

OREGON FIR—(DOUGLAS SPRUCE)

The following, concerning Oregon's great timber, commonly called red and yellow fir, will prove interesting to many readers.

"We have no evergreen trees in Oregon found in the Eastern states or elsewhere, with possibly the exception of one variety—Juniperus Communis—the common juniper of Eastern Oregon, about which botanists differ * * *

"This tree, called by us a fir—not a spruce; called by some a spruce—not a spruce; extensively known commercially as Oregon pine—not a pine; is in many respects the most remarkable tree in the world, and forms eight-tenths of the forest area of the Northwest, and extends over a larger territory than any other tree on the continent and so far as I know, in the world, reaching from up in Alaska down to Mexico, from the Pacific shore to the Rocky mountains.

"So highly is this tree appreciated abroad for its rapid growth and great adaptation to varied soils and climates, its elegance and the superiority of its wood, that * * * it is fast becoming the forest tree of Europe, England, France, Germany and Austria now have extensive planted forests of these trees and are planting annually.

"The terms red and yellow fir, which designate a reddish, rather coarse-grained lumber, and a finer-fibered, compact, yellow-grained lumber of superior quality, are commonly supposed to designate two distinct varieties, but close observation of botanists has decided that this is not the case, and there is but one variety of Douglas fir, and that while red and yellow fir generally apply to different trees of this variety, from some mysterious and unknown cause in their growth, yet both red and yellow fir are found in the same tree."

The appointment of Ex-Senator McBride to the position of United States commissioner of the St. Louis Exposition is one fraught with great benefit to this state. There is no manner of question that Mr. McBride will well and faithfully represent the advantages of this young commonwealth and be the means of making us better known throughout the country.

Buried by Intended Victim.

CHICAGO, March 11.—Funeral services under unusual circumstances were performed when the remains of aged John Correa, the book-keeper who committed suicide last Monday, having made an unsuccessful attempt to murder Charles A. Morrill, his employer, was laid in their last resting place at Oakwood cemetery.

The unusual feature of the obsequies lay in the fact that the arrangements were made by Mr. Morrill, who, though he is still suffering from a wound in the back of the head inflicted by one of the bullets from a revolver fired by Correa, insists on paying all the expenses of the burial.

Relatives of Correa, however, made known their desire to bury the remains. Mr. Morrill was firm, and insisted that it was his desire to arrange the funeral of the man who for more than twenty years had been in his employ. He refused to be turned from his original intention, though informed of the arrival

from California of a son of the decedent, who had come here to attend the funeral. In answer to a question as to why he should wish to bury the man who so desperately attempted to kill him, he said simply, "Because I am a Christian."

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