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MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION NOT CORRECTLY REPORTED

The action of the Eugene merchants regarding the apparent discrimination against this city by the S. P. Co. was not correctly stated in the special dispatch (by slow freight) which appeared in yesterday's Oregonian. The association did not, as stated, decide to give the company no further opportunity to redress grievances, but on the other hand instructed the president to appoint a committee to visit the officials in Portland and submit their very reasonable demands, and if satisfaction was not secured to go before the state railway commission. After these steps had been taken, if nothing was accomplished, it was unanimously resolved to route all goods coming into the city so as to give the Southern Pacific the "short haul," thereby inflicting a loss of many thousands of dollars annually upon the company.

That is a statement in brief of the action taken by the association, and shows that the businessmen here are not radical, but simply feel that it is time the railroad company should take an advance step and keep up with the growth of the town and country.

While it is felt that rates are too high and out of proportion to the tariffs charged the lower valley shippers, a reduction of these is not incorporated in the demands made on the railroad. It is simply asked that train service be put on between this city and Wendling, and that a new depot and better yards be constructed and maintained here. That these increased facilities are needed is evidenced by the scores of passengers carried between this city and the logging camps and mills by stages daily, and by the congested, inconvenient yards and buildings in this city.

That the railroad company might quickly restore good feeling between the shippers and the corporation is evident, if they so desired. It cannot be contended that the local merchants are unreasonable, or that they are asking anything which should not be granted by an intelligent railroad management, yet the matters complained of are allowed to drift from month to month while local interests suffer and disappointment over the delay develops into distrust and enmity.

It would seem that if the railroad company knew how easy it would be to wipe out much of the public feeling against it in Oregon, its officials would get busy making necessary improvements and increasing the facilities for properly handling its business.

OREGON PEOPLE MUST DEPEND ON THEMSELVES

The Portland Journal strikes the keynote when it says that Oregon people must do more and more to help themselves. There may be disappointments and discouragements, but there are adverse conditions to be overcome by hard work and well-directed enterprise. We must have better transportation facilities—all Oregon suffers from the lack—and we may rest assured that keeping everlastingly at it will bring success. The people of Eugene, the younger, more enterprising class, are aroused to the needs of the city and county as never before, and one failure or a dozen failures will not suffice to dampen their ardor in the work they have set out to do. The Journal says:

"Eugene people subscribed the \$60,000 demanded by the promoter of the proposed railroad toward the coast, and the road seems assured,

though such projects are always doubtful until in actual existence. It is to be hoped that this one will be pushed to completion, and be the forerunner of others. Oregon people must do more and more to help themselves."

LUMBERING INDUSTRY SHIFTING TOWARD WEST

A recently issued bulletin of the forest service of the department of agriculture states that New York, in 1850, led all the states in the production of lumber. Pennsylvania rose to first place ten years later, and New York dropped to second. In the period following the civil war the rapid extension of railroads brought into market the great white pine forests of the Lake states, and the chief source of supply moved thither. Michigan first, then Wisconsin, went to the front. When Washington supplanted the latter the leadership had crossed the continent. In fifty years it had passed from an Atlantic to a Pacific coast state.

The holding of first rank in production by a state does not locate the country's chief source of supply. Washington now stands first among the states, yet the South is supplying more lumber than the West. But the magnificent yellow pine forests of the South are rapidly being cut and marketed, just as was done with the white pine forests of Michigan and Minnesota during the thirty years following 1870. But the Pacific coast will soon be the chief source of supply.

The policy of the government in creating national forests in the West, taken in connection with the favorable climatic and topographical conditions for the growth of trees, insures a future supply that will be greatly to the West's advantage. When the inevitable time of timber shortage arrives, the cost of transportation in the long haul across the continent will aid the West in supplying its own needs first. The national forests must be first of all for the supply of Western needs. The East had originally the bulk of the country's forests. It has largely wasted them. The West has now a considerable provision for the future. The presence of the national forests will insure for all time a permanent supply of material for wood-using industries in the West, although the actual holdings of the federal government in themselves are by no means sufficient to furnish all the timber which will be needed. They will also have an influence in encouraging private holdings of timberlands to take care of them in a way that will keep them in a productive state. The question what to do for timber that cannot be had in needed quantities is likely to become acute in the East.

Washington has produced a real trust champion in the president of the District of Columbia Bar Association, who recently said: "I am in favor of monopoly," and added, "If it were not for the trusts our country would not be where it is today." The last is true, alas, too true.

Well, well! Instead of securing a fresh batch of high-priced lawyers to make a fight, the Burlington railroad announces that it will put the two-cent-a-mile rate in force on its entire system. That's making a noise like good management.

One notable thing about the suits of the government against the tobacco trust magnates is that the twenty-nine individual defendants named are shut out of the privilege of taking an "immunity bath." That ought to please Brother Bryan.

Now that an Ohio woman has been frightened into a swoon by the increase in her weight, it seems to be up to some men to be frightened into something by the increase in the size of their heads. Nothing personal, gentlemen.

Everybody may now breathe easier, Dr. Masuji Mayakawa, the only Japanese lawyer ever admitted to the American bar, states that he will not let Japan hurt his adopted country, no matter where our battleships are sent.

When discussing the things that are unequally divided, work should not be overlooked; it's about the most unequally distributed thing there is. Still, mighty few men are kicking for a larger share.

The only shots in the Japanese war have been made by photographers at "Fighting Bob" Evans and Admiral Yamamoto, standing fearlessly with clasped hands in front of the deadly camera.

Rockefeller may spend his life in the clouds with his religion, as one of his nephews has said he did, but his hired hands never let up on raking in the small change of the oil consumers.

Somewhat the opinion of Charles M.

A New Alignment In Europe.

By Dr. MAX NORDAU.

EUROPE will not be able very much longer to escape a great and violent RENDING ASUNDER of its nationalities. The different isolated portions of peoples will either once more join their most representative races or call in their assistance and with their support OVERCOME THE LESSER PEOPLES in the midst of which they happen to be and whose compulsion they now endure.

The little peoples who share a country with others and are unable to fall back upon any powerful relatives ARE DOOMED TO DESTRUCTION. They cannot maintain their position in the struggle for existence against their stronger countrymen. AS NATIONS they must perish.

Only the great nations will endure, and such of the smaller ones which will be in a position to found an independent national political constitution, if necessary expelling or suppressing the foreign POPULAR elements that are settled among them.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY CAN HARDLY COME TO AN END WITHOUT SEEING THE CONCLUSION OF THIS DRAMA IN THE WORLD'S HISTORY.



MRS. MARY C. LAWTON, WIDOW OF GENERAL LAWTON.
Mrs. Lawton, widow of General Henry W. Lawton, who was killed in the Philippines, was Miss Mary Craig of Kentucky prior to her marriage. She has a son and three daughters, and her home is in California. When the general fell in battle, his friends raised a fund of \$98,000 for Mrs. Lawton.

Schwab said the United States could build five battleships to Japan's one does not sound entirely disinterested. He's in the steel business, you know.

A genuine case of double trouble is that of the Oswego (N. Y.) man who committed a burglary to get married and was pinched on his honeymoon trip.

Lightning busted the gillbladders of an Indianapolis cop and never touched him. It scared him so that he jumped right through them.

Royalty has another jolt coming to it. Congressman Pete Hepburn, of Iowa, is going to Europe to look the crowned heads over.

Regular summer resort weather right here at home.

HERE AND HEREAFTER

From some other rotating sphere
Suspended in ether or mist,
Came I on my journeying here
To keep a millennial tryst
With nature, or was it with man?
And did I in innocent mirth
Prepare at the place I began
For such an existence on earth?

While living my life in the fog—
Say still in the modern shape,
Was I always trying to be
My hairy successor, the ape?
Or was I, I ask, as a snake,
Endeavoring solely to find
The requisite adjuncts to make
The type known as mankind?

I ask information, my friend,
Because of my pastor's dismay
He yearns that my spirit's sole trend
Should be toward heaven today.
Oh, must I existence devote,
To strumming the harp's golden string?
Or eagerly learning to float
About on a feathery wing?

Alas, how remorseful my fate,
If nature some scheme has in view,
And heaven for my soul does not wait
When this evolution is through?
Ah me, what a sad, woeful waste
Of energy, patience and bliss!
Past and future are not to my taste—
I'm built for a world just like this.
—L. S. Waterhouse.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A sure way to get married is to have a girl make up her mind to catch you.
There is no insult to a girl who wants to be called pretty equal to the one of saying she has a real sweet nature.

You couldn't make a woman believe some other woman wouldn't like to have her children, even if she had ten of her own.

What a woman likes about having been on a yachting trip is that she can talk about it in public so that strangers can admire her for it.
New York Press.

YOUR OWN FIRST

Just clean up the trash in your own back yard.
Don't mind what the neighbors do.
If you want to have a nice clean town,
Dear friend, it's up to you.
Just clean up your side of the high back fence.
No matter if you work hard.
Get out and grow just as much as you please.
But clean up your own back yard!
—New York Press.

ALWAYS BE POLITENESS

A Germantown woman was not long ago watching a workman as he put up new window fixtures in her house.

"Don't you think that you have placed those fixtures too high?" asked she, having reference to the curtain rolls just put in place.
The workman, a stolid German, made no reply, but continued to adjust the fixtures.

"Didn't you hear my question?" demanded the lady of the house.
"How dare you be so rude?" Whereupon the German gulped convulsively, the answer in the gentleness of voice:
"I had my mouth full of screws, and I could not speak till I swallowed some."—Harper's Weekly.

THE YELLOW PERCH

It chanced one day the yellow perch was hungry, and he stole His dinner from the lordly bass And supper from the sole.
The lobster lurked behind a rock And saw him, so in time The solemn cod was called to sit In judgment on his crime.

Since there are neither bolts nor bars In ocean's depths below,
They dressed the perch in prison stripes
And then they let him go.
And if you feel the slightest doubt Or my veracity,
Behold, his jacket marks him yet The convict of the sea.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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SUMMONS.
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE State of Oregon for Lane County. Emma Wheeler, plaintiff, vs. Frank Wheeler, defendant.
To Frank Wheeler, above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and suit, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to do so, the plaintiff will take a decree against you for the dissolution of the marriage contract existing between you and the plaintiff, and for her costs and disbursements.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. L. T. Harris, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order was made and dated the 7th day of June, 1907, and said order directed that this summons be published in the Eugene Guard, once a week for six consecutive weeks.

Date of first publication, June 7th, 1907.
L. M. TRAVIS, Attorney for plaintiff.



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