

HUNTING AND FISH- ING ON RECEIPTS

Hunting or fishing upon receipts furnished by notaries and justices of the peace will not be allowed in the future, according to instructions recently issued by state board of fish and game commissioners. Deputies all over the state have been told to arrest any hunter or fisherman who fails to show a regular fishing or hunting license in his possession, upon demand. The holder of a receipt will be treated in every way the same as though he had never made application for a license.

The reason for this action is plain. In the past, notaries and justices of the peace, who have authority to collect for licenses, issue a receipt and mail the money to the county clerk, who, in turn mails a license to the notary or justice, to be delivered to the applicant, have failed to do so, pocketing the money and advising the applicant that a receipt is equivalent to a license. To stop this petty grafting, Game Warden Finley insists that licenses, in the future, will be recognized as the only evidence of a right to hunt or fish.

"We have a fairly complete record of notaries and justices who have retained money belonging to the game fund," said Warden Finley, "and they are located all over the state. These men have actually accepted money for licenses and made no return of it, nor have they secured licenses for those who have made application. By arresting those holding merely receipts for licenses, we will shortly run down those who have been guilty of this fraud."

It is provided by law that any justice of the peace or notary in the state may receive money for the county clerk on application for hunting or fishing licenses, and the game warden has no disposition to place an obstacle in the way of hunters to thus easily secure their rights. He is firm, however, in his intention to break up a practice which has proven demoralizing to many public and semi-public officials in all parts of Oregon.

MERGER OF COAST SAW MILLS ASSURED

Late telegraphic dispatches are to the effect that a merger of tide-water sawmills, representing 65 per cent of the lumber output of western Oregon and western Washington, promoted by Henry J. Pierce, representing eastern backers whom he will not name at this time, is virtually assured. It was learned today mill owners representing more than fifty per cent of the Columbia river cut had signed the consolidation agreement. Mill owners representing 85 per cent of the Grays Harbor output have already joined the proposed merger. Acquisition of mills to be included in the consolidation will involve the expenditure of approximately \$50,000,000. It is incumbent upon the organizers to provide timber to operate the mills at full capacity for fifteen years.

Purchase of the mills and additional timber lands called for in the agreement will probably call for a capitalization estimated at \$200,000,000.

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AMERICANS MUST FLY FOR SAFETY

Chung Kin, China, Sept. 14.—The British consul, temporarily in charge of American interests in this district, today issued an order that all Americans in the British upper districts of the province of Sue Chunan, where a rebellion is in progress, must leave immediately for the nearest point of safety.

INHABITANTS FLEE FROM LAVA FLOOD

Catania, Sept. 14.—The 20,000 inhabitants of Castiglione and Fraucavilla turned backs upon their homes today and are fleeing before the advancing flood of lava from Mount Etna. Both towns are threatened with destruction, as the discharge from the crater and new fissures increase in volume.



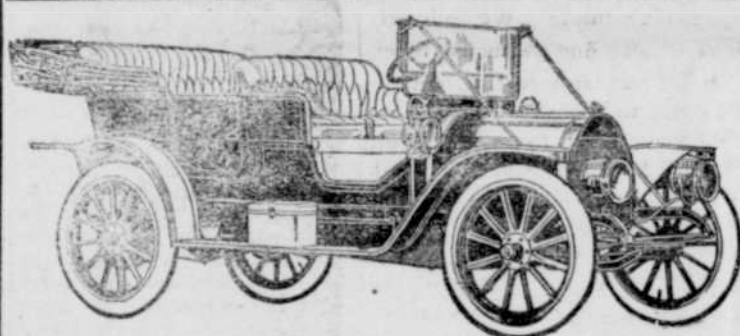
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PRESIDENT OF COOS BAY OREGON CENTRAL DIES

Francis H. Clarke, president of the Coos Bay & Oregon Central Railway, passed away at his rooms in the Pier hotel in East Portland on the 11th instant, from a complication of pneumonia and heart trouble, probably superinduced by over work and a trip to that city. Mr. Clarke was fifty-three years of age, and was from St. Paul, Minn., where he had spent a great portion of his life in the practice of law, and was well and favorably known.

At his bedside when the end came were a number of prominent residents of Coos Bay, among them Claude Nasburg, one of his closest associates. His friends declare that his death will not effect the status of his railroad project.

Mr. Clarke was well known in railroad circles, having promoted several important projects. Immediately before coming to Oregon he spent several years in South America, planning for extensive railroad development for an Eastern syndicate.

When he first went to Coos Bay he obtained financial aid from business men of that community. He organized the Oregon, Idaho & Eastern Railroad Company, which made extensive surveys and for which approximately \$25,000 was subscribed by Marshfield business men. Later he interested Eastern and English capital, and the Coos Bay & Eastern Railroad Company was organized, absorbing the local concern. The general route of the line Mr. Clarke proposed to build lay along the Coquille River from Marshfield to Myrtle Point, then followed the middle fork of the Coquille to the top of the Coast Range, through Happy Valley to Roseburg. He estimated that \$10,000,000 would be required to complete the project.

Mr. Clarke was a lawyer by profession and had a brilliant mind. He had traveled extensively, was well read, and a close student of affairs. He was an interesting conversationalist and a fluent public speaker.

He had attained considerable success as a writer, most of his productions having a Socialistic leaning. His principal work was "Morgan-Rockefeller Willis," which was printed in book form several years ago and given wide circulation. In it he attempted to bring the giant fortunes of Rockefeller and Morgan to a logical end, and made the prediction that before the end of the present century the United States would be governed by a system of fraternal—not commercial—socialism. He had often said to his friends that as soon as he had brought his Coos Bay project to successful completion he would turn his attention to literature.

He was an ardent advocate of free silver, and in 1896 gave active support to the candidacy of W. J. Bryan. He was a candidate for Congress on the Populist ticket in the St. Paul district in the early nineties.

Mr. Clarke is survived by his widow and four children—two sons and two daughters—all of whom live at Marshfield. He was a member of the camp of Modern Woodmen of America at that place.

The remains were taken on the steamer Breakwater to Marshfield and were interred there.

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