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Tongue Replies to Cushman.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—In a 30-minute speech today Representative Tongue assailed the remarks of Representative Cushman on the river and harbor bill, and made a strong defense of the appropriation made for the mouth of the Columbia River. He pointed out that the improvement of that river was as much in the interest of Washington as of Oregon, and that it should command the support, rather than the antagonism of the Washington delegation. He showed how the wheatgrowers of Eastern Washington are dependent largely upon the Columbia for getting their grain to market. He made the assertion that the speech of Cushman had done more to injure the chances of getting through the large appropriation for the mouth of the Columbia than anything that could have been said, and, furthermore, his speech had prevented what little possibility there was for getting recognition of a new project at The Dalles. The combined efforts of the Oregon, Washington and Idaho delegations, he admitted, will be necessary to get an appropriation for a new project, and now double efforts will be required. He pointed out that Senator Foster and Representative Jones were both willing to assist these two projects. Mr. Tongue resented the assertion that Washington had been discriminated against, and pointed out that there were many continuing contract projects in that state for which provision is made in the sundry civil bill, while Oregon has not one. He moreover asserted that as the "Seattle ditch" has \$170,000 unexpended after five years or more, it was not deemed expedient at this time to increase that amount. Mr. Tongue had no opportunity of addressing the House Saturday.

In closing debate on the river and harbor bill to day, Chairman Burton, after denouncing the speech of Representative Cushman, said that as far as the Columbia River was concerned, the appropriation for its mouth should be credited equally to Oregon and Washington, and that this improvement disregarded, Washington gets more money than Oregon in the present bill.

Referring to Cushman's assertion that were Caesar alive to day, instead of dividing Gaul into three parts he would divide "gall" into enough fragments to give one to each member of the river and harbor committee, Tongue said that were Caesar alive to day he would not have divided gall at all; he would have left it in the original package in its pristine integrity, and have proclaimed to the world that the gentleman from Washington was not only the "real thing," but the "whole thing."

Cushman moved to increase the appropriation for Tacoma harbor from \$30,000 to \$100,000. The motion was lost.

Cohn & Co.'s Sale Items.

Arbuckle and Lion Coffee reduced to 12½ cents a package.
Mackintoshes at cost during this sale. Ten per cent off on dress goods.
A lot of dress remnants at most any price.
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Just a few suits of woolen underwear to close out at \$1.00 a suit.
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NEHALEM.

The southerly rains have melted the snow, making quite high waters in the streams.

The tug Geo. R. Vosburg, with a barge in tow, came in on Wednesday, the 9th inst. She brought supplies for the mill and for our merchants. She has taken on L. Solomon's salmon and is now loading lumber for San Francisco.

Several of our boys are going to Frisco on the barge, under Christ Frauston as captain.

N. Drostoff returned on the tugboat from a visit to California's metropolis.

Mr. Vosburg, sr., had the misfortune to fall from the dock at his mill on Monday night, whereby he sustained injuries necessitating the attendance of a doctor.

D. H. Vedder is having quite a siege with his bad leg, although it appears now to have taken a turn for the better.

Miss Ida High commenced school in district 38, on Monday, and is boarding with Miss Von Ehrinkrosk.

Saturday's storm prevented an attendance at the school meeting called in district 28. Another meeting has been called for Wednesday, the 23rd inst., at 2 p.m.

The Nehalem and Hobsonville mail will be carried on Monday's in future, instead of Sunday's, which will be more convenient for the carrier.

Messrs. Hoskins, sr. and jr., are out fixing up the telephone line, which is badly down, as a result of the recent storm.

It is a pity that those who are petitioning for a division of the county could not have confined themselves to facts; and their not having done so should certainly militate against them.

In the matter of roads and money spent for the benefit of the north and south end of the county, the south has had much more than her share, although the north has not kicked, but are patiently awaiting their turn.

LITTLE NESTUCCA.

John Redburg and Mr. Porter made a trip to the metropolis this week.

D. R. S. Daly was seen in our vicinity a few days ago.

C. Christensen and Messrs. Upton and Carlton are expected from Portland soon, where Mr. Christensen has been for about a month.

Mc. Shaffer, from Eastern Oregon, is in this vicinity on business. He is an old resident of this place and his friends are glad to see him again.

Hugh Gardner, accompanied by Miss Blanche Hellenbrand, spent new year's on Salmon river visiting friends.

There will be a dance at Mineral Park hall on the 18th.

Jacob Butcher and Fred Christensen are making a trip to the valley and expect to go as far as Portland.

ELAINE.

M. C. Cady had a 14lbs. girl come to his house during the snow.

Mr. Gladwill, living on the Mowers place, undertook to cross the river last Saturday to get his mail, and when he arrived on the opposite side his boat became unmanageable and dashed against a log and went to pieces. Gladwill had to wade out and the wreck went down the river.

The young man who was trying to get away with some honey in a milk house was caught chewing away at 200lbs. of bee bread but got very little honey.

We are pleased to see Ralph Bunday on the street again.

Joe Hollet returned last week from the county mill.

George Smith has gone to the valley.

Dee Moon went out to Sheridan last week, but had to leave his horse on the trail.

Rev. Harvey Frazer, of Sheridan, came in to hold protracted meetings, provided he can get the school house.

John Moon has moved on the Houten place.

John Creecy has moved on his ranch. Blaine against the world for bachelors, and anyone dealing in old maids would do well to send a car load to Blaine.

Seth Moon was visiting Mr. Sturgeon last Sunday, and when he undertook to return home by the trail he got lost.

Better take a boy along next time Seth.

Report came in just as we were about finished writing that John Moon little dog Trip died during the snow storm. John, you have our sympathy, but somehow we cannot shed a tear, for the canine was just common dog, that was all.

Ab. Grist is having the chills the last two weeks.

HEBO.

The highest water of the season this week.

Several wild cats were found after the storm.

Our literary is a place of instruction and amusement for young and old alike, with a large crowd in attendance every night.

We fail to see where the people would better themselves by being annexed to Yamhill county, as the interests of the east and west side of the coast range are in a great measure foreign to each other. If annexed this part will be a P.S. to Yamhill, so to speak.

The songs of Jim Hudspeth and Chris. Reisser last Friday night brought forth rounds of applause.

COULSONBURG.

The snow has disappeared and the majority of the citizens are not sorry.

Grandpa and Grandma Dollarhide are guests at N. Coulson's.

Monk Woods and wife are visiting at Norman Dyes.

Miss Dora Donaldson was out here visiting friends and relatives last week.

E. T. Coulson and family made good use of the snow last week and took a sled ride to Blaine.

There is considerable high water at present owing to the recent hard rain taking the snow off the mountains.

Will not be Undersold!

When you want meat go to Leach & Jones' Meat Market, for they will allow no other meat market to undersell them. Below will be found our prices until further notice:

Porterhouse Steak	8c.
Sirloin	7c.
Beef, roast	6c.
Boiling Beef	5c.
Pork	7c.

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New Electric Light Schedule.

On and after the 1st of January, 1901, the schedule for electric lights will be as follows:

FIRST BASE.	
1 light, 16 candle power, per month,	\$1.00
2 "	1.50
3 "	2.00
4 "	2.40
5 "	2.80

SECOND BASE.

1st 100 candle power	3 cents.
2nd 100 candle power	2½ cents.
3rd 100 candle power	2½ cents.
4th 100 candle power	2½ cents.
All over 400 candle power	2 cents.

For installing electric lights the charge will be \$1 for 16 candle and \$1.25 for 32 candle.

No discount will be allowed on these rates.

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The largest hop yards in the world are in California, along the Sacramento, Russian and Feather rivers, and the biggest hopfield on earth is at Pleasanton, in Alameda county, where, according to an exchange, there are 368 acres, with more than 445 vines, under one wire.

Copies of general orders from the Philippines received show that a large number of native Filipinos have been convicted of murder and other crimes and sentenced to be hanged or to long terms of imprisonment. In one case the accused belonged to an organized mob, which under the name of Guardia de Honor had for its declared intention the murder of peaceful and inoffending victims, if found necessary to gratify either a desire for revenge or a feeling of envy against the rich. "There inhuman methods" says General MacArthur, "remove all the participants, whether chief or willing followed of the bands, from the pale of the law and place them among the class of cowardly and secret assassins which all civilized men the world over hold to be enemies of mankind."

Out of the Ordinary.

Mr. Richard Barrington has just made known the result of his eighteen years' observation at forty-two Irish night-houses concerning the habits of sea birds. It is a curious fact that none of outward-bound birds strike the light-house lantern, the suggested reason being that they leave at daylight.

One of the recent inventions tried on the British soldiers in South Africa is called "solid beer." It is a jelly made from malt and hops, from which beer can be made anywhere fermented. It is said to make excellent beer and to work equally well in hot and cold climates, the process being very simple, and the military authorities have reported favorably upon it.

There is in Paris a hotel which has 4,000 employes. The smallest kettle in its kitchen will hold 100 quarts and the largest 500. Each of fifty roasted pans is big enough for 300 cutlets. Every dish for baking potatoes will hold 225 pounds. When omelets are on the bill of fare 7,800 eggs are used at once. For cooking alone sixty cooks and 100 assistants are always at the ranges.

In the counties of middle and northern Pennsylvania, where the lands have been practically denuded of their original forest growths, there has been such a failure of the ordinary water supply as to bring on conditions of absolute distress. The wells and streams have dried up and the crops have failed. The grass in the pastures and meadows is so dead as to necessitate reseeding.

This winter, for the first time in the history of Dakota, state or territory, the Sioux Indians at Rosebud are allowing cattlemen to graze herds on the reservation on payment of a stipulated price. Feed is unprecedentedly scarce on some parts of the Cheyenne river and other portions of the ceded lands, and hence the arrangement referred to, which has been approved in Washington. It is believed that 25,000 head of cattle are now grazing on Indian lands.

"It has been estimated," says a man quoted by the Philadelphia Record, "that there are about 350,000,000 hens in the United States. During the year 1900, although the year is not quite ended, they will have produced approximately 14,000,000,000 eggs, which represent in the neighborhood of \$175,000,000. That seems a lot of money, but just wait a minute." He figured on a slip of paper with a pencil. "The living value of hens at 30 cents apiece," he continued, "is not far from \$100,000,000, besides which about \$130,000,000 worth of poultry is eaten in this country in the course of a year. So you see the hen, while a humble bird, cuts quite a figure in the financial world."

The Chinese Peace Commissioners have received orders from the court to sign the joint note of the powers.

The police have arrested Prince Victor Nakadchives, a Russian, on the charge of plotting to take the life of the Czar, on the latter's approaching visit at Nice. Prince Nakadchives, who is a nihilist, was condemned to death in Russia as an accomplice in the conspiracy of 1886 against the life of Alexander III, grandfather of the present Czar. He was also convicted in Paris of being illegally in the possession of explosive machines.

Lord Kitchener has reported to the War Office as follows: "Three agents of the Peace Commissioners were taken as prisoners to Dewet's laager, near Lindley, January 10. One, who was a British subject, was flogged and then shot. The other two burghers were flogged by Dewet's orders."

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This and That.

Kansas has 500 creameries, skimming stations and cheese factories.

A fool forms an alliance with the straws driven by the wind; a wise man forms an alliance with the wind.

Kaffir corn is grown in every county in Kansas, Secretary Coburn reporting 582,895 acres in 1899 for that state.

When a girl tells a young man all the things she loves him for, he realizes that he doesn't possess a single one of them.

If the poor people did but know how little some millionaires enjoy their wealth, there would be less envy in the world.

If you are curious to know why Eve ate the apple, just pause and analyze your feelings when you see a keep-off-the-grass sign.

The quality of California vintage this year is reported to fully equal that of the famous 1893, while the quality is about 15,000,000 dry and 7,000,000 sweet wines.

Score one more for cow peas. At the Missouri Experiment station rabbits did not gnaw fruit trees when cow peas vines

were at hand. In orchards where no peas were grown the trees suffered.

Rural free delivery of the mail brings good things along with it. A scheme for numbering farm houses is proposed, so that a map of the country will be as comprehensive as a map of the town.

The veterinary inspection of stallions at the leading horse show in England is improving English horse breeding by weeding out the unsound stallions from breeding, and the owner of a horse with a veterinary certificate thinks more of it than of the prize, for then he knows his worth more as a breeder, and he puts his price higher and such stallions sell best.

The government of Spain has decided to construct reservoirs and irrigation canals for enlarging the agricultural area. It is estimated that the valley of the Ebro river, for example, may be so flooded as to allow the reclamation of 236,000 acres. It is found that the irrigated lands in the valley of the Ebro and Tago yield twelve times as much fruit as the dry lands. There is sufficient available water in Spain to reclaim an immense domain.

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