

WANDERLUST LEADS HIM ON

Lieutenant C. H. Brown, Adventurer, Visits Coos Bay After Long Trip.

To satisfy the wanderlust that lures him on and also in the effort to prove that the old saying "A rolling stone gathers no moss," C. H. Brown of everywhere and nowhere in particular, is looking over Coos Bay. His card reads "Lieut. C. H. Brown, adventurer, U. S. Army and Navy." Brown has been here nearly a week and is one of the most interesting characters that has struck here in many a day. Young and keen with no ties that hold him back, he wanders at will and his stop here is about the longest he has made since he cut the ties that kept him in one place while in the regular service. So far he has not accumulated a fortune but his hopes are not shattered a mite. He came here from Portland after taking in the fair, and planned to go to the Orient.

Brown frankly calls himself an adventurer and says he can't help it. He is on the lookout for the thrills of stirring times in the field or at sea, and believes the ordinary repose of everyday life would kill him. Attired in serviceable field dress of a semi-army uniform style, with a large sombrero, and wearing two foreign decorations on the lapels of his coat, his appearance attracts attention on the street.

Brown is a young man still in the twenties and possesses considerable natural and acquired refinement and polish. He has served in the army and navy of Uncle Sam and has also managed to become identified with several imbroglis of South American republics as an officer. After being mustered out of the volunteers at the conclusion of considerable active service in the Philippines insurrection, he went to England on a tramp steamer and enlisted under King Edward's standard. Finding the piping times of peace too monotonous for his adventurous spirit, he purchased his discharge and shipped on a vessel bound for the Mediterranean and Black seas. At Algiers, he found French troops with trouble on their hands and secured a probational commission.

Less than two months after his appointment by the French territorial government, Brown left for Alexandria, Egypt, where he again saw service as a civilian employee of the British troops. Thence he moved to Stamboul, Turkey, where nothing but his American citizenship saved him from dire punishment as a champion of the persecuted Armenians. At Crete he secured another army commission but arrived too late to see service and resigned in disgust after waiting several months for hostilities to open up.

Brown's next movement was a trip to Guatemala where he took part in guerilla warfare as a teniente of rurales. He was caught by ladrones and held in captivity as a hostage for the return of insurgent prisoners, but escaped in almost nakedness.

Making his way to the mainland he shipped as a cook on a coast vessel and alighted at Montevideo where he secured a sub-inspectorship of customs. Five months later found him in Shanghai, China, where he again entered the custom service and was wounded and left for dead in an encounter with river pirates.

Eight months of this life sufficed for him and he went to Manila, where he engaged in hemp and copra dealing until the Moros and Mindoro burnt him out during a series of battles with the native constabulary with which Brown was fighting.

After many vicissitudes, among which were a long sea trip and several engagements with the rural soldiers of two South American republics, Lieutenant Brown went to Japan and offered his services in the Mikado's army with the condition that he would not be expected to take arms against America or Great Britain. The honorable adventurer's offer was blandly turned down by the Japanese government who, in addition, made their hospitality so cordial as to almost suggest suspicion and the enterprising soldier of fortune had some difficulty in withdrawing with grace from the Flowery Kingdom.

Things were made even warmer for him when he tried to effect a landing at the island of Formosa a few weeks later, as the Japanese troops were having trouble with the tribesmen at the time. Nominally,

the guest of a high ranking army officer there, he was really a prisoner until the Japanese were satisfied that his intentions were not harmful to the Mikado's policy.

From the Orient, Brown went to Barcelona, Spain, and subsequently engaged in iron mining in Bilbao. A rumor of insurrection in Brazil caused him to throw up his interests in Spain and he landed, almost broke, in Para to find things monotonously peaceful. He then shipped as a cook on a "windjammer," went to England where he served as a private detective, and recently returned to the United States.

JAPANESE TO COME.

Thirty of Mikado's Leading Men to Visit Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 28.—An event of great interest, especially to the Pacific coast, will be the visit of 30 of the leading business men of Japan, who will arrive on September 6 for a tour of 50 cities of the country. The visitors are coming to learn of the resources and commercial methods of the United States. The trip about the country will be made in a splendidly equipped special train at a cost of \$75,000, contributed by the business interests of the United States. A committee of prominent men has been named to have charge of the visitors while in Portland and arrange for their entertainment here.

INSTITUTE RESOLUTIONS

We, the members of the Nineteen Hundred and Nine Institute of Coos County, assembled at Coquille City, wishing to express our appreciation of the benefits and pleasures derived from this gathering, hereby submitting the following resolutions for your approval:

First: We extend our thanks to the instructors of the Institute and assure them that we appreciate the earnestness of their efforts to improve the teaching spirit of our body.

Second: We congratulate ourselves on the spirit of harmony and enthusiasm that has characterized our work, and are firmly convinced that we shall depart to our several homes and take up our work with assurance of better results.

Third: To the citizens of Coquille, we wish to express our heartfelt gratitude, for their unbounded hospitality extended to us. We can assure them that in our labors we shall look back with lightened hearts upon the scenes presented to view on the school grounds. When more than one hundred teachers were refreshed by a feast of watermelon during a recess in our work. We shall recall with pleasure the cooling draughts of lemonade served to us in the halls of the school room during our labors. We shall ever look with longing memories upon the heaping dishes of luscious strawberries drowned in cream that were served to us by some of your citizens. Lastly, we appreciate and have enjoyed to their fullest extent the pleasure afforded to us by the intellectual treats prepared for our evening exercise.

Fourth: We are glad to have enjoyed the unique experience of having present during part of our deliberations, the members of the school board and other officers of the various districts of the county, and hope to see this experience renewed, that both branches of the educational force may be enabled to view the work from the other standpoints.

Fifth: To our very efficient secretaries, Miss Lena Belloni and Miss Florence Walstrom, we extend thanks for their success and promptness in discharging the clerical duties of both the Teachers Institute and the District Board Convention.

Sixth: To our school superintendent, W. H. Bunch, we extend thanks for his unfailing efforts to make the work of the Institute both instructive and pleasant.

Seventh: And lastly we wish to express our deep sense of gratitude to our honored State Superintendent J. H. Ackerman for his visit to us, and especially to recognize its import in as much as it is probably his last official visit to a Coos county institute. We look back with pleasure to his oft repeated visits to our county during his many years of service as state superintendent. We congratulate him upon his unbounded success in bringing Oregon to the forefront in educational matters and do assure him, that when he steps down and out, the whole state will view his labor and "looking upon their fruits, will say, 'well done, good and faithful servant.'"

Respectfully submitted,
W. D. REEDY,
MARGARET B. MURPHY,
F. A. GOLDEN.

SUPPORT OF HOME PAPER

MERCHANTS URGED TO BACK
LOCAL ADVERTISING MEDIUM
TO THE LIMIT.

An appreciative view of the home newspaper is given in the Office Outfitter of Chicago, from which we make the following extracts:

Many a good town isn't worth a cent because the local newspaper is neglected. Many a good merchandising center is dead because the men in business treat the editor of the newspaper as an object of charity. This is wrong. The local paper is the greatest thing in the community. It should be supported. It should be read and patronized. The merchants who think they are clever and smart when they sip one over on the local paper make a big mistake. Every dollar you take away from the local newspaper in schemes and knocks hurts the town. It hurts business, and, most of all, it hurts the merchants who indulge in it.

Whatever else you merchants do, patronize your home paper. Don't tell me that it has a small circulation. Don't tell me that you reach ten times as many people with less expense using circulars. Don't spring any of those time worn gags on me at all. Stop standing in your own light. Get behind the local paper and push it for all you are worth. I don't mean push it to the wall. Push it up grade to a position where it ought to be, and as sure as you are alive you will push your own business up with it to a point you never dreamed of before.

When a man tells me that he reaches more people and gets better results from his circulars I know that he is deceiving himself and telling me what I can prove to be untrue. A newspaper in the community is read by the people. They learn to watch for it, and when they get it every member of the family wants his turn to see what it says. Ads. and all are read. If the merchants of a community will educate the people to look in the newspaper for their announcements the people will read the paper more and more and greater will be the returns.

There is no alley so long but that has its ash barrels, and there is no knock so powerful or subtle but that it reacts. Do yourself a favor and keep up your end by supporting the local newspaper, and support it for all you are worth.

It can be added that whatever the local papers do to help their city or town is of benefit to every business man therein.—Chelsea, Mass., Recorder.

IN FAVOR OF FLIRTING.

Prof. Palmer of Harvard, Says Sprinkle Of It Is Good.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—"I have three lectures a week at Radcliffe," says Prof. H. Palmer of Harvard, "and it is surprising how many young girls are letting the very best part of their lives go by without having the least enjoyment."

"There are many boys here at Harvard who do not know what social life means. Of course, there are some who do nothing but fool away their time. I do not mean to say that is what I uphold, for it is not."

"What I mean is to mix things up a bit, sprinkle a little flirting into the studies. One can have a little of both and still come out all right in the end. I think the girls of Radcliffe and the boys of Harvard devote too much of their time to study."

"They actually bury themselves in their books, and the result is that when they get through college they do not know a thing about social life. They should mingle a little frivolity with their studies. In other words, they should flirt a little."

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In effect May 1, '09 Daily except Sun.

Southbound—	Nos. 5	3	1
Leave	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Marshfield	3.10	3.00	8.00
*Henryville	3.30	3.20	8.22
*Summit	3.40	3.30	8.30
*Junction	3.50	3.36	8.40
Rever Hill	4.00	3.46	8.50
Coquille	4.10	3.56	9.00
Coquille	4.20	4.06	9.10
*Johnson's	4.30	4.16	9.20
*Schroeders	4.40	4.26	9.30
*Norway	4.50	4.36	9.40
Arrive—			
Myrtle Point	4.20	9.35	
Northbound—	Nos. 2	4	6
Arrive	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Marshfield	11.40	6.00	6.30
*Henryville	11.20	5.40	6.10
*Summit	11.10	5.33	6.00
*Junction	11.00	5.25	5.50
Rever Hill	10.50	5.16	5.40
Coquille	10.40	5.10	5.30
Coquille	10.35	5.05	5.25
*Johnson's	10.25	4.56	5.15
*Schroeders	10.15	4.46	5.05
*Norway	10.10	4.40	4.55
Leave—			
Myrtle Point	10.10	4.40	4.55

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