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NEW FOREST POLICY

The people residing in this section with its immense forests primeval, can not realize there is a shortage of timber all over the country that is causing grave concern as to the supply for the needs of the nation. But such is the case, and measures looking to the conservation of the present limited supply, and if possible to provide for its increase, is engaging the ablest minds of the nation, including President Roosevelt.

In Washington last week, in line with the policy for increasing the supply, or for curtailment of the use of timber, C. W. Nibley of Salt Lake submitted a proposition before the ways and means committee which has attracted general attention from lumbermen and the promoters of President Roosevelt's conservation movement. He told the committee that his plan of reforestation was to have the government buy all privately owned lands from which timber had been or would be cut and apply scientific methods such as have reforested such lands in foreign countries. He suggested passing a law permitting the government to condemn such cut over-lands, which he asserted, now sell to sheepmen for \$2.50 an acre, to lease the land at 5 cents an acre to pay interest on the bonds issued to buy the lands, plus enough to provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity, which would meet actual conditions now existent, sheepmen paying 5 to 10 cents an acre for grazing privileges.

Nibley also argued that the removal of duty on lumber would compel the coast lumbermen to ship only the finer portions of trees, leaving the part which would make cheaper grades of lumber to rot on the ground or burn. He alleged that if the duty were removed 40 percent would thus remain unutilized, which would, he said, cause more rapid destruction of timber than if the duty were retained and the tree cut and shipped.

He endorsed Roosevelt's conservation policy and said he wanted the forest service to work out a successful scheme to save the timber of the nation.

It is shown, in this discussion, that not only are the soft woods, pine, spruce, tamarack and the like becoming scarcer each year, but the supply of hard woods has become so limited that with the most restricted use a supply of new wood will last only 16 years. Even the old walnut fence rails have been gathered up in the east and utilized. Little or nothing has been done to provide for a future supply. And if a general move was made now to replace the trees ruthlessly destroyed in the past it would take years to bring them to maturity, and then the supply necessarily would be limited.

The only wood that seems to be able to take the place of our hard wood is the Eucalyptus. That is a native of Australia but is a prolific and rapid grower in some parts of California. It is not adapted to regions of high altitude, nor to sections where the cold is in any way severe.

In view of these facts the future as to the timber supply is decidedly of a somber hue. Our once magnificent forests were depleted in half a century, much of it wantonly, in order to secure profit from the best. Cement and iron have and may take its place to some extent, but iron too is getting scarce with no new known deposits, unless the Canadian wilds of Labrador and the Northwest territories prove to contain beds of ore.

Obviously the unfeeling spirit of commercialism of this age and of this country is handing down a sad legacy for future generations to solve.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

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YOUR WIFE.

A close relative of the writer of this article is in a moment of intimacy and confided the fact that he was more or less disappointed in his wife.

This recently married husband said:

"She is vivacious and good tempered and all that, but she is, I think, a little frivolous for a married woman. She is also somewhat extravagant and impractical in her housekeeping."

Well, I said, "Did you marry her because you thought her practical and economical, a good housekeeper and a financial manager?"

After a pause he replied:

"No, not exactly. I was fascinated with her ways and good looks. I did not think much about the practical qualities. Really I liked her because she was intelligent and impulsive."

And then you are?

The boy had married the girl because she was pretty and whimsical and slightly irresponsible, and now he was finding fault with her because she was not practical, a good cook and housekeeper.

He seemed to think it is not so uncommon in bridegrooms—that a few words uttered by a mildest word would miraculously change her entire nature. Nodding made him marry her.

Indeed, there was opposition by her family.

The girl did not pretend to be a complete cook or a capable housekeeper.

In short, the boy got just what he was mired just what he wanted, and now, having accomplished his heart's desire was finding fault with his bargain.

It is possible there are others.

Young husband—or old, for that matter—will it ever occur to you that possibly you are asking or expecting from your wife more than you ought? Are you demanding more from her than in reason you should receive?

Now, it is quite possible should you cease to expect too much and quit finding fault with your wife and give her an honest chance to do what you want her to do and become what you want her to be—if you would give her the "square deal"—she might come more closely to your expectations.

Most women have good hearts and are quick to respond to encouragement and fair treatment.

Do not expect too much of your wife. Give her a chance. She will meet you halfway or more. But if not don't whine.

Keep still and take your medicine.

A Sure Tip on Seven Small Ifs and a Big Cinch.



MOSIE BAKER, LAKE.

If you're a Merchant you favor Home Trade. If you favor Home Trade you'll fight for it. If you Fight For It Right you'll get it. If you get it you'll be Helping Yourself. If you help yourself you'll hurt the Mail Order Trade. If you hurt the Mail Order Trade you'll be wise. If you are wise You Will Advertise. If You Will Advertise in your Home Paper you'll get Home Trade. No "IF" about this last one—it's a CINCH.

Medicine That is Medicine
"I have suffered a good deal with malaria and stomach complaints, but I have now found a remedy that keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters—a medicine that is medicine for stomach and liver troubles, and for run down conditions," says W. C. Kiesler of Halliday, Ark. Electric Bitters purify and enrich the blood, tone up the nerves, and impart vigor and energy to the weak. Your money will be refunded if it fails to help you. 50c at Thornton's drug store.

ASHLAND Commercial COLLEGE

Ashland, Oregon

Something Special

Business and Shorthand Training, Thorough and Practical. Six Months Scholarship, \$45; 9 Months \$60. Note the Special

All students who secure a nine-months' scholarship and enter September 7, will be entitled to a one-half reduction in tuition fees, including books and stationery, \$65. This gives you an extra month. Investigate and come. Address P. RITNER, Pres.

COUNTY NEWS

Silver Lake

From the Leader

Assistant Forest Supervisor, Gilbert D. Brown, left Monday for Lakeview. His many friends hope that business will again call him this way soon.

Our mail is growing larger each day. We are receiving letters from all over the country asking for sample copies as well as subscriptions to the Leader, all of whom want to know more of Grand Northern Lake county and her vast possibilities. They all say they are coming in the spring and many neighbors with them. Come all, for a cordial welcome awaits you.

Quite a number of new homestead entries have been made lately. Still they come, and still we have oceans of good land for more new comers who want to take up homesteads.

A few days ago we received a new subscription from Spokane, and the writer asked us whether the forest fires last summer had done much damage in the timber near Silver Lake, as several of the writers reside in that city have claims in this vicinity, and were anxious to know. We will say for their benefit as well as all others, that no forest fire occurred of any consequence in the timber in this vicinity of Silver Lake and no damage was done.

The Nevada, California and Oregon Railroad, that has its starting point at Reno, is now finished to Alturas, and on last Thursday the first train pulled into that city. Twenty-seven years ago the company began this road, and now it has only got as far as Alturas. From time to time we have heard rumors that they intend to extend it to Lakeview, but if they get no bigger bustle on themselves in the future than they have in the past, some of our grandchildren now, will have grandchildren of their own when the tool of the iron horse of that company is heard in Lake county's borders.

The two Jims, Waveneck and Newmam, proprietors of the Hough hotel, have changed the name of the house to the St. James hotel.

A tailor out of work, and a daughter who had failed of employment as a saleslady in a New York store induced both to suicide. In the richest country per capita in the world, such cases, altogether too numerous, show something wrong with our body politic.

A Dangerous Operation

is the removal of the appendix by a surgeon. No one who takes Dr. King's New Lite Pills is ever subjected to this frightful ordeal. They work so quietly you don't feel them. They cure constipation, headache, biliousness and malaria. 25c at Thornton's drug store.

Timber Land Notice

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, November 25, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that William N. Bishop, of Lakeview, Oregon, who Nov. 16, 1908, made Timber and Stone Application, No. 0833, for S half NE quarter, NE quarter, SE quarter, Section 13, Township 37 S., Range 20 E., Will, Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at Lakeview, Oregon, on the 16th day of Feb. 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: W. H. Mendell, C. L. Barnum, A. H. Barnum, C. A. Rehart, all of Lakeview, Oregon. D3F5 J. N. Watson, Register.

Timber Land Notice

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, November 25, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that ZADA M. STUDLEY, of Lakeview, Oregon, who, on Nov. 9, 1908, made Timber and Stone Application, No. 0796, for N half SW quarter, W half, SE quarter section 20, Township 38 S., Range 21 E., Will, Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at Lakeview, Oregon, on the 9th day of Feb. 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Geo. H. Lynch, Thomas Studley, F. L. Ross, G. W. Hardisty, all of Lakeview, Oregon. D3F5 J. N. Watson, Register.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, November 25, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that IVA B. COX, of Klamath Falls, Oregon, who on Nov. 7, 1908, made Timber and Stone Application, No. 0791, for S half SW quarter, section 14, Township 38 S., Range 18 E., Will, Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the lands above described, before County Clerk Klamath Co., at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 9th day of Feb. 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Geo. H. Lynch, Thomas Studley, F. L. Ross, G. W. Hardisty, all of Lakeview, Oregon. D3F5 J. N. Watson, Register.

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