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about 1300 pounds, also one mare  
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## Farmers' Trust is Stern Reality.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The farmers' trust has arrived. It has stretched its big, strong hands over the states of Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Missouri and Texas. Its knotted fingers have pulled up millions of bushels of grain and fruit, and thousands of bales of cotton into a mountain heap, and the trust has said to the dealers of the world, "You can't have any of this until you pay us what we think is coming to us. Now do your worst."

Boards of trade all over the country and commission men are beginning to wake up to the fact that this protective organization of the farmers already is a powerful factor in the markets of the world, and that it bids fair to loom tremendously in future years.

Ever since early last fall, board of trade men and shippers of grain have been talking about the scarcity of cars. To that scarcity they have attributed almost entirely the fact that corn, wheat and other farm products do not move to the market centers with more haste. The death of cars is an everyday theme in the speculative and commercial gossip. That there is a great deal in it nobody disputes, but a still more significant phenomenon of the day is that grain is being held back because the farmers are determined they shall get the price they have set on their own property.

To date, the farmers' trust—that is the generic term for the movement—has been going it almost alone. Now it has launched a plan by which it hopes to enlist the organized labor of the whole United States. If this plan be carried into execution—and there is reason to believe it may be—the combined movement of farmers and union men to control prices and distribution of agricultural products will be the biggest scheme in the history of the American labor and husbandry.

Never was the time so propitious for the farmers to get together and stick together. The Grange of former days, the Farmers' Alliance and other similar organizations, were started when the farming class was in the poorest possible financial condition. In fact, it was because they were in straitened circumstances that they gave their support to these various movements. When times became more prosperous, these movements lost force rapidly.

It is different today. The farms of the West are not plastered with mortgages. The bountiful crops of the last five years have lifted literally hundreds of millions of dollars of incumbrances of this kind. Deposits in Western banks have increased amazingly. The owners of the great bulk of these funds are these farmers. They come nearer being an independent class today than any other class in the United States. Still they are persuaded that they are not getting their share of the general prosperity, hence the launching of the trust.

Men who have been over the states which raise a surplus of corn, wheat, oats, cotton and livestock have come back to Chicago with the message that back of the car scarcity are an explanation of the lack of movement of grain to market is the fact that the farmers are organized and that they have a concerted plan to hold back their farm products until they get satisfactory prices. Being in no need of ready money they are carrying out their programme on a scale that is surprising.

Nothing of this is heard on the Chicago or other boards of trade in the open discussion. The grain dealer, the commission man, the shipper and the speculator studiously taboo the subject. If they speak of the farmers' movement at all, it is with a contemptuous sneer, and the prophecy that it will come is naught.

"The trusts and combines, the speculators and Board of Trade men call us jays, hayseeds, Rubes and mossbacks," says M. F. Sharp, a Kentucky leader of the farm trust. "They say that if we do organize

we won't stick, but I want to tell you that when an organization reaches a stage where it is able to dictate prices and get them, it is the best sticking organization in the world."

There was something out of the ordinary about the movement of grain last Summer long before the car shortage was thought of. The statistics of previous years based on crop comparisons went all away. The wheat and corn trade lost its bearing completely. It did not even know how to reckon on the future, even approximately. The Agricultural Department issued its estimates of the crops as previously. These figures showed that the proportion of corn was by far the biggest since officials records have been kept. The yield of wheat was the largest with one exception. Basing their calculations on the movements of crops in previous years, the trade expected certain things to happen from week to week. These things did not happen, and one of the reasons for it, if not the greatest reason, was the refusal of the farmers to accept bids made to them.

## Loss Company in Bankruptcy

Being unsuccessful in securing accounts and records involving his contract with the Southern Pacific for the grading and tunneling on 19 miles of road from Drain, on the line of the Oregon Western Railroad, C. E. Loss will today ask for a receivership through the United States District Court for the C. E. Loss Company. He has also wired William Hood, chief engineer of the Southern Pacific, asking to be released from the contract, alleging that there is a conspiracy to hamper him in the completion of the undertaking.

The complications have grown out of the arrest at Drain yesterday of A. C. Emmons, of Portland, for the United Railways and the C. E. Loss Co.; W. B. Reed, a private detective, and J. S. Holland, bookkeeper for the Loss interests at Drain, on charges of technical burglary. The arrests were made at the instance of T. J. Tobin, in charge of the work there, who refused to recognize a personal order for the books and accounts of the company, signed by Mr. Loss. Mr. Emmons was released on furnishing bail in the sum of \$250, while Reed and Holland were held until today for \$1000 each.

## White House Surprise Party

A surprise party took place at the White house one day this week, the surprise being on the First Lady of the Land who received from four sturdy American tars, of the battleship Louisiana, a large silver loving cup. Arriving at the White House, the sailormen requested to see the president, who received them most graciously and quickly complied with their request to be permitted to pay their respects to Mrs. Roosevelt. Upon her appearance the party entered one of the state parlors and after the introductions had been made, the big bundle, carried under the arms of one of the sailors, was opened and the beautiful cup was handed to Mrs. Roosevelt.

The gift was intended as an expression of the appreciation felt by the crew of the Louisiana for the kindness with which its members had been treated by Mrs. Roosevelt on the voyage she made on that vessel to Panama and back when the President went to inspect the canal last November. It was said at the White House that both the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were very much touched in receiving the remembrance.

## Stomach Trouble and Consumption

"Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are the best thing for stomach troubles and constipation I have ever sold," says J. R. Cullman, a druggist at Pottsville, Mich. "They are easy to take and always give satisfaction. I tell my customers to try them and if not satisfactory to come back and get their money, but have never had a complaint." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

Wins-em Turquois enameled ware at T. H. Mehl & Co's.

## All For Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 11, 1907.—Hon. J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction for the state of Oregon, has requested the Oregon Development League to supply the details of its work and especially the facts relative to the colonist rates to each and every one of the county superintendents throughout the state of Oregon.

Mr. Ackerman believes that the splendid opportunity afforded the Middle West to visit almost every point in Oregon at the low rate of \$25 should be put before the schools, and that all teachers in the state should not only inform themselves of the facts, but impart those facts to their students. This rate of \$25 includes all Missouri River points, St. Paul and contiguous territory; the rate from St. Louis is \$30, and from Chicago \$33, and tickets will be on sale from March 1 to April 30.

There is an absolute hunger for information about Oregon throughout all portions of the United States. In addition to the many thousands that have been coming since December 3,750 inquiries have been added within the last twelve days. Coos bay is especially active and the results are paying them well for their expense in time and money. Corvallis receives more attention than any other point in the Willamette Valley, while Medford leads in Southern Oregon. Ralph Ackley, secretary of the Tillamook Development League, has issued a personal letter, which gives in a very brief and effective way the resources of his city and county, and the results will certainly be gratifying.

Many other points in Oregon are at work and the commercial and industrial bodies of the state should get out their very best advertising matter and into the mails without delay.

The Portland commercial Club added \$2,480 to the fund with which it is advertising the state of Oregon at a dinner last Tuesday night.

The newspapers of the state are doing a grand work in calling attention to this opportunity to increase the population and wealth of the state, which the teachers and in some case the purchasers are making it their business to interest the citizens of Oregon in inviting those who live in the older sections of the country to come out and make their homes in Beaver state.

The Coos county club of Albany College: The first meeting of the second seanser was held on the evening of February 22, when the club was entertained by Miss Ines Easten at the home of Rev. Griswold. There were several guests present besides members of the club, and this meeting was considered one of the best and jolliest held this year. We regret that another of our members, Edwin B. Tilton has left school this cuts our number down to seven a small but jolly crowd. We hope to have many members next winter those present on Friday evening, were, Misses Rosa McNair, Knotts, Wilkins, Easten, Ruth Montague, Hodge, and Martha Montague, Messrs Hodge, Neal, Myers, Leggett, Knatt and Vollstedt.

A Member.

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FOR SALE.—At a bargain; three young milch cows three registered Poland China hogs, two sows and a boar, also a few young pigs eligible for registration. Call or address, D. Morgan, Coquille, Oregon Phone 311.

FOR SALE. Good Shingle mill, with or without engine, also including ranch if desired. Inquire of Young & Albee, Fishtrap, or address at Coquille.

Those wishing fine carpet and rug weaving done, will remember that Mrs. K. Holverson now resides in the Hoberg home near the Academy.

Senators and Representatives, irrespective of politics, continue to discuss the resolution recently adopted by the Senate calling upon the heads of the various Governments to supply the names, number, compensation, etc. of employees who have been assigned to work by the President during the past year and whose appointments were made outside the civil service.

It is claimed by many that the Executive without legal warrant, has appointed college classmates, Rough Riders and other friends to all kinds of special offices, ignoring entirely the civil source regulations. The resolution when it was brought up in the Senate, was acted upon without a dissenting vote, not a voice being raised in defense of the President. Now the Departments called upon are busily engaged in gathering the information in order to have it before the Senate during the present session. It is said that within the last few years, probably during the term of the present administration, the number of special appointments of employees who have no fixed legal status, has increased from 700 to 3000. Many legislators believe that an appointment in the clerk class, made outside of the civil service, is manifestly unfair and unjust to the hundreds of people in all parts of the country who spend weeks and months preparing for civil service examinations, who are placed on the eligible lists but who are superseded by those who are required to come up to any special standard of fitness. Just what good will come from the recent resolution, remains to be seen.

FOR SALE. 60 acres of land, 20 acres bottom. Situated on newly finished rail road survey. Within a few minutes ride by rail from the towns of Prosper and Bandon, where real estate is rapidly changing hands at fabulous prices, and new industries springing up on every hand. One quarter mile from store, post office and best country school in Co. Milk and cream taken from ranch landing daily by steamer to choice to a number of A 1 creameries. A snap where money can be doubled in a year or two easy. Underlaid with coal of the Beaver Hill fields. Address this office.

A Grim Tragic  
is daily enacted, in thousands of homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oakland, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by R. S. Knowlton, druggist Trial bottle free.

That's the house the Doctor built, The biggest house you see, Thank goodness he don't get our money, For we take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. R. S. Knowlton.

Timber And Coal For Sale.  
About six million feet of fir, red and white cedar, or all the timber on 412 acres; also all the coal on 412 acres; five veins in sight; price \$3000. Inquire of C. A. Pendleton, Fat Elk or address me at Coquille.

Another Quake at Kingston  
Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 23.—Two earthquake shocks, the heaviest since January 14, were felt this afternoon. Several buildings were thrown down, and there was great alarm among the people. No one was injured.

For Sale  
Five shares in Riverton telephone Line, which entitles the holder to one phone on the line. Enquire of W. D. Roberts Coquille Or. Phone No. 32x1.

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