

RIGHT SPEAKS OF BROAD ALASKA

Former Forester Tells Seward Residents Coal Lands Should Be Opened But Not "Any Old Way."

(Special to The Journal.)
Seward, Alaska, Sept. 15.—(By Mail.)—Gifford Pinchot, in his address before the citizens of Seward last night, said: "I have not come to Alaska to talk, but to listen, see and learn. I am very much more interested in ascertaining what the people of Alaska can tell me and what they desire. My mind is open and I am ready to revise any opinions I have expressed hitherto as the facts may require."
"There is one thing upon which all are agreed—the coal of Alaska should be developed at once. This does not mean that the coal lands should be handed over, directly or indirectly, to the control of any monopoly. Neither does it mean that conditions under which the coal is to be mined should be favorable to large investors and unfair to the consumer and the average man should be tolerated. It does mean that there has been already far too much delay, and that the coal should be put on the market quickly and at fair prices. Alaska and the whole Pacific coast need this coal and ought to have it."

Conservationists Not Responsible.
"The friends of conservation are not responsible for holding up the development of the coal. I want to make that as strong as I know how. When an engineer stops his engine in order to repair a broken part, it is the broken part and not the engineer that should be blamed for the stoppage and delay. If it had not been for the coal land frauds, the Roosevelt order of withdrawal would never have been made."

"The men who made it necessary for President Roosevelt to withdraw the coal lands in Alaska were the men who were attempting to get possession of them by illegal means. They and not he were responsible. The men who prevented the withdrawal from being lifted were the men in and out of congress who refused to allow the passage of honest and reasonable legislation opening the coal lands in the general interest. The responsibility lies square, not on the men who preferred to keep the bad laws in force, and take their chance of an unfair profit by breaking the law rather than stand aside and let good legislation be enacted. I do not make this statement with any life or perhapse. I was there, and saw it done."

Claims Not Invalidated.
"Do not forget that the withdrawal did not invalidate a single legal claim in any respect whatsoever. A man who had a good claim to coal was in just the same situation after the withdrawal as he was before. If many of the claims were not legal, that was not the fault of the withdrawal. If the laws were defective or unsuited to local conditions, both of which I believe to be true, that was not the fault of the withdrawal. Let us be square about this, and put the blame, for heavy blame is due, where it belongs."

"It is too early to speak of impressions or I Alaska, but I have this much to say first. I have met many men here who differ with me because they misunderstood my position, and a good many who would differ from me anyhow. Also I have met many friends. From enemies and friends alike, I have received nothing but courtesy, and I have thoroughly enjoyed my contact with the people of Alaska."

"I am told that most or all of the canneries bring their men and supplies from Puget sound or further south, and pay their men off when they get back again after the season is over. Except for the insignificant payments to a few natives for fish, their sole return to the public is the form of a tax to the United States, which tax may be remitted if the canneries file affidavits that they have planted salmon fry in certain specified amounts. In other words, the canneries are made to make a reasonable provision for the future of their own industry, they are relieved from taxation. It is as though a man were exempted from all taxes in a city because he had insured his own house against fire. It is not that the man in Alaska whose interests are

ALBANY MAY TAKE LINN COUNTY FAIR

Definite Results at Solo This Year and There is \$500 Due on Grounds.

(Special to The Journal.)
Solo, Or., Oct. 2.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Linn county fair was held here Saturday for the purpose of determining what action to take regarding a deficit resulting from the fair held the last of August. The fair was the best yet held and a larger exhibit of all kinds was on display, but the attendance was below normal, owing to late harvest and hot weather. Hence the amount paid for premiums was larger while the gate receipts fell off. There is also a payment of \$500 due on the fair grounds.

Albany has been wanting to have the fair moved to that place, and unless the local public rallies to the support of the association it is very probable that no more fairs will be held here. No decisive action was taken at the meeting, but a committee was appointed to make a canvass of the town and surrounding country and a report will be made at another meeting to be held in two weeks, when final action will be taken.

Another complication facing the association is the announced retirement of Dr. A. G. Prill from the presidency, effective in January. He has been the father of the fair and has served as president since the organization of the fair, five years ago. It is feared it will be difficult to find anyone else who will take the interest. An effort will be made to induce him to reconsider.

Better to Help Poor Man.
"Furthermore, in dealing with the whole question of Alaska resources it ought to be kept carefully in mind that it is better to help a poor man make a living than to help a great syndicate make more profit. Alaska ought to be developed primarily in the interest of the men who live in Alaska, and not in the interest of the great capitalists of the east."

"I have heard a great deal of talk to the effect that the coal lands should be opened at once under any old plan. Men said they did not care what plan was adopted, so long as the coal was opened. That sort of talk opens no mines. If you are to have a voice in this question, you must make up your minds not only that the coal must be opened at once, but also just how it should be done. Unless you can suggest a practicable way of doing it, you will do little good merely to complain of the present situation."

Should Agree on Laws.
"I realize that the vast size of Alaska makes it extremely difficult for the whole territory to act together. But you here in Seward, with the citizens of Valdez and Cordova, and all other towns in the neighborhood of the coal fields, ought to be able to agree on a scheme of legislation. As I see it, what is needed is the immediate development of some of the coal lands under a plan that will guarantee you against oppressive monopoly, whether through the control of transportation or otherwise. Your plan should be directed toward the development of Alaska, it will not do you any harm. It would, I think, be extremely unwise for you to begin a fight for any plan which it is clearly evident congress will not adopt, for the only effect of such a fight would be still further to extend the period of stagnation."

"My last word tonight is to urge you to get together and go to work on congress. All the actions of citizens in the region interested in the River and Matanuska coal fields should act as a unit toward securing what we all so earnestly desire, the immediate development and permanent prosperity of Alaska."

Must Consider All Interests.
"In dealing with congress, which represents the whole nation, you will naturally find it essential to consider not merely the interests of the people of Alaska, but also the interests of the United States as a whole. It will not answer at this period of our national development to argue that because the resources of the older states were thrown open to indiscriminate exploitation and waste therefore the resources of Alaska should be treated in the same way. We have passed that stage. The people back east have learned by bitter experience what is the result of such a policy, both in the physical waste of natural resources and in what they will not permit a repetition of the wasteful old policy in this rich new land. On the contrary, they will insist on looking ahead. The demands of the present properly come first, but the rights of the future must not be neglected. The rights of Alaskans properly come first, but the rights of the people of the United States as a whole must not be neglected. It is along the lines indicated by such a large national viewpoint, in my judgment, that these questions will finally be settled."

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HOMESTEAD TO GO UPON BUCK ISLAND

K. P. Hamilton Proposes Making Land in Upper Klamath Lake His Home.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Oct. 2.—Notice of application for a survey of Buck Island in Upper Klamath lake in Klamath county has been received by Secretary of State Ben W. Olcott from K. P. Hamilton, whose aim is to file upon the island under the homestead law. Of historical interest in this connection is an affidavit filed by I. B. Applegate in regard to the discovery of the island, showing that the island was in existence when Oregon was admitted and, therefore, government land.

"I first came to Klamath county in September, 1861," says Mr. Applegate. "A volunteer company of citizens who had enlisted to protect the immigrant trail leading through northern California and southern Oregon to the north of Clear lake and Tule lake and between Tule lake and Lower Klamath lake. A detachment of 10 men was sent out on Upper Klamath lake in search of some white persons who were reported to have been captured by Modoc Indians. Buck Island was plainly visible from the shore. It had a growth of scrub oak on it. The island was as high above the water then as now and its appearance the same. It is my opinion that Buck Island is as old as the surrounding country."

FRANCE'S ARMY OF AIR GETS \$3,500,000 FUND
(United Press Leased Wire.)
Paris, Oct. 2.—The budget for 1912 sets aside the sum of 11,653,550 francs (nearly \$3,500,000), for France's army of the air. About \$1,000,000 will go for upkeep, while the remainder will be spent for "air materials"—aeroplanes, etc.

Duck Boat Eagle
Leaves 7 p.m. Saturday, returns Sunday. Phone Mare 1821. Evenings A-8724.

ALSEA BAY FISHERS PATCH UP DISPUTE
(Special to The Journal.)
Weedport, Or., Oct. 2.—At the last meeting of the Alsea Fishermen's Protective association an agreement was reached whereby the Elmore seine would be allowed to operate until October 15. Representatives from each side met and discussed the proposition with the above conclusion. All fishing on the bay has been resumed and large catches have been made. Both the Barnes and Elmore canneries are running almost to capacity upon what promises to be the record salmon pack on this bay. The season closes November 20, leaving 45 days of the best fishing to come after the withdrawal

of the seine. Salmon are now taking a toll and many of the visitors and late comers are enjoying the sport.
Former County Clerk Teaches.
Shelburn, Or., Oct. 2.—The public school opened yesterday with ex-County Clerk J. W. Miller as principal. The attendance was not as large as usual, but will increase as soon as promulgating and other work is finished.

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The Plan
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The Franchise Asked For

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While 147 blocks are involved in the extensions, loop, bridge crossings, etc., there are only five different propositions, including the surrender of franchises on certain streets.

The whole matter can properly be divided as follows:

1. The crossing of the Broadway and the new Steel bridges;
2. Loops on Stark Street and around the proposed Auditorium;
3. Extensions in Eastmoreland to the Reed Institute and upon East Harrison Street;
4. Franchises on Sandy Road (through Rose City Park) and for entrance into the new car shops at East 21st St;
5. The surrender of franchises held upon streets where nearby service already exists and which, if utilized, would involve unnecessary duplication.

It is the purpose to take up each one of these propositions and discuss it in a fair and impartial manner.

There will be an explanation of the objects aimed at, and it will be pointed out that the new franchise, if added to the present list, will enable the Company to put into effect better schedules and shorter routes.

This will bring a large area into closer connection with the heart of the city and add an increased value to the suburban property affected.

The franchise applied for will expire in 1932, along with all others held by the company, in accord with the City's Charter. It is true that the Company has a sufficient number of franchises to serve the present needs of the community, but not in the quickest way.

It can get along without the new franchise.

The real issue is—

Shall the people grant the Company the means to give better service? How better? By a shorter route to the district north of Broadway, extension and double-tracking on Sandy Road, extension in Eastmoreland to the Reed Institute, on East Harrison Street, and the looping of cars on Stark Street (instead of crossing Washington and Morrison and looping on Yamhill), thus eliminating the delay caused by congestion of traffic.

The Broadway Bridge will be discussed tomorrow.

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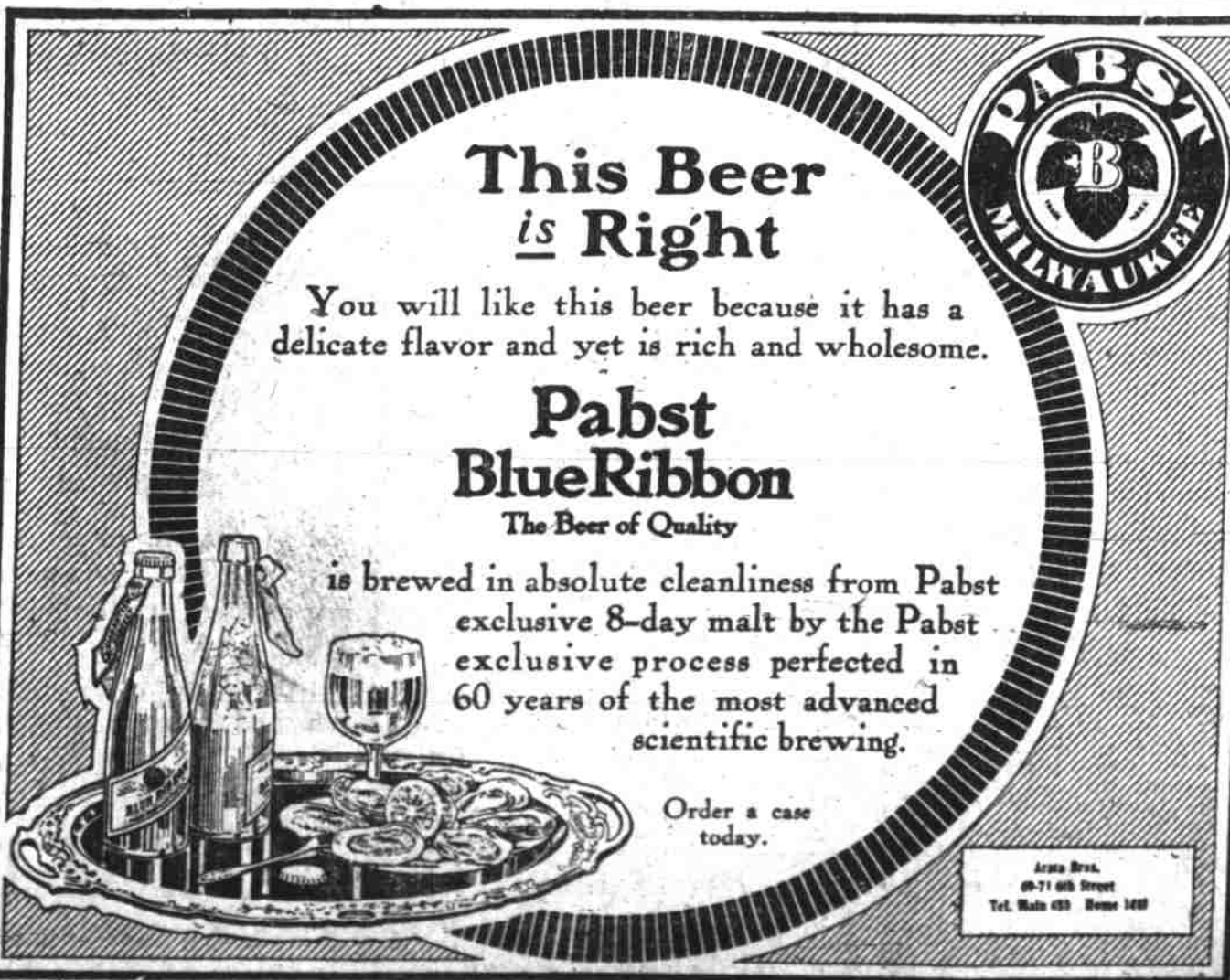
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NORTHERN EXPLORERS REPORT RICH GOLD FIND

(United Press Leased Wire.)
St. John, N. F., Oct. 2.—What is declared to be the richest gold find since the days of scattered pockets in California, was made by two men who returned today in the small steamer Kite from a voyage to northern Labrador and Barren's Land. The men, R. S. Elmsley of Ottawa and Richard White of St. John, chartered the steamer three months ago, ostensibly for a trading voyage. They returned with five tons of mineral which they declared as the customs house. The mineral was enumerated as gold quartz, placer gold, iron, mica, plumbago, porphyry, dolomite, rhyolite, labradorite and schist. One member of the steamer's crew exhibited a three ounce nugget of almost virgin gold. The men refuse to discuss their discoveries.

METOLIUS, OR., ASKS HELP TO KEEP WOMEN AWAY

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Oct. 3.—A plea from Metolius, Ore. to Governor West yesterday for help in fighting the incoming hordes of the red light district of Madras. The letter from J. A. Hoffman states that the Madras council had notified the inmates of the restricted district to get out by October 1 and that they had prepared to move to Metolius, where they were having their trunks put up. Metolius being unincorporated is helpless. The communication was referred to the district attorney at The Dalles, Fred W. Wilson and to Sheriff T. M. Balfour of Prineville.