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TUESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1902.

Imitators of Mount Pelee are reported almost daily. The last one "bobbed up" on the Mexican coast and depopulated a town.

And now the merger spirit has struck Portland. All of the street cars will be placed in one system there if present plans are carried out.

The Walla Walla papers have been conspicuously quiet on the subject of the Romo-Welfmann electric rail way of late. How is the new road progressing, boys?

North Carolina has promised President Roosevelt a bear hunt on his visit to that place in September. Between the bear and moonshiners of those North Carolina mountains the president ought to find all of the "strenuousness" he wants.

General Miles is at last quiet. When he wanted to talk they would not let him, and now that they want him to talk he will not talk. He is expected to sail for the Philippines in a week or two, but will not tell the president what he intends to do and does not have to. Miles ought to be happy if he loves revenge.

If President Belts, of the Eastern Oregon Woolgrowers' Association, succeeds in getting the Hon. Binger Hermann to address the coming meeting of the association, it will be a great drawing card for the association. The forest reserve just now is a question of much importance and Mr. Hermann is the best posted person in the state on the subject.

The fact that three fires have occurred in Pendleton consecutively and near the same point within a few days of one another, and that nothing but spontaneous combustion can be assigned for the origin, the opinion is gaining foothold that a fire-bug is operating here. Along with the Tracys and other representatives of the shady side of society, it may be that the fire fiend is trying to build up a reputation.

The Wallula country is getting to be the rendezvous of men of the Tracy type. It is a good point for them to operate. Being near the state line and the long distance from officials gives them a lee-way that they would not have elsewhere. They may play from state to state and ply their work without much fear of molestation. The good citizens of that section should be protected, if it takes a dozen deputy sheriffs to do it.

Hon. Newt Williamson, the new congressman from this district, will address the Eastern Oregon Woolgrowers' Association at Pendleton, September 16. Mr. Williamson is heartily in favor of the scalp bounty law, and the selection of this subject was at his own suggestion when he was requested to address the association. Not only the sheep men, but the people of Eastern Oregon generally are interested in this question. The coyote is either a destructive pest or a great benefactor. The truck gardener may view this subject from the latter standpoint, but the sheepman will not agree with him.

"I am not in favor of lynch law, or mob law," said a prominent citizen yesterday, "but a remedy must be found for the suppression of the highwayman. He wears a mask; he

strikes from the dark; he is merciless. For the chance of even getting a few dollars he will not hesitate to take life. He is one of the worst enemies to society. He cannot be dealt with like ordinary criminals. The best plan that I know of to suppress these human coyotes is to trail them to earth, show them no mercy when caught, but bring them in a box. A few well carried out plans of this kind will do more to deter them than a dozen arrests and long drawn-out trials."

The miners have not yet surrendered. They are making a hard fight. They have never won out before, and there are many that hope they will this time. There is not much confidence in their victory, however, as the odds all seem to be against them. But still, they may succeed in getting concessions. When the Boer war began it was predicted that they would not succeed; that their defeat in short order was inevitable. The country said they were right, but that fate was overwhelmingly against them. Still, they surprised the world by their staying qualities, and ultimately won what may be considered a victory under the circumstances. The miners have many sympathizers and these may render sufficient assistance to them to aid them in pulling out with concessions that will be beneficial.

DRIFT OF POPULATION.

George E. Roberts, director of the mint, who recently returned to Washington after a visit to Iowa and the lake states is reported to have said: "There is the greatest amount of land speculation going on west of Chicago that has ever been known in that part of the country. Much is said in the eastern newspapers about the early start of money westward the customary dispatch of money West to facilitate the movement of the crops. I believe the country banks are loaning a good deal of money on these land enterprises, and that this is really the secret of the early movement of money westward. The people are everywhere organizing syndicates to buy land, and that there is hardly a cross roads community in Iowa that has not organized a syndicate to operate in the Dakotas or in Canada."

Stories of this drift of population toward the Northwest are now familiar, and they can no longer be looked upon as exaggerations. It may seem strange that thousands of Americans should move out of their own country to Canada in search of homes but that they are doing so is seemingly indisputable. It is true that a short time ago the British Under Secretary for the Colonies stated in the Commons that the number of American settlers in the Northwestern provinces of Canada is not so great as has been reported, but even he estimated there would be something like 25,000 such settlers there this year. That is quite a large number. Large enough at any rate to lead Californians to wonder why so many Americans go to that comparatively bleak country when thousands of acres are available for colonization in California.

It may be that the settlers in the Northwest are seeking wheat lands because they do not know enough about the orchard or vineyard industry to venture upon it, and have an idea that California is fitted for nothing else. Possibly we should pay more attention to advertising our attractions for farmers who wish to engage in the growing of grain, the breeding of cattle and dairying. It would do no harm at any rate to have it known in the East that the opportunities for farmers in California cover every form of rural industry, and that any one who comes can readily find the right soil and climate for any industry he chooses.

There is one feature of the situation that should not be overlooked. The Canadians and the Dakotas are now reaping the reward for advertising carefully and systematically carried out for several years. The migration

toward the Northwest did not start of its own initiative. For years the Canadian government has been trying to attract settlers to the Western provinces, while in the Dakotas and Montana the railroads have been even more steadfast and persistent in promoting immigration. The results of all these years work are now seen in the stream of home-seekers passing through St. Paul toward the north. If we desire to turn the stream of home-seekers in our direction we must work to that end with a similar steadfastness. We must not look for results at once, but be content to bide our time. When this wave of migration subsides, another will begin, and if we are wise it will come our way.—San Francisco Call.

UNFINISHED CATTLE UNPOPULAR.

It is almost useless to caution the country to keep out of market with half-fat immature light native cattle at this or any other season of the year. It is one of the unfortunate features of the trade that the countryman notes prices reported in the market papers and at once concludes that if anyone's cattle will bring the prices reported his are sure to get there. He sends them in not more than half fat and is sorely disappointed in the returns. Right now there is an unusual shortage of prime fat cattle, the call for that kind is strong and prices are high with prospect for them remaining so for an indefinite time. There is so much difference between good fat heaves and these underfat grades and the general run of cattle prices so high that the buyers will let their orders go unfilled rather than take green stuff at prices the country thinks it ought to be worth. This is the condition found prevailing right here at the opening of the range season. That these rangers are going to come in good beef condition has already been demonstrated. The dressed beef trade will prefer these rangers to the green, washy, half fat natives, as they do almost every year, and it is not at all unlikely that we will see a more unsatisfactory market for native cattle below choice grade than at present, when the rangers get to coming freely.—Stock World.

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