

BIG BEAR HUNT ARRANGED BY FAMOUS SPORTSMEN

Pierce Johnson, of big game fame, is in Portland. Watch his smoke. Johnson and George H. Lowe of Oregon and a dozen other prominent men from as many states are preparing to leave next week for the greatest bear hunt in the history of Oregon. The famous bear dogs owned by the Nimrod are on their way to Portland now, and as soon as they reach here and the minor details of the trip are settled, the sportsmen will start out to find bruis and break all bear-hunting records ever made in the Cascades. "Oregon is the best big game country in this part of the world," said Johnson at the Oregon hotel last night. "If President Roosevelt came here for bear instead of going out in the Louisiana swamps he would not only have better sport and be seeing a heap better country but he'd get what he went after—bear. I would rather go after bear in Oregon than in any other part of the country, myself."

Just by way of practice Johnson and Lowe have been out near Dayton in Yamhill county, and returned to Portland last night with a string of China pheasants and quail—29 of them in all were secured by the men in Johnson's party. They report the birds rather scarce and hard to locate and attribute their good luck to the fact that they

had exceptionally good hunters and dogs. Among the numerous splendid trophies that Johnson has with him is the skin of a cougar measuring nine feet and seven inches which he killed a few weeks ago in Washington. It is the largest cougar ever known to have been shot in this part of the country. He also has some magnificent specimens of lynx-gray, thick pelts, with fur three inches long and mounted so carefully that every whisker is retained in place to insure the fierce cast of countenance given by the elongated ears. Johnson has probably hunted more big game than any man of his age in the country. He has shot everything from elephants to quail and is one of the keenest followers of the trail in the west. He says that he expects to make Portland his headquarters in the future.

INTERESTING SCHOOL FIGURES OF OREGON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Oct. 19.—The annual report of the state superintendent of education has been completed. It indicates general progress rather than abnormal

development along particular lines. The most noticeable advance is in school libraries. Almost three times as many books have been added in the past year as in that preceding. The exact figures are 29,599 new books, as compared with 19,625 in the year ending with July, 1906. This is to be attributed to the campaign carried on by Miss Marvin of the state library commission.

What appears to be a heavy advance in the number of teachers attending institutes is due to many county institutes not having been held in the last part of 1906 on account of a teachers' congress having been held at the Lewis and Clark exposition. Of course the last half of 1905 is included in the school year of 1906. Pupils of school age in the state are

187,569, as against 156,466 in 1906. Teachers employed number 4,228, all but 814 of whom are women. The number of children of school age not attending school is 27,960, as against 29,955 in 1906. There are 2,203 school districts and 2,262 schoolhouses.

The financial position of the state in relation to schools is as follows: Cash on hand last annual report, \$445,809.11; total receipts during year, \$2,281,822.02; paid for teachers' salaries, \$1,588,043.13; total disbursements, \$2,831,325.57; cash on hand, \$660,447.45; estimated value of schoolhouses and grounds, \$5,081,569; estimated value of furniture and apparatus, \$485,401; average monthly salary of male teachers, \$53.35; average monthly salary of female teachers, \$47.11.

Several printing and publishing firms in Chicago, St. Louis, New York and Massachusetts, with national offices of the United Typothetae of America, have brought action in the United States court at Cincinnati, asking that the International Printing Pressmen's and Assistants' union of America be enjoined from violating an agreement of January, 1907, by demanding an eight-hour day.

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