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STATES RIGHTS NO MORE.

It is little wonder foreign papers comment on the conditions now prevailing in this country as an evidence of the inherent weakness and instability of our form of government.

There is no doubt that we shall finally subdue and put down the lawless elements in Chicago and elsewhere, at least until such a time as the labor demagogues shall elect to stir up another uprising.

There was a time when we should have been very quick to resent such insinuations on the greatness of our government and its institutions, but after the events of the past ten or fifteen years, we can do no more than hang our heads with shame and humiliation at the truthfulness of these criticisms.

Every intelligent person knows that if President Cleveland had issued his proclamation and sent federal troops down to Chicago five days earlier, not a life would have been lost nor a dollar of property destroyed.

There is now some slight hope, to judge from the present tone of our own press, that the murderous and violent scenes of last Friday and Saturday may emphasize the defects in our existing systems, and serve to show that the only way to deal with such affairs in the future is to suppress the old sectional state rights limitations on the authority of the government, and so enlarge its powers that it shall be the right and duty of the president and the regular army to act in such emergencies before they reach the point of actual riot and insurrection.

Portland has now taken up the fishery question, and at the last regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in that city, held last Monday, a memorial to congress was unanimously adopted, similar to the one heretofore adopted and forwarded to Washington by the Astoria Chamber of Commerce.

The Portland memorial was prepared by Hon. George T. Myers, who said in advocating its adoption: "Until recently the Columbia has been the greatest salmon-producing river, besides being more famous for the superiority and fine flavor of its salmon, than any other river in the world."

On its banks has been established an industry that within the past 12 years has produced, as our statistics show, 5,919,000 cases of canned salmon and 15,000 barrels of packed salmon, valued at \$31,500,000, and at the same time has given employment yearly to 25,000 people, and has been the means of giving Oregon a reputation abroad for the superiority of her products.

"Since 1883, the manufacture and packing of canned salmon has been gradually diminishing, until today the pack is only a little more than one-half of the pack of 1882. Taking an average of the pack for the past five years would make this average."

"In 1893, the combined pack of Oregon, Washington, and California was only 561,000 cases. From these facts we are naturally led to infer that our grand chinook salmon of the Columbia river will become extinct."

"Congress should be made to see the serious necessity of at once taking some immediate action. We are menaced with a loss that we cannot recover financially, besides loss of employment to thousands of our citizens. The duties paid annually on tin-plate and tin-

and other materials used in the manufacture and packing of canned salmon approximate about \$125,000.

"At the same time we would ask that our legislatures of Oregon and Washington should be appealed to to enact such compulsory laws as would protect salmon and other food-fish at certain times from fishing; also condemning rivers and tributaries in which are established hatcheries."

"My experience in the matter convinces me that had we proper hatcheries and absolute laws for the time of fishing, we would have an abundance of chinook salmon, without fear of extinction, no matter what devices were employed to capture salmon. Such are our laws that there is not enough propagation and too much illicit fishing and infringement of the fishing laws."

"The appropriation bill is now before congress; therefore, I will ask that the president and secretary of this chamber be empowered to wire, also write, to our congressmen to vigorously endeavor to get the amount purposed as set forth in the memorial."

"Should we be able to secure such hatcheries and maintain them, there would be no doubt as to our Oregon fisheries being unlimited."

Ex-President Harrison comes out in his manly, straightforward way to endorse and hold up the hands of President Cleveland in his endeavor to restore order and obedience to civil authority in our distressed country. It is immaterial to him that during his whole term of office, notwithstanding the wonderfully good effects of some of his great achievements, not one word of praise or commendation did he receive from any Democratic source.

Like Governor McKinley, our ex-president does his duty in every emergency, regardless of any question of personal popularity or who may be the recipients of its benefits. The difference is in the school of politics—one looks eternally for some partisan or sectional advantage, while the other considers every public question from the broad standpoint of the country's interest.

It is evident from the action of the federal grand jury at Chicago yesterday in its return of a true bill of indictment against President Debs soon after obtaining possession of the telegrams sent out by him from Chicago to various sections of the country, that his pretence of counseling peace and the repression of all violence was a fraud and a sham.

From the prompt action of the jury it is evident they must have found something very incriminating in the contents of the telegrams.

BIDS FOR WOOD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by H. B. Ferguson, clerk of School District No. 1, Clatsop County, Oregon, until July 12th, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purchase of 100 cords of wood, wood to be good fir and cut from green timber, and to be delivered as follows: Fifty cords at Cedar Street school house, and 110 cords at Court Street school house. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of directors, H. B. FERGUSON, District Clerk. Dated, Astoria, July 3rd, 1894.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of George McLean, deceased, late of Clatsop county, Oregon, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop County, and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned, at the office of Fulton Bros., attorneys at law, in the City of Astoria, in said county, within six months from this date, July 5th, 1894.

ELIZABETH McLEAN, Administratrix.

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SHERMAN CASE, Administrator.

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