

WORTON HEARS OF VAST RESOURCES IN OREGON

President of Equitable Listens to Facts Concerning the Beaver State That Surprise Even Oregonians Themselves—Company May Invest at Later Date.

"J. J. Hill is preparing to build his wheat docks here,"—T. B. Wilcox. "Thirty years ago I helped fight Indians at Walla Walla. Last year the inland empire produced 340,000,000 worth of wheat,"—T. B. Wilcox. "East Portland reaches clear to the Cascades. There is plenty of room to grow,"—W. L. Boise.

"Transportation is Oregon's great need. Nowhere is there such a profitable opportunity for capitalists,"—S. G. Reed. "The channel to the sea will reach 50 feet low water depth with an expenditure of \$50,000,000 annually,"—C. F. Swigert.

"We have been forced to increase our equipment 25 to 30 per cent over the last year,"—S. G. Reed. "The business is keeping on increasing,"—S. G. Reed. "Oregon's fir timber resource alone, at 15 per 1,000 feet for lumber, is worth more than the combined bank capital of the United States,"—Tom Richardson.

"I expect to see 500,000 people here,"—Judge George H. Williams (85 years old). "The vesting of its industry,"—Paul Morton, president Equitable Life Assurance society, New York. "Statements of fact that surprised even Oregonians were heard last night at a dinner given by T. B. Wilcox and about 50 men to Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance society. Local speakers, hesitating to tell the whole truth about Oregon's great resources, gave full credence by Mr. Morton, who after hearing a number of talks said there was not a man present who thought more than he did of Oregon, and declared that he intends doing what he can to aid in its upbuilding."

"Not everybody around the festive board had even known that T. B. Wilcox was an ex-Indian fighter. It leaked out in Mr. Wilcox's conversation as a postmaster."

"You are here," he said, "to meet a man who in the nation's affairs has made for himself a place that many an ambitious man may aspire to and fall far short of. He has made his mark in the nation's cabinet and in financial affairs. His operations are world wide. In passing on what we are doing here and to tell us something of what he is doing, and we are glad to welcome him."

"Wells of Remarkable Growth." Mr. Wilcox told of the growth of Portland, and the development of Oregon in recent years; the railroads and water lines; the water power; the Willamette valley, which he regards as Oregon's principal backing, and the Columbia river basin east of the Cascades.

"When he came to Portland 30 years ago he attended a mass meeting, at which there was a call made for men to go out to Walla Walla and help defend the town against an Indian uprising. They found all the settlers within a radius of 10 miles gathered in the little public square at Walla Walla. Today his great inland empire is producing annually \$40,000,000 worth of wheat."

"The dairy industry of Oregon is producing \$17,000,000 annually; fruit \$7,000,000 or \$8,000,000; and about \$4,000,000 more. The development of the lumber industry is also enormous. The people of the Pacific northwest are producing by their labor from the soil \$140,000,000 or \$150,000,000 annually. This, with a population of 1,000,000 in Washington is not so poor as people who have done that in 30 years are not going to stop now. The arable lands of Oregon have been broken. Railroads must be built. The state has almost dormant for lack of transportation."

"Population Craving Need." "The commercial organizations have been directing their efforts to securing population in the great west of Oregon. So strongly is this fact now pressed upon the state that every small city has an organization and is looking to get eastern people."

"The north bank road opens the Columbia river basin down to Portland. Hill can now pull 50 carsloads over this route for the cost of pulling eight cars over the Cascade mountains to Puget sound. He is preparing to build his wheat docks here, and shows a disposition to throw the business down the Columbia river."

"A number of men around the table were called upon to say something about American and Oregon for the information of the guest of honor. W. L. Boise told why the city was started on the west bank of the Willamette, because it was easy for the steamboats to poke their noses ashore and let people disembark. The east side is a high plateau, reaching 50 miles to the Cascades, and there is plenty of room to grow. He told of the many large investments of new capital in electric roads, packing plants and other undertakings here, since the Lewis and Clark expedition, and paid a compliment to the executive committee of the Portland Commercial club and Tom Richardson."

"More Railroads Needed." S. G. Reed, president of the German-American bank and transportation is the paramount need of Oregon and Portland. C. F. Swigert, president of the Portland chamber of commerce, spoke of the admirable location of Portland for water transportation, and the ease with which deep channels are secured for larger ocean-going vessels. He said the expenditure of \$50,000,000 more each year for dredge service will deepen the inside channel to the sea to a low-water depth of 30 feet. With the completion of the Panama canal Portland is bound to get the low transcontinental rates that its water level haul through the Cascades entitles it to."

"E. S. Josselyn, president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, gave his impressions of Portland and some amazing facts regarding growth in the city. He said that the city is regarded as the best barometer of a city's growth in population and business. In 1905, because of the exposition, street car travel in Portland reached its maximum up to that time. It was estimated that the city's population rate of growth the street car business would climb up to the exposition figures in 1908. The second year it had increased to 95-10 per cent over 1905. Last year the increase over 1906 was 18 per cent. This year's growth will be as large. The company has since 1905 increased its equipment 25-30 per cent and in the next year will increase it another 25-30 per cent."

"Enormous Value of Fir." Tom Richardson, in a statement of Oregon resources, said the value of the Oregon fir timber crop alone exceeds the combined capital of all the banks in the United States, and is greater than the combined wealth of Standard Oil and the steel trust. He said Oregon has the resources for advancement and development. "I have heard the alleged exaggerated statements about Oregon's resources and achievements, and there is not a man here who thinks more of Oregon than I do," said Paul Morton. "I am an advocate of the original Pacific coast entertainers for the honor done him. Oregon is in the vestibule of its industry. With completion of the Panama canal I expect to see immigrants living here by the shipload. Nowhere are there greater attractions of climate, and the original Pacific coast stage coach, in which Horace Greeley, General Sherman and other great men were conveyed across the continent."

"Equitable to Invest." "The early settlers were men of heroic mold. They confronted many difficulties in settlement of the far west. They had to contend with the weather, the lack of water, the presence of hostile Indians, sand storms, and other obstacles. But they had no population, no law, no government, no two-cent fares. I realize that you have a great country here, and I congratulate you upon living in a country that has a great future. Harmony and cooperation are necessary. I remember George Ade's story of the young woman who had a hair, cross eyes and freckles. He said she had a kind heart, and other merits, but her features did not seem to understand the importance of teamwork. "I want the Equitable to be known as a society that invests its money where it gets the business. We have \$500,000,000 invested in railroad bonds. We believe this is the best way to aid the development of the state."

"The country has made the wrong attachment toward the railroads. The railroads have made some mistakes, but they have been the pioneers in development. Their rates are the lowest and their services better than that of any other country. "What our people need most is more railroads instead of lower rates. A mistake is made in the relations between the public and the railroads. It would be better if the railroads were owned by the people along their lines. On the Atlantic coast where the stocks are owned principally in the communities served, there is but little trouble with the railroads."

SEEKING BROTHER FOR 30 YEARS

Henry Daniels of Cliffs After Long Quest Gets Tidings of Her.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Cliffs, Wash., March 31.—After 30 years of constant effort Henry Daniels has been able to establish his own identity. When a mere lad he was sent to an almshouse in New Jersey with his mother and three younger brothers. Shortly after his arrival property and name were lost. He has since been identified and all trace of the whereabouts of the others seemed to be lost. A few weeks ago Mr. Daniels and his wife came to Cliffs, property and name have been built a comfortable home. He is a hard-working and intelligent man. After considerable correspondence he has become possessed, through the superintendent of the Hudson county almshouse at Snake Hill, New Jersey, of what appears to be one of the missing links necessary to establish his family history. The records show that on October 1, 1878, John E. Hewitt, poor master of Jersey City, committed to the almshouse a family named Daniels. The mother's name was Maria, and she was 25 years of age. The children were Ira, nicknamed Henry and Harry, 9 years old; James, 6 years old; Eugene, nicknamed Joe, 4 years old; and a 3-months old. The infant died shortly afterward, and James died in 1881. "I am sorry, as he is known here, remembers James, but also the fact that his mother carried an infant in her arms when going to the almshouse. On searching his records, however, it is learned that the family was at first committed to the Jersey City almshouse, later on to the Hudson county almshouse at Snake Hill, New Jersey, and later on to St. Mary's."

In 1881 Henry and Joe met at South Oregon, and they were for some time herded cows for Seton Hall college. Here they were last separated, although Henry had a considerable time and money trying to locate his people. A pathetic incident which proves that the record of the family is correct is that Henry is still alive and was at Snake Hill, New Jersey, only a few months ago, trying to locate his children. He is now in quest of them, and her anxiety is still as great as most unbalanced her mind, according to the information obtained from the Snake Hill almshouse. Mr. Daniels is in correspondence with eastern agents in the determined effort to find his mother and to trace, if possible, his brother, Eugene, or Joe, if he is still living.

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NEWPORT'S SOLDIERS ASK TO BE O. N. G.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Newport, Or., March 31.—The Newport military organization has petitioned the Commercial club of this city to confer with the adjutant-general of Oregon to establish a National Guard company here. Ralph Henry, drillmaster, a veteran of the Spanish-American war, who served three years in the Philippines, states that the boys have advanced rapidly in military tactics and although the organization has been in existence only since last fall, they would pass muster for a year's experience in drilling. The company has an enrollment of 40, but Captain Henry claims that if the state should deem it necessary, arms and equipment the muster roll could easily be increased to the full complement required by the law. The company has been using the opera house for a drillroom. In the coming season a series of short campaigns in field maneuvers will be made to give the organization a taste of real soldiering.

FISHING LICENSES IN COLUMBIA DISTRICT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., March 31.—All the fishing licenses will expire today. Already 109 gillnet, 23 netnet and 53 dealer's licenses have been issued in the Columbia river district for the year beginning tomorrow. None of the short campaigns or cold storage plants have taken out their licenses as yet, and they probably will not do so until the opening of the season. The Columbia River Fishermen's Protective union will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at the Commercial club to take up the question of the price of fish for the ensuing season.

WILL FIRE SHOTS WITH ELECTRICITY

(United Press Leased Wire.) London, March 31.—Colonel F. W. Maude, in the April Contemporary Review, describes a gun which is now in existence and which can impart by the application of electricity an initial velocity of 30,000 feet a second to projectiles of all dimensions, and which can be practically handled under war conditions and on board ships or in permanent defenses. Projectiles of 2,000 pounds weight lie fairly within these limits, he says. In an ascending passage he declared that there is practically nothing to prevent these weapons from throwing shells from London to Paris, or vice versa, at the rate of a few thousand a day.

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