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OPENING THE RESERVE.

The question of opening the Cascade forest reserve to the pasturage of stock is one agitating the people along the eastern slope of the Cascade mountains, just at present side tracking all other questions. There are not less than 250,000 sheep pastured on the reservation, or that were pastured there previous to the recent order prohibiting them. As spring opens, these immense flocks must find pasturage, and being shut off from their accustomed mountain ranges, they will be forced to find feeding grounds on the foot-hills and in portions of the country now pastured solely by cattle. The result will not only be disastrous to the sheep industry, but by overcrowding the pastures left will react on the cattle. In the meanwhile the factions are quarreling as to what is best for all.

One proposition is to throw the whole reservation, excepting small reserves, open to the pasturage of stock. Another is to have a superintendent who will assign grazing grounds to the different flocks; and yet another to open that part south of the Warm Springs reservation to sheep, and make the portion north of it only subject to pasturage of cattle.

The proposition to have a superintendent who would assign feeding grounds originated in the mind of some person not two degrees removed from imbecility, and was probably the means devised for getting a job for himself. The other proposition about making part of the reservation open only for cattle is a different affair; but still impracticable, for whatever else is done, congress nor the department is not going to make one law for one part and another law for another part. It is going to be a difficult matter to get the reservation opened at all, and unless the effort is combined, general and unanimous, it might as well be abandoned.

We are told Mr. Steele desires to be sent to Washington as the representative of the sheepmen, to assist congress in straightening out the angle. This would be a nice little trip for Mr. Steele, but what he could accomplish is more than the man of average mind can figure out. If our senators and congressmen cannot get what we want, by what power divine does W. G. Steele expect to move to action the powers that be? He is only an embryo toad, so to speak, when at home, and in the great political sea at Washington he would be as hopelessly lost as a tadpole in the Pacific ocean. If we are mistaken; if Mr. Steele, in his capacity of a private citizen can accomplish more than our whole congressional delegation, then in the name and interest of the great commonwealth of Oregon, let the next legislature invest him with the senatorial toga and he will be all-powerful.

In the meanwhile factional fights must be dropped and the whole people demand the opening of the reserve to the pasturage of stock; other matters can be attended to afterwards.

The Dalles is having a little more crime than it cares to put up with, and it would not be surprising if a vigilance society should take a hand in the matter if it is not terminated.

As a fitting beginning of the new year we would like to see some action taken concerning the development of our coal fields. If anything

is to be done it should be done at once, and if we are not blooded enough to dig up \$500 for our own benefit, when we produce that much in a week to see a play, let us admit the fact and quit entirely.

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A Peculiar Blindness Caused by Sleeping in the Moonlight.

Three cases of "moonblink" occurred on the British steamship Acanthus, which reached Philadelphia the other day. After the low-lying hills fringing the shores of Batavia faded from view on the afternoon of July 14 for 80 days her crew of 60 officers and seamen saw no land, sighted no vessel and encountered no storm. Among the crew are three seamen who, during the run across the Indian ocean, suffered terribly from sudden blindness at night, the result of that strange disease of the eyes prevalent in the tropics, and known to sailors as "moonblink." One bright, moonlight night, while the Acanthus was steaming across the Indian ocean, one of them finding his berth in the fore-castle too uncomfortably hot, went out and lay upon the deck. The moon was nearing her full and shone almost directly overhead. When the watch was changed at midnight he was awakened and was horrified to find himself blind. At first the captain thought the man might be shamming to avoid going on duty, but an investigation was made, and it was found that he could not see, although his eyes were wide open. The calamity was at once diagnosed as a case of "moonblink," and the captain cautioned his men against running such risks. When day began to break sight began to return, and by sunrise he could see as well as if nothing unusual had happened. All of that day the case formed the chief topic of conversation and when night came two more men determined to test the effect of the moon. After a two hours' nap in the full glare of the moon both men were awakened totally blind. An order from the captain prevented any further experimenting in that line during the rest of the voyage.

MANY STILL SPEAK GAELIC.

By No Means an Extinct Language in Spite of its Position Here.
A new appointment has been made from Waterford to the chair of professor of Gaelic in Maynooth college, Ireland. The new appointee is a member of the Gaelic league of Dublin, and was the first editor of the Archaeological Journal, of Waterford. The opinion is very general that Gaelic is an extinct language, or one nearly extinct, and the labors of the Gaelic society in New York to revive its use have lent some color to that opinion. Nevertheless, as figures show, the Gaelic tongue is most tenacious, and, according to the last reports, is spoken, though not exclusively, by 1,000,000 persons in the British Isles—600,000 in Ireland, 350,000 in Wales and 220,000 in Scotland.

Though English is the official language of all these countries, the popularity of English increases slowly despite the disadvantage under which those who use Gaelic labor, that of having no established grammar and no recognition in an official way. Gaelic fulfills the colloquial requirements of the farmers and fishermen in the counties remote from the large cities, somewhat as the Pasque language continues to be popular in the northern provinces of Spain.

In this country Gaelic has made little headway, though many patriotic Irishmen have by various methods endeavored to acquaint others less patriotic with its advantages. While the use of most European languages has about doubled in 75 years, five times as many persons speak English as did in 1820.

BIG ORDER FOR BEER.

Japanese Merchants Surprised by the King of Corea.
Japanese merchants of Chemulpo, in the kingdom of Corea, were very much surprised recently when the king ordered 30,000 bottles of beer in one lot. The San Francisco Chronicle says the entire Japanese colony was not prepared for such a sudden and extensive order of beer and they put their heads together, wondering whether it was the court or the body guard of the king which had suddenly developed such a gigantic thirst. A cable was immediately dispatched to Japan and the beer ordered to be shipped at once, so that it might be delivered to the royal master of the house in due time. The beer arrived promptly, and at the same time the explanation of the conundrum was given to the Japanese, for almost on the same day a Russian man-of-war arrived there and the entire crew was invited to be guests of the king of Corea, who thus showed his gratitude to the Russians for the shelter accorded him at the Russian embassy during the recent revolutionary disturbances. The 300 marines on board were very agreeably surprised when his royal highness sent 30,000 bottles of good Japanese beer on board—that is, 100 bottles per man—enough liquor to thoroughly celebrate the Russo-Corean alliance.

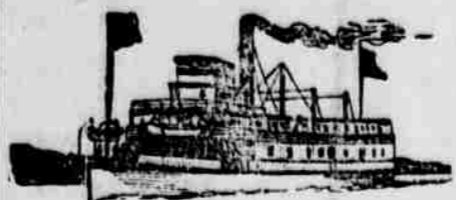
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