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Official Paper of Coos County.

VANISHING TIMBER SUPPLY.

MUCH HAS been said and written of late about the destruction of our forests, and one of the latest and most illuminating pamphlets on the subject is that by R. S. Kellogg, Assistant Forester in the Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture, who tells us that, whereas, at a conservative estimate, the five great forests of the United States covered originally 850,000,000 acres and contained 5,200 billion feet of lumber, at the present time their total area has been reduced to 550,000,000 acres, containing less than one-half as much standing timber than they did in their virgin state.

The total yearly drain upon our forests, not counting losses from fire, storms, and insects, is estimated to be about 20,000,000,000 cubic feet. Of our present forest area of 550,000,000 acres, 200,000,000 acres are roughly estimated to consist of mature forests, in which the annual growth is balanced by death and decay, and 250,000,000 acres consist of timber partially cut or burned over, on which with reasonable care there is sufficient young growth to produce ultimately a merchantable, but not a full crop of timber. The remaining 100,000,000 acres consists of forests so completely cut out and burned, that there is not sufficient young growth to produce another crop of much value. According to this estimate, the annual growth of all our forests is not over twelve cubic feet per acre, or a total of less than seven billion cubic feet. Since we cut yearly some twenty billion cubic feet over and above what is lost by fire and other natural causes, it follows that we are cutting out our forests three times as fast as they are grown. Just how unreasonably extravagant this country has been in using up its timber supply, is shown by comparison with the conduct of Germany and France. In Germany 37 cubic feet of timber per capita are taken annually from her forests; France is able to get along with but 25 cubic feet; while in this country the consumption is 250 cubic feet per capita. Germany, furthermore, has applied her scientific methods with such good effect, that her state forests are producing today an annual average of 48 cubic feet of wood per acre.

It is considered that the demand for more farm land may eventually lead to a further encroachment to the extent of 100,000,000 acres upon our present forests, reducing the total to 450,000,000 acres. The Forest Service considers, however, that it would be entirely possible, if the forest land is improved and the timber economically cut and completely utilized, to produce on the remaining 450,000,000 acres sufficient wood for a population much greater than we now have in the United States.

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When Mister Money jingles it's music to the poor;
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'Come in, Mister Money—don't stand there in the dew,
The fire within is blazin': Here's a rockin' chair for you!
For it's money, my honey,
Around the world today;
Just let the dollars jingle
An' we'll dance the time away

A politician's idea of the original sin is for a man to forget to register.

How good a yawn tastes at about 10 o'clock in the evening, just before going to bed!

Talk to a man five minutes, and he will tell you how much better business went last year.

A married man has the same dread of a dry goods store that a doctor has of a book agent.

No Coos Bay man is quite as bad as his enemies believe, and no Coos Bay man is quite as good as his friends believe.

The approach of Christmas excites a storekeeper as much as the approach of an election excites a politician.

When the owner of a cheap automobile sees an expensive machine go by, he looks at it in the snippy way a woman looks at a woman better dressed than herself.

When a woman goes calling she thinks she is lucky if she finds her friends out, but when a man goes calling he wants to find people at home; he wants to see them.

Men probably gossip as much as women, but forget a "story" sooner than women. Women will talk about a "story" 20 years, whereas men usually forget it in a week, and look for something new.

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Notice is hereby given that by order of the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, duly made and entered on the 26th day of October, 1909, a nominating meeting or caucus will be held in Odd Fellows hall in said city, on Monday, the twenty-second day of November, 1909, at the hour of 8 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Mayor of said city for a term of two years, for the offices of two members of the Common Council of said city for the term of three years, for the office of one member of the Common Council of said city for the term of one year, and for the office of Recorder of said city for the term of one year, to be voted on at the regular annual municipal election of said city to be held on Tuesday, the seventh day of December, 1909.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1909. JOHN W. BUTLER, Recorder of the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon.

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