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#### AID TO IRRIGATORS.

Representative Tongue.

Washington, Feb. 13.-Representhe purpose of constructing irrigation works, public lands in such of paying principal and interest on hand, yellow pine constitutes six- without awaiting the expiration of the people of the Pacific Coast said bonds and maintenance and sevenths of ail the timber. operative charges. Irrigation prohomestead entry of not exceeding badly burned. That is to say, reservation, as well as some of the ating on the Congress of the United tional on entire reclamation in addition to the requirements of the present homestead act. The object of this measure is to extend practical National aid to actual irrigators, rather than the inauguration of a system of Government control.

#### Report on Forest Reserves.

The report of the examination of the "Cascade Range and Ashland Forest Reserves and A djacent Regions," by Mr. J. B. Leiberg, now in press, but not published, is a country. This latter a most impart of the Twenty-first Annual portant feature. Within the pres-Report of the United States Geo. ent range area of Oregon there are logical Survey, and is edited by thousands of places suitable for Mr. Henry Gannett, Geographer, homestead, and any laws enacted The region discussed in this report should be so framed as to stimulate is in southern Oregon. It contains settlement. nearly \$,000 square miles, 4,676, Under my interpretation of this 360 acres, comprising the central live stock measure, I can see no and upper areas of Rogue and course open but to vigorously op-Klamath river basins, and a small pose it as I opposed similar measpart of the water shed of the Upper ures last Congress.-Congressman adopted. South Umpqua River, and is divid- Malcolm A. Moody. ed into two nearly equal portions by the main range of the Cascades. Creek, the water supply of the and testimonials. Address, Mountain range forms a connec- Sold by Druggists, 75c.

and the Cascades

In this region the same general conditions prevail as in the Mount Rainer Reserve. The crest of the tween two widely differing sets of forest conditions. Upon the west, with an ample rainfall, the forests are fairly dense, and the undergrowth luxuriant. Upon the east, tative Tongue will tomorrow intro- where more arid conditions pre- sentative Moody, as a member of impose upon us a duty to make duced a new irrigation measure. vail, the forests are open, with no the Indian committee, has secured trade concessions to the planters It provides for the accumulation of underbrush. The species differ several amendments to the Indian and producers of Cuba which will a reclamation fund from sales of mecharably on the two sides. appropriation bill which will be re- militate materially against the public lands. One half of this fund Those on the west side consist ported Taursday, among them an planters, agriculturists and prois to be at the disposal of the Secre. largely, if not mainly, of red fir, increase of 50 in the number of putary of the Interior for use in ex- whose upon the cast side the for- pils to be accommodated at Chema- a concession is not an obligation aminations and surveys to ascerest is largely of yellow pine. Of wa, making a total of 550, and an resting upon us, either expressly tain the extent to which arid lands the area examined by Mr. Leiberg, increased appropriation of \$8350 for or by implication. Of course, if a may be reclaimed, location of reser- 65 per cent is forested and 35 per the support and education of these voir sites, available amount of cent not forested, the non-forested additional scholars. The bill also water and the gauge flow of rivers. areas lying mainly in the extreme carries \$6000 for improvement to The other half of the fund is to be west and in the eastern part of the sewerage and \$5000 for general replaced at the disposal of the Secre- area examined. The amount of pairs, the total appropriation for tary of Agriculture to conduct investigations of irrigation laws and forested area is estimated by him bill carries the regular appropriainvestigate methods by which as a little less than 20,000 million tions for other Oregon and Washwater may be conserved, distribut- feet, an average per acre of the ington schools, and for agents and ed and used. The measure also forest land of 6,660 feet. Of the superintendents in those states. contains a feature adapting it to total stand of timber upon this The above are the only new features icy enferced in the last Congress of the legislation which various states area, yellow pine comprises 48 per The bill will contain a provision permitting the products of Porto have enacted or may enact relative cent; red fir 33 per cent; white fir that the adult heirs of any deceased Rico to come to the United States to the formation of irrigation dis- 6 per cent; noble fir and sugar Indian to whom a trust or other at 85 per cent reduction of the tricts. It provides that where such pine each 4 per cent; and the re- patent containing restrictions upon rates of duty imposed by the Dingdistricts have been organized and mainder is of other species. West alienation shall be issued for land lev act, and later on entirely free, bonds voted to provide funds for of the Cascade Range, red fir is the allotted to him may sell the land and this all largely in the interests dominant species, affording more and if there be both adult and mi- of the trade and commerce of the than half of the total amount of nor heirs, the minor may join in people of the Atlantic States, as district shall be subject to taxation timber, yellow pine being next such sale. When land has been well as the people of Porto Rico, on like terms as other lands in the with nearly one fourth of the total; allotted to a white person who is a be right, then, upon what principle irrigation district for the purpose east of the Cascades on the other citizen, final patent shall be issued of right or justice or equity must

I am not in favor of any bill which does not anquestionally secure to the small settler the use of a reasonable proportion of the public range, nor which would in any

fourteen plates.

on the west, in long spurs to the incurable. For a great many years involved in some uncertainty. valley of Rouge River, and on the doctors pronounced it a local di- Senator Mitchell addressed the east in steeper declivities to the sease, and prescribed local remedies, Senate in support of his amend-Klamath Lakes and the great and by constantly failing to cure ment to the pending bill to place plains stretching eastward from with local treatment, pronounced it certain articles entering the United them. The mean elevation is 6,000 incurable. Science has proven States from the Philippines on the Americans, Mitchell said : feet. The character of the Cascade catarrh to be a constitutional di- free list; to levy a tariff of 50 per Range is volcanic, the cones and sease, and therefore requires con- cent of the Dingley rates upon arpeaks being of different ages, and stitutional treatment. Halls Catarrh tieles not admitted to the free list, extinct craters abounding among Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney and to eliminate that portion of them, the one containing the fa- & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only section three of the bill which promous Crater Lake. The Ashland constitutional cure on the market. vides that the same to an age tax us as an independent sovereign Forest Reserve consists of Siskiyou It is taken internally in doses from shall be levied on all vessels com-Peak, or Ashland Butte, nearly 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts ing from our insular possessions as 8,000 feet above sea-level, and con- directly on the blood and mucous is levied on vessels coming from tains over 22,000 acres. The ob- surfaces of the system. They offer foreign countries. Mitchell denied town of Ashland. The Siskiyou F. J. Cheney & Ca., props. Toledo, O.

#### WASHINGTON NEWS

New Bill to Be Introduced by range forms a dividing line be- The Week's Work and Doings of the Oregon Delegation.

the usual trust period, and he shall States pay the same rates on Fires have widely ravaged this thereupon be authorized to sell or Philippine products coming into jects in such irrigation district will region. Of the forested area ex- dispose of the land so alloted with- this country that are imposed by be subject to the approval of the amined, in round numbers 3,000,000 out restriction. All alloted land the Dingley set? Why impose one Secretary of the Interior, and when acres, Mr. Lieberg estimates that so alienated shall be subject to rule on our insular possessions in pronounced practicable and con- 2.936,000 acres or 99.99 per cent taxation. Mr. Moody considers the Atlantic Ocean and another on structed, public lands within such are fire marked, and that of this important, as it may make our possessions in the Pacific Ocean? district shall be subject only to a fire-marked area, 587,000 acres are salable some tracts on the Umatilla What occult force, if any, is oper-80 acres, final proof to be condiment clearings not included, 7,000 Harney County, near Burns. He seemingly being conscious of the million feet of merchantable mill expects to have the allottments in act, which seems to compel the timber has been destroyed by fire. Harney County investigated in the Nation's parliment to arrive at This paper is well illustrated by hope that such as were left by de- such absolutely contradictory conceased Indians without heirs may clusions. be opened to settlement.

way restrict the settlement of the the General Covernment in sup- Spaniard and the beneficient and pressing the War of the Rebellien. helpful rule of the American." The amendment was tampered with successfully in the House, so as to permit only the payment of that part of Oregon's claim for interest paid out by the state on money borrowed, which will amount to something like \$100,000. Oregon's claim for supplies actually furnished cannot be settled under the amendment as finally

While no definite argeement has been reached, a vote on the Philip-There is more Catarrh in this pine tariff bill in the Senate seems The eastern and western slopes section of the country than all other to be in sight. It appears likely have many dissimilar character- diseases put together, and until the that the vote may be had next not need protection, the latter istics, the country dropping down, last few years was supposed to be week, although the matter yet is does."

spects as is applied to foreign ting link between the Coast Range Hall's Family Pills are the best. Congress should differentiate in in the carry trade of the world.

favor of the insular possessions. Referring to the proposition to grant trade concessions to Cuba, Mitchell said:

"That we have as a nation given a pledge that stable government shall be established and maintained in Cuba is conceded. This must be done and this is being done, Washington, Feb. 11-Repre- But this pledge does not, I admit, reciprocity arrangement can be made with Cuba which will be to the advantage of our people, or which will not seriously effect adversely any American interest or American labor, and which may be of benefit to Cuban interests, then by all means let us have it." Continuing, Mitchell said:

"I submit further that if the pol-

"We should give the Filipines," he urged, "concessions in trade The State of Oregon is not to get which will instill into their minds the full benefit of the Mitchell a- encouragement, confidence and mendment to the urgent deficiency hope; which will cause them to bill in the matter of its claim realize the wide difference between growing out of assistance rendered the iron and hurtful rule of the

Further slong he said:

"Let Congress strike out boldly against the manufacturing industries which have ripened the gigantic trusts and which have brought and are bringing to their promoters princely individual wealth, but let Congress hesitate to strike down in its infancy an agricultural industry like that of the sugar feet. The sugar trust, the steel trust and certain other formidable combinations that might be mentioned are able to stand alone. The beet sugar industry is not. The former do

Referring to the argument that the United States was bound to accord to all nations the right to deal with the Filipinos on the same basis as that employed by

"An open door in the Orient is all well enough, but if the price of it is to be the surrender of a principle of the right to exercise the very highest prerogatives attaching to power, then that door had better be forever clozed."

He thought our capacity to hold our share of the Oriental trade deject of this reserve is to maintain one hundred dollars for any case it that it was either expedient or pends mainly upon our ability to the volume and purity of Ashland fails to cure. Send for circulars right to apply to our insular posses- control the great transportation sions the same rule in these re- lines. "Our merchant marine," he declared, "munst be lifted from its countries. He maintained that present insignificance as a factor