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PUBLIC LANDS.
How They are Not Properly Looked After by Officials.

LAWS BENEFICIAL TO SPECULATORS
Effective Republican Reforms—Dolph's Speech in the Senate—He Talks About Oregon Land Grants Etc.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Senator Dolph while the bill for the forfeiture of railroad grants was under consideration, made an elaborate speech upon the subject of the administration of the public land grants. He referred to an article written by Mr. Carlisle and published in the Forum for October, in which it was substantially charged that the Republican party was responsible for the land grants policy. He said that this charge was contradicted by facts so recent that the merest tyro in American history should be familiar with them, and that the settlers upon the public domain in the public land States and Territories would never be made to believe that the beneficent provisions of the land laws had been administered under the late commissioner of the general land office in their interest; that the policy of the Democratic party up to the time it was hurled from power in 1861 had been to blame; that it had offered the lands to speculators at public sale immediately after they were surveyed, and if not sold then in any desired quantities they were afterward at private entry; that it had persistently resisted every effort to change the law and the practice of the Government so as to give settlers an opportunity to purchase land before they were offered to speculators.

He said that the Democratic party persistently opposed the passage of a homestead law, and that besides numerous canal grants during the six years prior to the accession of the Republican party to power there were forty seven railroad land grants made, while during the whole period of the Republican administration there were but forty-four grants. But a Democratic Congress in 1854 passed the "Graduation" act, and although the act was repealed as soon as the Republicans came into power, during the eight years it was in force 25,000,419 acres of public lands passed into the hands of speculators. He charged the Democrats with the responsibility of the swamping of the public lands under the swamp land grant that under all other land legislation was a very large proportion of the area of several Southern States, and that Florida, with an area of 20,000,000 acres, had claimed 10,000,000 acres as swamp lands, and 10,000,000 acres had been granted to her; that none of the other States had used the proceeds of these lands for the purpose of their reclamation as required by the terms of the grant.

He showed that large quantities of land which had been selected by the State under these grants, which were not swamp lands in fact, had been confirmed to the State by the act of March 2, 1857; that other large grants had been claimed and approved to the States under false and fraudulent proofs, and that the total amount of the lands claimed by the States under these was over 75,000,000 acres; that in striking contrast was the administration of the public lands by the Republican party; that it repealed, as soon as it came into power, the Graduation act and passed the homestead law, under which millions of free acres had been furnished to settlers, and which has so commended itself to public favor as to now receive the praise of the Democratic administration; that in the interest of the settlers it discontinued public land sales; it continued the Democratic policy of railroad land grants, but instead of making grants to States which already had facilities for transportation it turned its attention to the wilderness west of the Missouri river and inaugurated a policy by which it had been opened to settlement and transformed into a productive country; that it bound the Atlantic and Pacific coasts together with a band of steel, and its people together with commercial and business ties.

He reviewed the history of the land grants forfeiture bills in Congress and showed that the Oregon and Central Railroad grants were the second grant which had been forfeited, and that the house of representatives were responsible for the failure of the Northern Pacific railroad forfeiture bill at the last session. He reviewed the administration of the public lands by the Commissioner Sparks, and stated that settlers under the pre-emption law had been treated as public soldiers, and new and unauthorized proceedings instituted against them, confusion of titles created, their credit destroyed and their

families impoverished; that there had been wholesale suspension of the issued patents, and that the suspension of the operation of the pre-emption timber culture and desert land laws had been attempted by the Commission.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.
Growth of Jack-an-Box—Crown Forest—some Enterprise in Places.

It is pleasing to note the growth and prosperity of the country at all times, and in our short sojourn in this part of Jackson county, in the vicinity of Gold Hill, we are pleased to speak of the rapid growth that has been made within the period of our first visit three years ago. It is certainly evidence that the elements of soil and water which belong to this part of Jackson county, of course much of this comes from the mining interests, as evidenced by the Swindon ledge near here, which three years ago could have been purchased for \$500 or \$600 and perhaps \$500 or \$600 and is now sold for \$100,000. But the agricultural advantages of the country are also a leading feature in its rapid growth and prosperity. When the farmers come here and pay \$20 per acre for real estate for agricultural purposes alone it speaks in its praise.

This season has been remarkably dry one, but in spite of that crops as far as they have come under our observation look fine, and the fruit which is the boast of Rogue river valley—promises a full usual yield. The extreme cold weather of part of the winter, did not apparently injure the fruit trees, not even the peaches, though it did scorch in a sorry manner the evergreen in the valley, or as it is called in the Willamette valley, mountain laurel, that is the pride and beauty of the mountain regions of Oregon. Its browned and seared foliage makes one feel lonesome, though undoubtedly a seasons growth will remedy all that.

The railroad station of Gold Hill shows growth and advancement. Among its new buildings is a fine new hotel owned by Section Superintendent Barlow, and presided over by his accomplished lady while Andy continues to see that his sections maintains its reputation of being the best on the line in Southern Oregon, though on as difficult a grade as any of them. Messrs Ball & Bishop, two of our country boys have added another store to the number in the village and seem to be prospering. Jacob Bros. run their store, the postoffice, express, telegraph and depot business in the village.

We had the pleasure of visiting the city of Medford, and found it a thriving place, with prospect of being second to none in Southern Oregon. Its growth is remarkable and without rival. Several brick buildings of the proper class, among them a post and fast carriage among its possessions and others in course of construction. Among its progressive citizens are the Webb Bros. who have here, Ed. Pugh and family who are engaged in the newspaper business, and Charles Frank, depot and telegraph agent of Albany and Harrisburg, formerly of Albany, has purchased a fine farm and we are informed is doing well. Mrs. Price finds the climate has entirely restored her health. We were also informed that Wm. Owens and family formerly citizens of Linn county were well situated on a farm a few miles from the place.

Central Point five miles west of Medford, has a very thriving appearance, with new buildings and a very fine country to draw supplies from. It is in open rivalry to Medford, backed by Jacksonville's influence and will undoubtedly make a place of importance. Medford gives the greater promise and is greatly in the lead. We were informed that a project was on foot to manufacture sugar pine lumber on Rogue river in the mountains, float the lumber down the river to Pojo, a station three miles west of Central Point, and ship from there by rail to Pojo land. As sugar pine timber is becoming difficult to reach, if the river part of the voyage proves feasible this will prove a successful and profitable undertaking.

The case of the state of Oregon against Williams, now pending in Grant county, is attracting considerable attention. Williams is accused of shooting at Peter the poet who is now editing the Lone Creek Eagle, on account of some publication that Williams conceivably was uncomplimentary to somebody.

J. L. Rand, republican candidate for prosecuting attorney came from New Hampshire to Willamette in 1863, and was professor of Greek in Whitman college till the spring of 1884; read law and was admitted in 1885, and soon after went to Corvallis, and thence to Baker City.

GENERAL NEWS.
Meeting of the Methodists in General Conference.

BROOKS LIQUOR LAW ENFORCED
English Nobleman Drowned in the Thames—Chinese in Australia—Anarchists' Pardon Asked.

The Herald Special Dispatches.
New York, May 1.—The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church opened this morning in the Metropolitan opera house. Long before the appointed hour the vast auditorium began to fill up with ministerial delegates. Bishop Bowman, senior bishop, presided and conducted the opening services. The number of ministerial delegates is 288, and the number of lay delegates 75. Among the lay delegates are two women. Every state and territory in the Union was represented, and there are delegates from Canada, Mexico, China, Japan, Africa, Germany, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland and India.

Platform Adopted.
LITTLE ROCK, May 1.—The platform adopted by the labor party last night endorsed the national platform of February, 1887, on land transportation, money income, taxes, Chinese labor; it favors the reform demanded by the Farmers' National Alliance and Knights of Labor, it favors taking platform speculative purposes at their full value, and the consolidation of the state and national elections; it favors the establishment of a labor and agricultural bureau before the adjournment of congress.

The Great Strike.
CHICAGO, May 1.—Grand Chief Engineer Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, arrived here this morning. The object of Arthur's visit is to lay the plan of operation for investigation before the inter-state commissioners of the Burlington strike, which will begin next week.

Saloons Closed.
PITTSBURGH, May 1.—At 12 o'clock last night the Brooks liquor law was practically opened, and 502 saloons out of 727 in this city were closed up, probably never to be reopened in the Allegheny country. There were 1500 applications for licenses, but only 485 were granted.

Want to be Pardoned.
CHICAGO, May 1.—A petition to Governor Crosby to pardon anarchists Melton, Schwab and Niemcewicz was circulated in this city for the past few days. It is said to have received thousands of signatures.

Steamer Quarantined.
HONG KONG, May 1.—The steamer "Albatross" from Hong Kong brought 268 cases of cholera. The government has quarantined the vessel, and the crew and passengers are being treated in the hospital.

Drowned in the Thames.
LONDON, May 1.—Admiral Sir Alfred Ryder was drowned in the Thames today.

Emperor Wears.
BERLIN, May 1.—The emperor passed a less satisfactory night. The fever was slightly increased, but otherwise there is no material change.

Kilrain Will Fight.
LONDON, April 26.—Jake Kilrain has accepted John L. Sullivan's challenge, and will fight under English prize rules, either in England or America. If in America the fight must take place west of the Mississippi river. Kilrain's engagements will prevent his meeting Sullivan for the next six months. Sullivan acted disgracefully on the way over from Liverpool. He got so drunk one day that the Captain threatened to put him in irons. John beat a woman on board, and the gentlemen would have handed together to thrash him if a friend of Sullivan's had not begged them not to. Sullivan, while drunk one day, had a row with a steward, and the latter hit him a fearful blow with a soda siphon. Sullivan didn't mind the blow. The Captain of the Catalonia gave explicit orders to the officers and crew not to mention the state of affairs during the twelve days' voyage to any newspaper or to any one he himself refuses to say anything further than that in due time he will make a statement.

Given Away.
W. F. Read proposes to give away a fine gold watch with his gold and silver pipe, the very best fitting and best made white shirt in the market. The price is as low or lower than any equally as good shirt in the market.

Gold Prize Shirt.
The best white shirt in the market at W. F. Read's, and don't forget that he proposes to give away a fine gold watch with the shirt. Call and investigate if you need a good shirt.