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- STREET METHODS "FINANCE"**
By **HENRY GEORGE, JR.**
True accounts of some of the Wall Street savings of the many who have realized the wisdom of the late Governor Roosevelt's policy of "keep your money in the pocket."
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- THE REVELATIONS OF AN INTERNATIONAL SPY**
Which ran in PEARSON'S through the first six months of 1903 will be resumed in January, 1904. This new set of detective stories has been arranged for in response to the demands of thousands of readers who regretted the termination of the first series. The author still stipulates that his name must remain a secret.

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THE GREATER WEST

GIGANTIC PLANS OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT.

River Courses of the West to be Used as Regenerating Forces for the Reclamation of the Desert—The Main Streams of the Pacific Coast Head Near Mt. Union in Wyoming.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 12.—Out of the wildest solitudes of the far West come rumors of big things which are being planned by the engineers of the government. A great system of works is being surveyed to bring the waters of Pend d'Oreille Lake, in Northern Idaho, out upon an area of more than a million acres of fertile, but arid, land in the eastern part of the state of Washington.

Similar surveys are in progress in the almost voiceless valley of the Colorado river, where it forms the boundary between Arizona and California. There the matter has progressed to the actual appropriation of the entire flow of the stream not hitherto claimed. And the new appropriation is made "in the name of the United States of America." The phraseology marks the beginning of a new epoch in the West.

The engineers are also busy with plans looking to the development of the great possibilities of the Sacramento river, where millions of acres of land not utterly arid without artificial moisture may be made to support a dense population on small farms when this is supplied.

The engineering schemes on the Sacramento look not only to the diversion of the stream, but to the reclamation of very large bodies of rich land by the prevention of overflow, and, possibly, to the building of canals for navigation and power.

A Scheme to Rival the World. The Irrigation Congress which assembled at Ogden, Utah, last September gave expression to the larger hopes of the friends of irrigation which have taken shape during the past year. It declared in favor of systems of public works which shall rival those of the Po in Italy, the Nile in Egypt and the Ganges in India.

It is urged that these should be built on the Columbia, the Sacramento, the Colorado, the Rio Grande, the Arkansas, the Missouri and their tributaries. These six river systems drain practically the entire western half of the United States and their complete utilization in the manner proposed would at least double the present population of the republic.

On all these streams something has already been done by the local enterprise. The smaller opportunities for storage and diversion of water have already been improved, but beyond this it is impracticable for private enterprise to go. Only Uncle Sam is big enough to assert human control over the forces of nature represented by these great drainage systems and their surrounding watersheds.

East, South and West From Mt. Union. It is an interesting and singular

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fact that the three biggest rivers of the far West take their rise at the foot of Mount Union in Wyoming, and pursue their respective courses, east, south and west, to the Mississippi, Gulf of California, and the North Pacific Ocean. These are the Missouri, the Colorado and the Columbia. Each of them receives scores of tributaries along its course.

The other three rivers mentioned in the Ogden platform—the Sacramento, the Arkansas and the Rio Grande—are independent streams and each controls the economic destiny of a large region of its own.

With the single exception of the Sacramento, all these rivers traverse regions which are but sparsely inhabited and which contain enormous areas of public land. Wherever the construction of work is immediately contemplated, the secretary of the interior withdraws the land from entry, except under the Homestead Law without the commutation clause.

Any citizen may acquire not more than 160 acres by living upon and cultivating it in good faith for five years. As a rule, this is impracticable until water has been furnished.

So that virtually the land laws stand repealed to the extent of the lands withdrawn. When the government works are completed, the land will again be opened to entry in homesteads of not less than 40 and not more than 160 acres, according to the regulations to be established by the interior department. Settlers will then have ten years in which to repay the cost of irrigating the land, without interest.

NAVIES COMPARED

AMERICA IS THE FIFTH IN ORDER AS TO DIMENSIONS.

Russia is Third and Japan Seventh — Great Britain Leads. As She Has for Over a Hundred Years — Great Britain Has the Greater Number of Vessels Now Building, and the United States Second in That Respect.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The naval department's last report has an official chart showing that the United States navy is the fifth largest in the world.

Great Britain is first, with 201 vessels with 1,500,000 tons built, and 3 vessels now building.

France has 96 built, 576,000 tons, and 14 building.

Russia has 59 built, with 416,000 tons, and 14 building.

Germany has 73 built, with 387,000 tons, and 13 building.

America has 65 built, with 294,000 tons, and 28 building.

Next in order is Italy with 28 built with 258,000 tons, and six building.

Japan has 44 built, with 243,000 tons, and three building.

SEATTLE JAPS PATRIOTIC.

Start Movement to Raise \$25,000 for Defense at Home.

Seattle, Feb. 11.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Japanese association, an organization composed of the leading Japanese in this city held tonight, it was decided to start immediately in the work of raising the sum of \$25,000 to be sent to the government to help in prosecuting the war with Russia.

The members of the association will open subscription lists at once and they expect that the entire amount will be pledged within a month. A cablegram of congratulation on the result of the first fight between the belligerents was drawn and bearing the signatures of the president and secretary of the association, was dispatched to the Japanese war office.

INSURANCE RATES SOAR.

Advances on Japanese Cargoes Amount to 500 Per Cent.

Taroma, Feb. 12.—Marine insurance rates on transpacific shipments have taken a sharp advance. Last Friday night the rate on cargo to Japan's ports advanced from \$1.00 to \$5.25 per hundred. The cargo on the Kagu Maru which sailed Tuesday was insured at five cents, \$1.00, and \$5.25 per hundred. The last named figures are the present quotations. On one cargo carried in American and British bottoms the rate has advanced 100 per cent. The regular rate was 12 1/2 cents per 100 and the present 25 cents. In case of war the rate on Japanese bottoms would become at once prohibitive and cause lots of business for foreign bottoms.

Negro Industrial Education.

New York, Feb. 12.—The discussion of negro industrial education in the South as represented by the Hampton Institute, which takes place at a public meeting at Madison Square Garden this evening, will, it is expected, be one of the most interesting discussions of the sort ever heard in New York. Andrew Carnegie will preside, and addresses will be made by Booker T. Washington of Tuskegee, President Elliot of Harvard, and Dr. H. B. Frissell, principal of Hampton Institute.

Princess Suicides.

New York, Feb. 11.—A World's special from Vienna says it is rumored that Princess Elizabeth, who shot the actress, Louise Zeigler, has committed suicide in Prague castle.

It is not necessary to have a search warrant to find trouble.



Mrs. Haskell, Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order Good Templars, of Silver Lake, Mass., tells of her cure by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

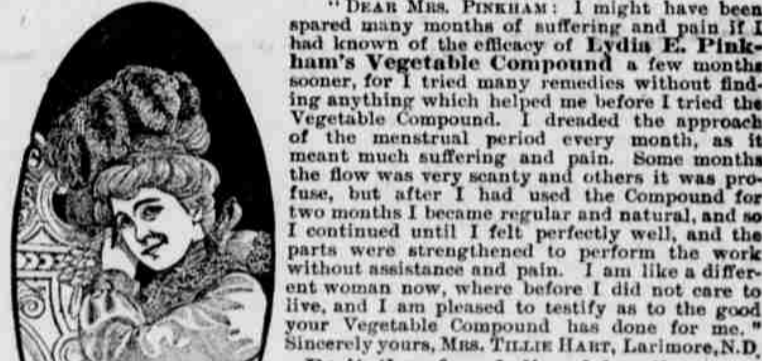
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HAWAIIAN JAPS TO FIGHT.

War Will Deplete the Supply of Laborers on the Islands.

Honolulu, Feb. 11.—Numerous cables were received today by Japanese residents in Honolulu from their government, advising them that the reserves had been called out and instructing them to come home at once.

It is believed that there are a large number of reserves among the 60,000 Japanese in Hawaii, and that the war will possibly deprive the island of laborers. The present transportation facilities to Japan will be inadequate to carry the large number of Japanese that will go from here.

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