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TIMBER WEALTH OF FAR WEST.

In the United States the heart of the lumber belt has moved westward. At the beginning of the last century almost the entire wood supply came from the then untouched forests of the Penobscot region of Maine. As the woodmen cut deep into the heart of the wood the industry was forced to find other fields from which to draw its supply, and the virgin forests of the south and the states bordering on the great lakes were cut into. Although these regions are by no means depleted today, the Pacific coast is rapidly becoming the heart of the timber trade. And what wonder? For in the three states of California, Oregon and Washington there is at least one-third of the entire supply of standing timber in the United States. In figures, it amounts to more than 600,000,000,000 feet of uncut wood.

The forest reserves of the national parks set apart by the United States government within the limits of these three states aggregate an area of 32,428 square miles, or more than 22 per cent of the total wooded area of the states. In the state of Oregon alone, where a careful examination has been made, the national census officials have estimated the standing timber on these reservations at 55,000,000,000 feet, or one-fourth of the state's total supply.

CLIMATE CHANGED HIS LOVE.

Miss Flora Cross, of Campbell Hill, who left last November and made the journey alone to Manila, Philippine Islands, writes her parents that Mr. John Barrow, the man she expected to wed upon her arrival, had not met her according to agreement, and that a letter from him stated that a change had come over the spirit of his dreams and he would not fulfill his contract. Barrow is one of the teachers sent to the Philippines two years ago by the United States government. Miss Cross, who was 21 years old, was one of his pupils in the Campbell Hill school when he was a mere youth, and they soon became lovers.

When she arrived at Manila a letter from Barrow awaited her, saying it was impossible for them to marry, but giving no excuse. She is staying at her sister's at Bigaa Bulaco, and Barrow is teaching at Cebu, 500 miles away.

Miss Cross' sister went from Campbell Hill to Bigaa in August, 1900, and was married to John Demmer, a teacher sent to the Philippines from Jackson county on the same ship that took Barrow. All four were students in the Southern Illinois Normal in this city.

The fathers of both Miss Cross and Barrow are wealthy farmers and prominent in Jackson county.—Colden. (Ill.) Sentinel.

OBJECTS TO "BUNCHGRASSERS."

A quarter of a century ago bunchgrass was the chief and almost exclusive resource of the broad interior and cattle, horses and sheep were the main tokens of wealth. Thus it came that the residents of the "upper country" were known as "bunchgrassers." The term stuck, and when delegations from this region attended conventions of this character in the Willamette valley or on the shores of Puget sound it was invariably applied to them.

But long ago the expression lost its distinctive significance it had in pioneer days. The bunchgrass has all but ceased to ripple in the summer breeze. Long ago the settler's plow turned it down. The land of native grasses has become a land of grain fields and gardens and blooming orchards.

It is time, therefore, that the newspapers of Western Washington and Oregon took cognizance of these changes and ceased calling our legislators, our convention delegates and our baseball teams by an archaic term which is worse than meaningless and positively misleading, and which is no more suited to existing conditions than the term "Wapato" would be to ball teams from Portland and the Puget sound cities.—Spokesman-Review.

A NEW TRAVELING RULE.

The Pennsylvania Company has adopted a rule against liquor-drinking and card-playing on its trains. At first blush that looks like an assault on personal liberty. On second thought it seems like a wise regulation.

There are several thousand human hogs traveling about the country. When they buy a railway ticket they somehow get the impression that they have purchased a train and the rights of the rest of the passengers. As soon as the train is in motion a band of kindred spirits is recruited, cards are produced, also several bottles of 40-rod, and a miniature bar-room is opened.

The scene, the talk—including the jokes that are so offensive to the least bad taste—are all offensive to a majority of the passengers. Some of them have children with them, and parents almost invariably object to having their little ones witness the actions of the few travelers who do not know how to be respectable.

Oh, yes, there will be talk about blue laws and goody-goody measures. You wouldn't think of taking a drink in the publicity of a railroad waiting room. If you did, the police

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MR. HERMANN'S GHOST.

It seems strange that the Eugene convention should have turned from the bright and blameless young men offered as candidates, to name Mr. Hermann for congress. Mr. Hermann is ever a genial person, and time was when he was a useful congressman. But a stalking ghost follows him now. It points an accusing finger and asks constantly, "Why, Mr. Hermann, did you quit office under the Roosevelt administration?"—Corvallis Times.

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FOR SALE AT THE EAST OREGON office, large bundles of newspapers, containing over 100 big papers can be obtained for 25 cents a bundle.



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1903.

If I were asked to point to that act of Jefferson's life which singled him out in preference to all of his countrymen as the man of pre-eminent wisdom and almost divine foresight as to the future, westward flight of the star of empire and the needs of the country for a strong foothold upon the Pacific, I would call attention to the Lewis and Clark expedition, the territory which by it was added to an already vast domain, and the commercial supremacy which that acquisition has given the United States with the Orient.—Governor George E. Chamberlain.

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE.

A. E. Reames, the democratic nominee for congress in the first congressional district, was born in Jacksonville, Ore., in 1862. He came from Southern stock, his father, Thomas G. Reames, having come to Oregon from Kentucky in the pioneer days of 1853, and his mother is a native of Missouri.

Evan Reames received his primary education in the public schools of Jacksonville, and then attended the University of the Pacific at San Jose, Cal. Later he was a student in the University of Oregon. Before completing his course at Oregon's leading educational institution, Mr. Reames went to Lexington, Va., and entered the law department of Washington and Lee University. While there Reames won the debaters' medal. He graduated from the law department of the Virginia institution in 1890, and immediately returned to Jacksonville for the practice of his profession. However, Mr. Reames remained in Jacksonville but a short time when he formed a partnership with E. R. Skipworth, of Eugene. This lasted until 1893, when Reames moved to Portland and associated himself with C. M. Idleman in the practice of law. In 1896 Reames returned to Jacksonville, where for a time he practiced law in partnership with William M. Colvig, which partnership was dissolved a short time ago.

A. E. Reames married Miss Edith Tongue in 1895. They have no children. Mr. Reames was for three years president of the Oregon Natives Sons Cabin at Jacksonville, and for one year held the office of grand president of the Native Sons of Oregon. He is a Shriner in the Masonic order and belongs to the Red Men and B. P. O. E.

HOBSON AND THE TRUSTS.

Richmond P. Hobson, retired naval constructor, is now touring the country in a frantic effort to arouse enthusiasm for a gigantic navy.

Hobson's extravagant views are hardly worth consideration, from a peace-loving people. He is an extreme of the most pronounced type. He would wring from the common people the last cent of tribute to create a navy that would be out of date in a year after its construction, on account of the rapid progress of invention. He would perpetuate and invite war by the presence of a great idle army of marines supported by the people.

He would grind down the common people by using the money gathered in taxes in preparing for imaginary wars, instead of placing more of the common conveniences of life at their disposal. Instead of recommending the erection of a federal building in every hamlet of the United States for

the use of the people, he would take their substance and build warships and create places of rank for aristocratic idlers.

Hobson is just a plain advertising agent for the steel trust. He is trying to create sentiment in favor of a strong navy, so the next congress can exploit the people by letting contracts for a few more war ships. He is making a market for armor plate. He is advocating a large navy from a patriotic standpoint, when underneath his specious arguments, are hidden the cold creed of the despoiler of peace.

The plan of Mr. Hobson is this: Appropriate \$40,000,000 the first year for warships, and then for 12 years increase this original appropriation by \$10,000,000 annually, in naval appropriations. In fact, it would mean to convert the nation into a bee hive of "industry." But what sort of "industry" is this which studies and perfects the arts of murder?

Does not Mr. Hobson know that a nation's defenses do not all lie in the frowning forts and armored gunboats that line the coasts? Does he forget that the money spent in building the engines of peace—schools, mail routes, irrigation sites, railroads and public buildings—is better protection to the free institutions of the country, than that spent in the frail paraphernalia of war?

It would have been better for the country if some man with less oratorical ability had sunk the Merrimac. A burglars' union has been discovered by the German police. The Eastern Oregon sheepmen who are paying their salt bids now, say it is not necessary to go to Germany to find such an organization. It is called a trust. In English.

When a man builds a new fence around his property, or paints his house, he taxes himself. Yet how many progressive citizens will hesitate to incur such tax. The city and school district should show the same splendid spirit.

It is safe to say that the Yellowstone Park never opened its gates to a more thorough sportsman nor better shot than the man now tramping the snowy paths there. Hall of Roosevelt's ability lies in his enthusiasm.

George C. Brownell is called the "enigma statesman" by the Oregonian. There is no enigma about him—his trickery is all perfectly comprehensible.

Walla Walla is preparing to build another large schoolhouse to meet the growing population. The building will cost \$50,000.

The mergers are all on the run. May the people keep them moving until they have all merged with oblivion.

IN HIS OWN COUNTRY.

The West, which is President Roosevelt's "own country," is welcoming him with a hospitality which even he finds too strenuous. This thing of "delivering judgment all day long on all things great and small," up to midnight, delights the Westerners, but is proving too much for the hardy president, and he has had to make it a rule to turn off the oratory and the lights at 10 p. m.

But there is a simple heartiness about his greeting in the Dakotas which must please him mightily. So must that little mistake which the committee made yesterday about his church affiliations, compelling him to attend public worship twice in one Sunday, and to listen to one sermon in the German language. They are not, in the Black Hills, nice in their distinctions between Dutch Reformed and German Lutheran; and when their congressman spoke of the president's singular fondness for divine service in the Dutch church, at once produced their most eloquent preacher.—New York Evening Post.