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WILL LUMBER STAND OR FALL

Lumber, the principal product of Oregon and Washington which is returning 60 cents out of every dollar brought into these states, is in need of strenuous promotion and advertising in the future if it is to hold its own. In the last 20 years lumber consumption per capita has fallen off over 30 per cent while wood substitutes have increased over 200 per cent per capita.

A few years ago the western lumber manufacturers thought if ever the time came when they could dominate the lumber market they would have "the world by the tail with a down hill pull." Due to cutting out in other regions the time has come when the west coast predominates in wood but times have changed and the lumber industry Germany and Russia, and they all fell. is not so good as it was a few years ago due to the increased use of wood substitutes.

The West Coast Lumbermen's association has started on a strenuous campaign to advertise and promote lumber and expects to spend over \$700,-000 this year. It proposes to use the same methods which have brought wood substitutes to the front, several single manufacturers of which are spending over a million dollars a year for such promotion.

The success of the West Coast Lumbermen's venture depends upon the willingness of the small operators, of which there are 50 or 60 in Lane county, to cooperate and become members of the association. The dues for this work is 10 cents per thousand board feet cut. Due to the fact that many of the small mills feel unable to pay this amount and that in the past they have been poor organizers the outcome of the financing the plan is not assured.

But it is of the utmost importance to the lumber manufacturing industry, to business and general prosperity of Oregon and Washington that this promotion plan go forward vigorouslyotherwise the demand for lumber is going to fall off instead of strengthen and the price will continue to be poor.

The future outlook of the lumber industry is almost a public question in these two states. In the next two or three generations, without reforestration, the lumber of this country is going to be all cut off. Our chief resource will be gone and the state will have gotten little profit in return-barely operating expense in many cases. And while the price is so poor for lumber, private enterprise is not going to undertake reforestration.

With proper advertising and wood promotion, inferior products will not be used so extensively in place of lumber, the market will strengthen until lumber can be manufactured at a profit and the industry can be perpetuated in the northwest and always be the leading enterprise. The public lumbermen to organize the industry.

cessful flying home than away from home.

up a pin. It was a diamond stick pin and he sold it for \$1000.

We bet that the Italia crew thinks the fellow sit on a cake of ice."

Laugh and the world laughts with you; weep and your makeup runs.



WAR TALK

A German leader, Dr. Paul Oestreich, declares that America and England will certainly be driven into war. They will both woo Germany then Olive can be your can be outfor an ally, and in this way Germany will rise in best man." the council of nations.

We have had among our own people men who predict that war is certain. They say that human nature cannot be changed and that war is inevitably due to ensue.

Lloyd George says: "In every country it is part of the business of the fighting staff to work out a up with John Thurston, the embodiplan for defense against all conceivable enemies. They gloat over their efficiency and, like every inventor, yearn to put their machine to a test, until possible war soon becomes likely and a ever wears a shirt. likely war gradually glides into the inevitable."

From time immemorial nations and tribes have sought to "protect" themselves by increasing their armements. A considerable portion of the press is urging the United States greatly to increase armament on sea and land in order to navy, and manned by an already 'protect" itself.

There never was a nation that could so protect itself. Greece tried it, and Rome and Spain and

The best protection for a nation is for it to form some kind of combination with other nations which public sentiment will endorse that shall abolish war as a final arbiter.

The most hopeful sign today is that people are Republican national convention by finding out that war not only costs them money using the big auditorium which is to and valuable lives, but destroys property and sets house the political gathering in the back business.

It would be a good thing if every boy and girl closed. in the country were compelled to serve two years under the tutelage of army officers in construct- attended the big church meeting, reing great public works, such as the Boulder Dam turned to Springfield Friday evening and the Mississippi Reclamation projects.

There is no objection to universal conscription if it is universal, and if it is not primarily for the purpose of fighting. These boys and girls would be potential soldiers in case we were ever attacked, but their employment upon constructive work would not be in the nature of a provocation of war to other nations.

Some way or other we must give up our arms and defer questions of international dispute to some other arbiter than class nationalism.

One hopeful sign is that plans of peace are openly discussed in international councils. The late Pan-American Congress was full of peace talk.

And peace talking brings peace, just as war talk brings war. The question after all is one of public opinion and the sooner that public opinion is turned away from causes of war and toward the efforts of peace the better will be our prospects.

Editorial Comment

MUNICIPAL PLANTS SHOULD GO ON TAX ROLL (Corvallis Gazette-Times)

Because the ignorant and the spiteful people of Portland voted down a plan to merge the two power companies of that city and thus reduce the cost of electric energy, Portland may lose a \$6,000,000 industrial plant that wants will watch with much concern the efforts of the to locate there, and which would employ 250 men. The plant may now go to Tacoma because of a cheaper electric current. Tacoma has a municipal plant,-the most advantageously located for cheap current of any plant in the An Australian flew home from the United world either privately or publicly owned. In addition, it Following is the program: States last week. Probably if all these aviators pays no taxes. The P. E. P. company alone pays out in who want to cross the ocean on wing were taken taxes to Portland and the state of Oregon as much money to some other country they would be more suc- in taxes as the entire revenue of the Tacoma plant. One of the much needed laws in this state is one that will place all such property on the tax rolls the same as other One man tells how he got his start by picking property. Nobody should be more interested in this kind of legislation than the farmer. If the municipally owned property of Oregon were on the tax rolls, it would raise state valuations enormously and thereby lower the amount of taxes levied on farm property. All this property, including property that municipalities and counties have was "all wet" who wrote the song "It's nice to takes over for delinquent taxes, should be immediately placed on the tax rolls, not only that it might bear its just burden of the cost of government, but that it might not be forever a burden on other property and other industry which it is now in unfair competition. If to this were added the valuation of the churches and lodges in the state, to say nothing of the several dollars worth of intangibles, the tax rate in Oregon would be materially lowered.

It's a poor fool who works both ways. G. O. P. Convention Highlights By Albert T. Reid ANDREW Albert T.Reid KANSAS CITY - 1928

RED HAIR AND BLUE SEA.

(Continued from Page 3) our protest, because I think I should lways now be a little afraid-alone. But the real reason-" her voice vibrated with feeling-"is that then Olive, who saved me for you, who to realize my own true love; that

And so it was that O-lee-vay, commonly called Olive, who speaks no language known to civilized man, who eats fat pork with his fingers and anoints himself copiously with scented cocoanut oil and turmeric, stood

ment of civilization at its finest. Thurston could not give his best man a stick pin for Olive seldom if

But he could see that the islander got Ponape Burke's swift schooner, the Lupe-a-Noa, trusteed for the brown man's protection by the American mission and the Japanese eager and worshiping crew.

THE END

POLLARDS RETURN FROM BIG CHURCH CONCLAVE

Methodists payed the way for the general conference which has just

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Pollard, who after being gone almost a month.

The 860 delegates at the church meeting and the hundreds of visitors formed a mere handful in the big auditorium, Dr. Pollard reported. The Oregon delegation occupied front row seats near the speakers' platform.

Dr. and Mrs. Pollard were in Kansas City for 14 days. They spent two days visiting Dr. Knotts, a school mate, at Yuma, Arizona, and visited relatives in Los Angeles for six days. The two days they spent in San Francisco were extremely foggy, they reported.

While away Dr. Pollard visited five specialists in regard to his voice which has been troubling him for some time. None of them gave him much encouragement, he said.

EUGENE BAND WILL PLAY AT COUNTY PARK

A program will be played by the Eugene Municipal band in the East Park at Eugene, Friday evening, June 15, as its third concert. The band will play every Friday evening during the summer and their concerts will be worth attending by music lovers. Prof. H. S. McCurley, who has piloted so many high school bands to state recognition, is the new director.

March, "From Tropic to Tropic"

Russell Alexander Overture, "Mazeppa" Franz Mahl Waltz, "Loin du Bal," E. Gillet Overture, "Poet and Peasant"

Fr. v Suppe Characteristic Novelty, "On the E. F. Goldman Valse, "Fascination" Frank H. Grey American Fantasia, "Gems of Stephen Foster" Theo. M. Tobani Overture, "Sky Pilot" A. M. Laurens Star Spangled Banner.

TRAIN SCHEDULE Springfield Stops

The schedule includes three northbound and three southbound trains. The northbound trains are: No. 16 (flag) at 4:27 a. m.; No. 32, 2:30 p. m.; No. 8, 3:56 p. m. Southbound trains are: No. 31, 6:46 a. m.; No. 7 (flag), 2:30 p. m.;

RELIEF FROM CURSE

No. 15, (flag), 9:33 p. m.

OF CONSTIPATION A Battle Creek physicien. says, "Con stipation is responsible for more misery than any other cause."

But immediate relief has been found. A tablet called Rexall Orderlies has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the lazy dry, evacuating bowel called the colon. The water loosens the dry food waste and causes a gentle, thorough, natural movement without forming a habit or ever increasing the dose.

Stop suffering from constipation. Chew a Rexall Orderlie at night. Next day bright. Get 24 for 25c today at the nearest Rexall Drug Store-(Adv.)

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING Notice is hereby given that the un-dersigned Amanda May Pinkstaff, executrix of the will and estate of Mary J. Landrith, deceased, has filed her final report therein and the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, has set Friday July 6th, 1928, at 10 A. M. at the County Court Room in the court house at Eugene for final hear-ing therein and any objection should be filed or presented on or before or at said time.

Dated and first published June 7th, AMANDA MAY PINKSTAFF, Ex-

WHITTEN SWAFFORD, Attorney. J. 7-14-21-28: Jl.5:

MANY MOTORISTS CROSS McKENZIE PASS SUNDAY

Several hundred motorists went who drove to that place. There was the heavy fog. made it possible for me to understand lots of traffic up the highway despite

very thick.

The road, though somewhat rough in spots, is in a generally good shape, it was reported. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maxey drove to the edge of the lava over McKenzie pess last Sunday, it and returned by Belknap Springs, was reported by Springfield people turning around there on account of

the fog. Although there was rain in Girl Injures Finger - The small this vicinity there was no precipita- daughter of Mrs. Harry Shanan was tion from Lost Creek ranch to Blue treated Sunday after she had mashed







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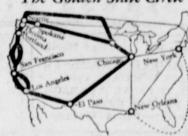
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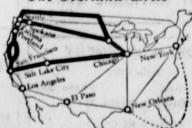
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