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Fatti will not come entirely unattended on her trip to America this fall. At least the St. Louis Globe-Democrat is authority for the statement that she will have her 21 dogs and 80 birds, besides her husband and trained goat. It would seem that with all the others she might very well get along without encumbering herself with a husband.

John Most, the famous anarchist teacher, in addressing an anarchistic meeting in New York recently, said that anarchists are the only "high-minded" people in the world. Some of them have their heads elevated, though this action comes only near the close of their lives in this "cold and unappreciative" world. All good people would have no serious objection to Mr. Most's "elevation" in the same manner.

Portland is entitled to sympathy, thinks the Tacoma News. The building trades are paralyzed by a big strike; three large manufacturing establishments were wiped out by last week's fire; a demand has been formulated for a referendum on the state appropriation of \$500,000 for the Lewis and Clark expedition and in consequence work has been suspended on the expedition to await the result. Besides these distressing misfortunes both of Portland's baseball nines are playing in the cellar. Portland is certainly in hard luck. But cheer up, neighbor, you will live to see better days.

A SUCCESSFUL MAN.

Mr. Roosevelt has had an extraordinary career, says the Salem Journal. He has held many important stations, and in each has done his full duty. As a civilian he was ready to devote time to affairs of state. Later he accepted place where the duties were onerous. He went from the navy to the army, from peace to war and in every situation was a credit to the citizenship of which he must be recognized as a high type. As president he has had many matters of import to pass upon and his judgment has been tested and found sound, the judgment of honesty and of diplomatic wisdom. He is fearless and faithful and competent, and the more the country sees of him the more it is impressed with these qualities.

As an instance of his devotion to whatever matter may be in hand may be cited the addresses. They are not appeals to patriotism nor to party. They are talks of man to man. If he is speaking in Kansas he knows about corn and what is needed by the farmers. In Montana he speaks of gold and copper and the miners. In Wyoming he shows that he understands the cattle business. At St. Louis where his words are of a national bearing, he displays a minute intimacy with history. Nor is the knowledge collated for the

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moment. It is the knowledge the thoughtful student acquires, the fund that constitutes the stock of the mind richly stored. Mr. Roosevelt is a great man, and the country that has rendered this verdict in his favor becomes daily more enthusiastic in its conviction.

HUSBAND THE FOREST.

If the private owners of forest land desire to endow their descendants and provide for their posterity, they cannot make a more certain provision than in planting more trees. The consumption of timber in all forms increases as the supply decreases. Timber that was formerly thought to be worthless has become valuable. The Indiana white wood, which was thought to be useless, unfit even for fuel, has become so valuable for furniture that the people who logged and burned forests of it to make farms are loud in lamenting their folly. In destroying the pine and hardwood forests of Wisconsin the basswood was passed by as having no value. Now the lumberman is going back over his path in the forest, cutting and sawing the basswood, which is more valuable than the white pine was when it was lumbered. It is difficult to predict that any kind of tree will be found useless. Wood that has no other value is charcoaled, and the arts continue to demand the product.

It is only within 30 years that the high value of black walnut timber was discovered. Up to that time the forests of that wood had been cut for cordwood or made into rails or girdled and burned to clear the land for the plow. By these processes fortunes were thrown away. Every reader is familiar with the history of a pound of iron converted into steel and made into watch springs, with a value constantly increasing with each change in form and use. That story of the metal is equaled by a recent history of timber. An owner of forest land in the mountains of North Carolina was selling walnut trees to a buyer, who represented a big furniture factory. For one very handsome tree the buyer offered \$50. The owner was suspicious and refused to sell that tree. He sent for an expert, found that it was curled walnut and got \$1500 for it. The man who cut it got \$3000 for it on the cars. Its fortune was followed on. It was shipped to New York and sliced into one-sixth of an inch veneers and sold for \$60,000. Though the owner got a big price he did not get enough.

In view of the rapid increase in all timber values, it is very doubtful if any attainable rate of interest on money will bring such returns, even if compounded, as can be had by planting forest trees, especially the valuable hard woods and furniture stock. The returns begin with the third generation after the planter, and if each generation plant a family endowment can be created that is more permanent than any other sort of property.—Call.

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