

Sugar Imports.

During 1901 the United States imported \$90,000,000 worth of sugar. Over a quarter of this sugar was contributed by Cuba, from which island imports having a value of \$26,000,000 were received. Next to Cuba the Dutch East Indies were the principal source of supply, furnishing \$17,000,000 worth. From Germany, which contributes the principal part of the beet sugar, shipped to the United States, there were imports valued at \$16,300,000. Brazil supplied unusually large consignments of sugar in 1901, the value amounting to \$5,348,000. Our imports from the British West Indies for that year were valued at \$5,059,000. British Guiana sent shipments worth \$4,803,000. From Austria-Hungary, which is another important beet sugar country, we purchased \$3,737,000 worth.

The only other countries that supplied imports valued above \$1,000,000 were Santo Domingo, Peru, Belgium and Egypt. The shipments received from Santo Domingo were worth \$2,959,000, and those from Peru \$2,802,000. From Belgium sugar was imported to the value of \$1,725,000 and from Egypt to the value of \$1,654,000.

The Alleged Timber Frauds.

Mr. A. Holman, staff reporter of the Oregonian, who visited Tillamook a few weeks since, being a guest of Mr. Thayer while he was in this city, in writing upon the alleged timber frauds in Eastern Oregon and Tillamook, had this to say in the Oregonian:

"In all this land-grab agitation it is wise to bear in mind the general and substantial rather than the technical interests involved, for under the reverent technical view some of the very best people of this and of every other new state might be adjudged wrong-doers. At Tillamook some two weeks ago I came upon an interesting case illustrating this point, and the facts are worth recital by way of illustration. Some time back it came to the knowledge of the local community at Tillamook that a great corporation, through its possession of a large amount of land script, was taken steps to file upon a fine area of forest land in the Coast Range Mountains. There was a natural and general desire to forestall the corporation filing by individual entry under the land laws, and while there were many persons in the community whose rights had not been exhausted, there were few who had the ready money required—some four hundred and odd dollars—to make the trip out to the land office at Oregon City, to pay the filing and final payment charges. Persons who had lived in the country for years, and whose hardihood and energy had in large measure contributed to its subjugation and civilization, found themselves wholly unable to avail themselves of a personal right under the land laws which might have been to each the foundation of a small fortune.

In this situation several persons having ready money at command came to the support of their impetuous townsmen and advanced them sums which enabled a score or more to make their filings, the transaction resting, of course, upon good faith and mutual confidence among townsmen and neighbors. Viewed strictly and severely, with a wish to discover technical wrong and with indifference to practical and substantial right, this transaction is subject to criticism, for in making his filing each entryman made oath that he was taking the land for his own exclusive benefit, whereas his real intent was to share profits with his financial backer.

"On the basis of this proceeding a great hue and cry has been raised and several claims have been 'held up.' Nobody has paused to consider that no, where in this proceeding has anybody been harmed; that the Government has received its full due; that the bona fide settlers and occupiers of the country rather than a foreign corporation have acquired the lands; that the practical question relates not to a point of technical law, but to broader motives of right and justice."

Spectacles Found.

A pair of spectacles in case, thick glass, are at the Headlight office.

Bargains.

Ten per cent discount, or \$1.00 worth of goods for 90 cents. Calico 5 cents per yard and other things in proportion at the Racket Store. Terms cash.

Shot Through The Neck.

WOODBURN, Or., Sept. 21.—G. U. McGuire, a dealer in confectionery in this city, shot his brother-in-law, Fred C. Prevost, a grocerman, of the firm of Prevost Bros., at five o'clock this afternoon. Prevost was shot in the neck, narrowly escaping with his life. The assault was the result of domestic troubles, in which McGuire's wife and mother-in-law figure prominently, and occurred during a quarrel between the principals. At the time the shot was fired by McGuire he held in his arms his infant child, and Prevost struck or attempted to strike him. McGuire insists that the shot was fired in defense of his child and himself, and was unavoidable. He was at once placed under arrest on a warrant issued by Justice H. Overton charging assault with intent to kill. Prevost is resting easy and unless blood-poisoning shall set in will doubtless recover.

SOUTH PRAIRIE.

The night's rain of last week was appreciated by everyone, causing the dust to be laid and the smoke to disappear.

Melyin Lamb made the overland trip to Eugene on his bicycle last week, where he expects to enter college.

Mr. Goyné moved everything out of his house while it was in danger from forest fires.

Mr. Quick is now hauling milk to McIntosh & Co's. factory.

John Maroll has returned home, after spending several months in the east.

Mrs. Marion Lamb and son Ernest left on the stage for Eugene last week to spend the winter.

Alvin Johnson and wife left for the valley to bring in a load of oats.

Ed Moran and family spent a couple of days at the beach last week.

T. H. Goyné of Tillamook has been doing some surveying in the neighborhood.

NEHALEM.

Miss Mary Schollmeyer has closed a term of school in the South Fork district and expects to go to Hebo in a short time to teach at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dean and son Alfred are visiting relatives and friends on the river.

Wm. Stinbauer is in on a visit from Oregon City.

Rev. W. J. Roehner made a wheel trip to Roseburg and returned last week.

Fred Robitch returned from a trip to Astoria Saturday.

Theodore Kingsley went to Tillamook Sunday.

Robert Crawford is buying cattle for the Astoria market.

Miss Gladys Newell was a passenger out on the Harrison Monday on her way to Eugene.

Mrs. John Larsen and daughter, Marlene, came home from Seaside Sunday, where they have spent the summer with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Clark.

E. K. Scovell has his new house inclosed. Alex Anderson is doing the carpenter work.

Fish are running slack at present.

Mrs. C. C. Clark of Seaside is spending a few days on the river.

Miss May Grimes, of Seaside, is visiting Miss Helena Sandburg.

BOULDER CREEK.

Mrs. Myra Hughey of Fairview was in our neighborhood one day last week.

Mrs. Emily Johnson, who has been dangerously ill with pneumonia, is reported to be some better at present.

Fred Nicklaus has been staying at H. L. Jensen's and working on the road.

C. V. Getchell left Sunday morning for his home at Hebo.

H. A. Chopard came in from Hadley's camp Friday and went back Sunday.

We are informed that Mr. Ayers lost his hay during last week's conflagration.

H. L. Jensen has been teaming between this place and the Valley the past week.

Will Thun was seen in our burg last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wert Sappington and Miss Mary Jensen came up from Hebo Sunday to visit at H. L. Jensen's home.

M. T. Soars has come back from the camp and was at work burning his slashing last week.

Blasts From Ram's Horn.

A bright preacher does not always make a shining church.

The money-seeking church is not concerned with man-saving.

The worship of material success is likely to work the spiritual failure of America.

You may try to do many a day's work, but you can only do one day's work at a time.

God did not design the church to be a mere lying-in hospital, but a recruiting office for God's soldiers.

The Great Physician never lacks patience and he knows that the bitterest medicine often cures the quickest.

True education looks to the strengthening of the hull of the ship rather than to the guiding of the flag-reed.

When we get so selfish that we want the earth we are not likely to give much thought to the world to come.

Man cannot do without a creed! He must have a backbone, but this is only a part of him. If he is all backbone, we should call him a post, with no backbone, a jelly fish.

President to be Operated Upon.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 23rd, 3 p.m.—As a result of the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass., the President received several bruises. One of these on the left leg, between the knee and the ankle, has developed into a small abscess. The President is entirely well otherwise, and has continued to meet the engagements of his itinerary, but in view of the continuance of the abscess, Drs. Collier and Cook, of Indianapolis, were requested to meet Dr. Lang, the President's physician, at Indianapolis; Dr. Richardson, of Washington, D. C., being also one of the number. In the opinion of the doctors the trouble necessitates an operation, which they think should be performed at once at St. Vincent's Hospital, in this city. After the operation the President will require complete rest, probably for 10 days or two weeks. It has been necessary to cancel all the remaining engagements of his trip, and he will go directly from Indianapolis to Washington this evening.

"The physicians say that the case is not in any way serious and there is no danger whatever. This statement is made that no false rumors may disturb the people, and that they may be authoritatively advised of the exact nature of the case."

GEORGE B. CORTELYOU,
Secretary to the President."

Martinique Not Starving.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The Quebec Steamship Company's steamer Koranna has arrived from the West Indies. Among her passengers was Captain Walter McKay, agent of the steamship company in the West Indies. Captain McKay said:

"I was at Fort de France, August 30, the day of the most recent eruption of Mont Pelee. The explosion was terrific, and the rumblings and detonations were continuous for a long time. This explosion, it is expected, caused the death of 2000 people and covered an extent of territory 10 times greater than did the eruption in May last."

"Martinique, in the northern part, is greatly devastated, but the south is in full blossom and is thriving. We are shipping more freight now than before the eruption. It is a mistake to say the people are starving and are crowding the fertile parts of the island. The fact is, considering that so many have been victims of the eruptions, the fugitives are comparatively few in number. There is no need of food supplies."

The German Socialist Congress which opened at Munich, September 15, adopted resolutions providing for the inauguration of meetings throughout Germany to protest against the price of meat, and to authorize the Deputies to interpellate the government regarding the scarcity of meat and the boycott against foreign meat.

The society for the protection of the interests of the German chemical industry, in session at Frankfurt, has unanimously passed a resolution against the prohibition of the use of boric acid for the preservation of meats, and has appealed to the Bundesrath to reverse its decision in this connection in view of the present scarcity and dearth of meat.

At New York a peculiar damage suit has been brought against a street railway company by Simon Zurtz, who seeks to recover \$10,000 because of a fall which compelled him to shave off his beard. Zurtz is a tenor singer in a synagogue. Since losing his beard he declares he cannot longer follow his profession. The rules of the church forbid it.

The business of this year's State Fair has been closed up sufficiently to show that the Fair came out \$3000 ahead. Of this sum \$2300 was put into permanent improvements, leaving \$700 cash on hand. This was the greatest Fair the state has ever had. It drew the largest crowds and closed with the largest amount of profits.

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At Butte, Mont., the wife and child of Chin Quon, the wealthiest Chinaman in the Northwest, were kidnaped from his home in the Chinese quarter. Two men and a woman drove up to the house and were seen to enter. Later they emerged with the woman and child, who seemed to be gagged. Neighbors tried to interfere, but the kidnapers drew revolvers and drove them off, threatening the crowd. The police were unable to find any trace and drove off. Next morning Quon found a note under his door, saying that he could recover the two by leaving \$2000 in a cayan on back of the mountains. The Sheriff has started in the trail of the kidnapers.

The English government has decided that the new South Africa colonies are to be required to pay \$500,000 toward the cost of the South African War. The colonies are, however, to be allowed ample time in which to make this payment. It will not be collected until the extension of trade and expansion of revenue permit. Consequently the loan will not be floated for two or three years. Mining profits will probably be taxed 10 per cent more than they were before the war, and money will also be obtained by granting all kinds of concessions and mineral rights.

Sir Robert Anderson, who was at the head of the criminal investigation department of the Metropolitan police force in London for a long period, has written an article, affirming his conclusion that a radical change in dealing with professional criminals is necessary. He favors a registration of this dangerous class and would render it compulsory for judges to commit them to hard labor whenever proof is shown by the police that they are professional criminals, preying upon the community. He believes the constant conviction and sentencing of habitual criminals for short terms of imprisonment to be a waste of punitive energy when they could be branded for what they are and kept under restraint, like lunatics, at the pleasure and discretion of the crown.

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PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Hard Luck.—"That is tough luck; I go into bankruptcy yesterday, and this morning my cashier absconds with my money."—Fliegende Blaetter.

And the Piano Was Silent.—He—"Ah but I can't play with both hands! She—"Then I'll play with one hand and you can play with the other."—Harvard Lampoon.

Man's Manifest Duty.—He—"It is a woman's duty to be beautiful if she can." She—"And it is a man's duty to make her think she is whether she is or not."—Stray Stories.

He—"I gave Jones a bit of advice. I told him that before he married his girl he should look her mother over." She—"Well, what happened?" He—"Jones married the mother."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

"It is a wise old saying," observed the humorous and thrifty farmer, as he pocketed a roll, "that money makes the mare go." Then he hitched up the old mare and gave the automobile a tow into town.—Town Topics.

The Trial Trip.—"The airship inventor is elated that his craft should have come down so gracefully." "Yes, he reminds me of some of these noblemen." "How is that?" "Proud of his descent."—Chicago Daily News.

It Disguised Her.—"She's abusing the photographer fearfully. She says nobody recognizes her in the picture." "That comes of his insisting on her shutting her mouth when he took it."—Philadelphia North American.

Briggs—"Funny about Harry. He was saying only a few weeks ago he wouldn't have Maude if there wasn't another woman in the world, and now their cards are out." Griggs—"That's all right. There is another woman in the world."—Boston Transcript.

FUTURE OF FLYING MACHINE.

It is Not Likely That the Cheerful Dreams of Enthusiasts Will Ever Be Realized.

Edison agrees with Hiram Maxim and Prof. Langley, of the Smithsonian Institution, that the really successful navigation of the air will come with the building of flying machines which depend on their power for buoyancy, not on gas reservoirs of any kind. Santos-Dumont is so far in accord with these eminent students of the problem he has tried so well to solve, that he has been reducing the size of his gas balloons as his airships have succeeded one another and placed more and more reliance on the motors he uses for speed and steering.

It says little against the possibilities of aerial navigation, observes the Cleveland Leader, that one very promising experimenter in the same field where Santos-Dumont has won renown has just been dashed to pieces by the bursting of his airship while several hundred feet above the streets of Paris. Such deadly accidents are likely in the early stages of any successful device for locomotion on land or sea, as well as in the air. It is to be expected that a great discovery will always be paid for in blood. That seems to be the law of life.

But the point in regard to flying machines which appears to constitute an insurmountable barrier to their lasting success is that they differ totally from any other machine or appliance which man has used in practical travel, as to their destruction if forced to stop while in the element they are designed for. The ideal flying machine would resemble a ship, of great speed and power, which could not be kept off the bottom of the sea when it stopped moving.

But how many persons would ever ride on a boat which must sink if it ceased to make headway? If it meant destruction for the engines of a steamship to stop, would steam have made the least impression in peaceful travel and in the transportation of freight, upon the sailing vessels with which steamers compete? In war or for sport ventures might have been made with steam craft, but in the course of normal traffic nothing would have been done with any type of vessel sure to sink if its machinery stopped.

That is a very good reason for believing that the dreams of wholesale navigation of the air by flying machines, which have been cherished in many lands for more than a century, will always remain fancies rather than solid facts.

To Find the North Pole. An expedition is being planned in Norway for the discovery of the north magnetic pole, if indeed such a spot exists, for it has been suggested that what is called the magnetic pole may not be a definite point, but a considerable area over which the field would stand vertically. There is also a question as to the absolute fixity in position of the magnetic pole. Capt. R. Amundsen is to command the expedition, and the ship Gjoa has been purchased for its use. The start is to be made in the spring of 1903.—Youth's Companion.

Paraguay Bank Notes. Bank notes for about half a cent each circulate freely in Paraguay. It takes two notes to get one's boots blacked and eight to pay the postage of a letter to England. Yet one of three bananas or a watermelon.—N. Y. Sun.

Women in the French Army. The cantinières form a rank which is peculiar to the French army. Each regiment has a woman attendant who is a sort of nurse and comforter, to the young soldiers especially. She is not young or handsome, as a rule, and is often married to a soldier of the regiment.—Philadelphia Press.

And a Safe One. "It is a good rule," says the Alfalfa Sage, "never to be rude to anyone who isn't paid to stand it."—Denver Post.

JAILED FOR SCORCHING.

Sloan, Famous American Jockey Imprisoned in Paris for Reckless Driving on an Automobile.

Tod Sloan, the famous American jockey, was sent to prison for two days at Paris for scorching with an automobile in the Bois de Boulogne.

Sloan wanted to pay a fine, but the judge d' instruction before whom he was arraigned refused to impose any other penalty than imprisonment because of the flagrancy of Sloan's offense, he having been repeatedly warned by the police that he was violating the law. Sloan was taken to jail.

Sloan and his racing car are known by sight to all the Parisians of the boulevards, for no one drives quite so recklessly as the American. Not even Fournier dares to run at racing speed in the heart of the city. The leniency with which the police treated him led Sloan to imagine himself immune from arrest. He was undecimated in a fashion that he will not soon forget, for of all dismal places a French jail is the worst.

Sloan has had several accidents with his motor car, and last August ran into a tree at Trouville, causing his companions to sustain serious injuries. Fournier and Charron had hopes for a time of making Sloan into a great chauffeur, but he proved to be too reckless. Incapable of handling a heavy car running at high speed with the lightning certainty of a master driver, Sloan, nevertheless, is daring in the highest degree and takes amazing chances. His presence in a great race world, in the opinion of the manufacturers and chauffeurs, mean disaster to himself and others.

BOOTBLACK LOSES FORTUNE.

New York Shiner Wins \$40,000 at Races and Doesn't Know When to Quit.

Herman, the bootblack, was at the southeast corner of the New York city hall. He has been playing the races, and is not a bit bashful about telling how much he won. "At the end of the eastern season last fall," he said, "I had cleaned up about \$40,000. I made all this money in just about four months. Me Tammany friends in the city hall gave me the straight things to bet, and I made money so fast that I had to put some fresh pockets in me duds."

"When I was making me killing plays on the tracks I didn't wear no different clothes than what I have on now, and that's the reason I never got touched. When the Tammany government went out my luck went out, too. One day at aqueduct I lost over \$10,000. After that I couldn't find nothin', but still, and three days ago I was broke. I hadn't never to buy a new shoeblackening outfit, and I went to the leader of me district and he gave me the money to buy this box and set of brushes."

Herman asked the reporter not to print his full name. He said his wife didn't know he had been "leading a double life."

TO BE REWARDED.

Consul Ayme, Who Recovered Body of Consul Prentiss from Ruins of St. Pierre, Will Be Promoted.

Col. Louis H. Ayme, of Chicago, the United States consul at Guadeloupe, who went to Martinique to recover the body of Consul Prentiss and look after the relief work, is coming home. He is said to be much run down physically as a result of his services in the devastated island. The United States tug Potomac, Lieut. B. B. McCormack commanding, left San Juan, Porto Rico, for Port de France, Martinique, to get Consul Ayme and carry him to San Juan, where he will take passage for New York.

The state department sent word to the navy department that it was not sure that the consul was still at Port de France. He has not been heard from recently. It is understood he will be promoted for his splendid work.

UNIQUE MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Chicago Pastor Preaches at Father's Grave on 100th Anniversary of His Birth.

The Rev. Delno C. Henshaw, of Chicago, the other afternoon preached a memorial sermon at the grave of his father, James S. Henshaw, of Kalamazoo, Mich. The occasion for the unique affair was the hundredth anniversary of his father's birth. He gave a brief biography of his father, of whose eleven children four fought for the union in the civil war. He declared that the old Puritan stock was passing away. Sons of Americans are not being brought up in the manhood of their forefathers, but flock to the cities and learn to drink, smoke, and gamble. The national standard of righteousness is being lowered. The children are not getting trained in religious principles nor getting moral fiber in the public schools.

Wants to See King Edward. The East end of London, disappointed at not being included in the royal procession, is organizing a monster petition to their majesties praying for a royal visit shortly after the coronation. The promoters anticipate 1,000,000 signatures.

New Branch of Trade. Summer camps have become so much of an institution that the New York furniture dealers this season are taking notice of them and trying their trade.



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