists and visitors and when one goes through the waterfails district it seems a play that at least some of this superb part water and is least some of this superb part ural charm in the shape of a big state park, instead of suffering the denudation of the wookman's ax. Tellowstone Park in its way is no more attractive than parts of this mountain region of Southern Gregon, with its giant fir trees, luxuriant vegetation,

attractive than parts of this mountain region of Southern Oregon, with its giant fir trees, luxuriant vegetation, sparkling streams and entrancing waterfalls.

While the towering trees, it is true, must be cut for lumber, some of the falls perhaps harnessed for power, and mountain grades pulled down and cleared for railroads, and all within a few years. While the towering trees, it is true,

any one who stays a week in these woods cannot help feeling that something should be saved to show future genera-tions what Southern Oregon passessed under the ledge and behind the water can be seen as plainly as through glass. A big fir tree which has fallen diagonbefore nature was forced to sacrifice her beauty at the white man's altar of prog-

ally across the chasm adds to the picturesque scene. Cavot Creek Falls, about 15 milies above Peel in Douglas County, liave not been seen by many persons excepting hunters and campers. The water takes a drop of 50 feet and presents a charmnet have found it necessary to drop its course abruptly off a rocky ledge and form limit its a waterfall in order to push through to an outlet. Consequently to find the most attractive of the waterthe North Umpqua River, in Douglas County, is of the stormy type. The river banks come close together and the water rushes through between the rocky sides for a distance of 20 feet. About sides for a distance of 30 feet. About four miles below, at the mouth of the

fails it is necessary sometimes to enter a rather rough country, and generally the wilder the spot the more beautifal is the fails and the more elaborate the Little River, is another beautiful spot. The waters of the Umpgua divide and surrounding vegetation. If one is anywhere near a waterfall

for which he is seeking he will find it by the noise. The rearing waters call him and serve as a glide until the woods have been penetrated and the enchantment of the glaring scene is upon hlm

No two waterfalls are ever exactly No two waterials are ever exactly allke, but some are similar in general makeup and may to an extent be classi-fied. The Southern Oregon falls are of a dozen different kinds, inspiring in their which has not been visited by many, is Wolfe Creek Falls, about a mile and a half above where Wolfe Creek flows into

a dozen unterent anals, nepering in the sight as many different emotions. There is the thin vellike fails, which quietly but constantly run over a rocky ledge; the stormy, turbulent rapids, which are suggestive of danger to the build of the storm of water Ing and pernagis photographing for the bears is seened which nature has so lavisity scattered through the southern part of the state. Like the flowers which were born to bluab unseen, there are waterfails of in-describable grandeur hidden away in the necessars and deep canyons of the spring in its brillinney, and the exquinities fails which greed out and gluten in the soulight. Each one, when canyons of the of these of these of these seems more lovely than the last. Or course all the waterfails are not so hard to reach. Many can be seen without great effort, but whatever traveling is necessary, whether it be by stars, horseback or afoot, is well worth while. Coos, Dougias and Curry counties are particularly favored with waterfails in the county and another in the same mountains and equally as fine its and the big fails where great volumes of the same mountains and equally as fine.

To the angler these waterfalls Indicate a good fishing place.

REACHED ONLY ON FOOT.

There is also auggested the commer-cial side of the falls. Water power suf-ficient to run electric plants, factories and streetcars for cities is dashing away unbridled and unused and wasted only as these moving waters afford the beautiful to those who care to come and look. But what matter, thinks the seeker of waterfalls. Best let the factories burn fuel and make power and save some of these waterfalls and surrounding charms

of nature.

Politicians to Doff Stripes.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 22 .-road, and so near to the county line that it may be claimed by both Douglas and John Dolan and Frank Garrett. St Louis politicians, convicted of fraudu Coos. Here the water sweeps down the lently naturalizing foreigners, for

Fire in Little Belt Reserve Again Beyond Control.

HELENA Mont, Aug. 12.—Forest first have broken out anew in the Lit-tle Belt reserve of Central Montana, and much valuable timber is being de-stroyed. More than 1600 acres have been burned over, and the large force of forest reserve men is apparently helpiess in their efforts to control it. The first started a wek ago, but was apparently subdued, only to break out again. Assistance is being sent from Great Falls and from near-by places.

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