

LUMBER KING DIES AT PASADENA HOME

Controlled Eastern and Western Lumber Country—He Owned 32,000,000 Acres of Timber Land in U. S.

BECAME ILL MORE THAN A WEEK AGO

Born in Germany and Begins Career in Sawmill in America—Reputed Rich As J. D. Rockefeller.

PASADENA, Cal., April 4.—Fredrick A. Weyerhaeuser, the multimillionaire lumber man from St. Paul, Minn., at one time the richest man in the world, died at his winter home here today. He became ill more than a week ago, and his advanced age of eighty years was blamed for his inability to recover.

Frederick Weyerhaeuser's popular fame dates from January, 1907, when a magazine writer in describing him hit upon the phrase "richer than Rockefeller." Mr. Weyerhaeuser denied that he had more money than the oil king.

But the truth of his statement is still in doubt. It has been said that in 1907 he held 32,000,000 acres of timbered land. Most great fortunes are largely in stocks and bonds, the value of which is always approximately known to the owner.

Born in Germany. The forest lord was born at Nelder-saubeim, southern Germany, November 21, 1834, and worked until eighteen years old in his father's vineyard, when he emigrated with his mother and sister. They stayed four years in Erie, Pa. Here young Weyerhaeuser worked in a brewery. He was by reputation honest, thrifty and industrious. Leaving Erie for Rock Island, Ill., he started to work in a sawmill and there met a fellow employee of like character, F. A. C. Denckman. They married sisters. Within six months Weyerhaeuser was manager of the sawmill. Then he and Denckman bought the mill.

A little while after Weyerhaeuser went to Wisconsin and came back filled with enthusiasm for the northern forests. The two partners saved every penny, and in 1864 bought a large tract of Chippewa land for a song. This was the beginning of their large operations. They bought and bought. Then Mr. Weyerhaeuser began to show a genius for combination. He became known as the man of a thousand partners.

Controls Lumber World. In 1891 Mr. Weyerhaeuser moved to St. Paul. His operations became nationwide. He controlled the Appalachian situation equally with the Pacific lumber business.

In 1897, while still a poor man, he married Miss Sarah Elizabeth Biedel, who came from the same village in Germany as her husband. She died recently. There are three daughters and four sons, the latter the most powerful in the lumber industry today.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser has spent his old age mostly on his beautiful estate in Pasadena.

LATE MARKET NEWS

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CHICAGO GRAIN		
WHEAT		
May	Open	Close
July	91 1/4	91 1/4
July	87 1/2	87 1/2
CORN		
May	69	68 1/2
July	68 1/2	68 1/2
OATS		
May	38 1/2	38 1/2
July	39 1/4	39 1/4

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

American Can	29 1/2	29 1/2
Am. Copper	76 1/2	76 1/2
U. S. Steel	82 1/2	82 1/2
Atchafson	96 1/2	96 1/2
St. Paul	100 1/4	100 1/4
Gr. North pfd.	126 1/2	127 1/2
Lehigh Valley	143 1/4	144 1/4
New York Central	89 1/2	90
Northern Pacific	113 1/2	114 1/2
Pennsylvania	110 1/2	110 1/2
Reading	165 1/2	165 1/2
Southern Pacific	94 1/4	94 1/4
Union Pacific	159 1/4	159 1/4
Rumely	10	10
Rumely pfd.	27 1/2	27 1/2

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, April 4.—Hogs—Receipts 9,000; market 6c higher; top price, \$8.90; bulk of sales, \$8.80. Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market steady; beefs, \$9.00@9.50; calves, \$8.00@10.25. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; natives and westerns, \$5.40@6.90; lambs \$7.35@8.25.

PITTSBURG LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURG, April 4.—Cattle—Supply 100; market steady; veal calves, \$11.00 down. Sheep and lambs—Supply, 1,000; market steady; prime sheep, \$6.75; lambs, \$8.75. Hogs—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; prime heavies, \$8.90; pigs, \$9.25.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; market firm; choice steers \$8.50; calves, \$5.75@10.00. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; market active; top prices, \$9.10. Sheep—Receipts, 100; lambs, \$8.50@8.40.

INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; market 10c higher; tops, \$9.05; bulk of sales, \$8.90@9.05. Cattle—Receipts, 250; choice steers, \$7.75@8.50; other grades, \$6.40@7.60. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 100; market firm; prime sheep, \$5.75; lambs, \$8.00 down.

INDIANAPOLIS GRAIN

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—Wheat, Cash No. 2 red 95. Corn, Cash No. 3 white 69 1/2. Oats, Cash No. 2 white, 40 1/2.

NO NEWS OF YOUTH

Father of Missing Boy Bombarded With Letters.

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—James McCarrick, father of the boy whose disappearance has furnished the police with a mystery as puzzling as was the kidnapping of Charles Ross, is being bombarded by letters written by cranks and persons attempting to prey on the grief-stricken relatives of the child.

Hundreds of missives have been received, but out of them has been learned nothing to show definitely whether the boy was killed or kidnapped. Some of them demand ransom for the boy, the writer pretending that he knows where the child is; others offer their aid in return for cash.

PENSION INTERESTS INDIANA TEACHERS

Williams Says Committee of State Association Will Take Matter Up Soon.

Teachers' pension legislation is again worrying members of the committee on resolutions of the Indiana State Teachers' association, according to Charles O. Williams, Wayne county superintendent of schools, who is a member of the body. No action was taken on the matter at the meeting held in the Claypool hotel, Indianapolis, last night.

The committee is composed of many new members and as a result there is some doubt as to the stand of the majority on the question. The former work for legislation on the teachers' pension bill will be carefully gone over in six weeks when the committee will meet again.

The five important matters before the committee on which it will submit printed resolutions to all teachers in the state before the October meeting of the Indiana State Teachers' association, are:

To devise a plan for the codifying of all state school laws and those pertaining to teachers.

To act on the question of merging the Northern and Southern Indiana Teachers' associations into the Indiana State Teachers' association and provide supplementary meetings to take the place of the two minor organizations.

The committee decided that district meetings in the thirteen districts of the state would take the place of the northern and southern associations but were unable to act on the question of merging the organizations because of the negative attitude assumed by members of the Northern Indiana Teachers' association yesterday.

To provide monthly bulletins informing all members of the Indiana State Teachers' association of the doings of all of its committees and on new educational questions. The purpose of the bulletins would be to set forth the principles of education as advocated by the I. S. T. A.

To define the powers of the executive officers of the state association to make their work more definite and avoid the overlapping of duties on more than one office.

NOT TO AMALGAMATE.

Northern Teachers Postpone Action to Future Date.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 4.—The Northern Indiana Teachers' association in session today decided not to consider a merger with the Indiana State Teachers' association at the present and will hold their next year's convention in some northern Indiana city in order that their association should in no way conflict with the state organization.

The Southern Teachers' association recently took steps toward amalgamation with the state organization and the same question was before the northern teachers with a well developed sentiment for similar action when it met with opposition and the teachers determined to leave the amalgamation question for future action.

ELECT DELEGATES

At a recent meeting of the Sons of Veterans, Charles L. and Harry E. Garrett were elected delegates to the Indiana encampment which will be held in Indianapolis with the G. A. R. encampment May 7 and 8. Harry Rogers and Preston Coggeshall were elected alternates. A delegation will attend from the Richmond encampment.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, April 4.—Cash Grain: Wheat 96 1/2. Corn 70 1/2. Oats 41. Cloverseed, cash \$7.65.

RICHMOND MARKET

LIVE STOCK
(Corrected daily by Anton Stollie. Phone 1316)

HOGS.
Primes (average 200 lbs.) per 100 lbs., \$8.65; heavy mixed, per 100 lbs., \$8.25; roughs, per 100 lbs., \$7 @ \$7.75.

CATTLE
Choice steers, per lb., 7c to 7 1/2c; butcher steers, per lb., 7c; cows, per lb., 3c to 6c; bulls, per lb., 5 1/2c to 6c; choice veal calves, per lb., 9c.

GRAIN MARKET
(Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mills. Phone 2019)

Wheat, per bu. 92c
Oats, per bu. 40c
New Corn, per bu. 65c
Rye, per bu. 65c
Bran, per ton \$28.00
Middlings, per ton \$30.00

PRODUCE
(Corrected daily by Ed Cooper. Phone 2577)

Old Hens (live weight) per lb. 12c
Old Chickens, dressed per lb 15c to 20c
Young Chickens, dressed, lb. 20 to 22c
Country Eggs, per doz 15c
Country Butter, per lb. 25c

WAGON MARKET
(Corrected daily by Omer Whelan. Phone 1679)

Oats, per bu. 40c
Corn, per bu. 65c
Timothy Hay, per ton \$15 to \$16
Straw \$5.00
Bran \$30.00
Middlings \$30.00

FARMERS ORGANIZE COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Adopt Constitution and By-Laws for Bureau Which Has As Its Purpose Better Farming.

COBB OUTLINES WORK

Lee J. Reynolds, Well Known Hagerstown Man, Acts As Temporary Chairman of Meeting.

"The Better Farming Association of Wayne County," the name selected for the Farmers' bureau started last Saturday by A. D. Cobb, county agent, held its organization meeting in the court house this afternoon. Lee J. Reynolds of Hagerstown was elected temporary chairman. The meeting was addressed by the county agent before any business was transacted and an outline of the work contemplated by the organization was given for the benefit of those who did not attend the meeting last Saturday. About eighty were present when the meeting opened and several came in later.

At the morning session of the committee on organization, the Porter county form of constitution was adopted without change.

Lee J. Reynolds, of Hagerstown, elected chairman of the committee last week, presided. He was of the opinion that the name, "The Better Farming Association of Wayne County," is fitting for the organization and uniform with similar associations in other counties.

Adopt Constitution. The constitution follows with seven appended by-laws dealing with the duties of the officers and the use of funds:

We, the undersigned, citizens of Wayne county, in order to promote the interests of agriculture in our midst, do hereby form ourselves into an organization for the purpose of assisting in establishing and maintaining a farm bureau in this county, to work in conjunction with the extension department of Purdue university, and to carry on any activity that may tend to improvement in agricultural conditions.

Article 1.—The name of the organization shall be "The Better Farming Association of Wayne County." Article 2.—Any citizen of the county may become a member of this association by the payment of one dollar or any greater amount which he or she may voluntarily contribute, and by subscribing to this constitution and to the by-laws hereinafter provided. No further dues shall be required from members until January 1, 1915, after which the annual dues shall be one dollar.

Article 3.—The county officers of the association shall consist of a director from each township. The directors shall meet annually on the second Saturday in January at the county seat, to elect from their number a president, a vice president, a secretary and a treasurer, and to transact such other business as may come before them at that time.

Article 4.—A majority of the directors elected shall constitute a quorum. Said board of directors shall adopt rules and regulations for the transaction of the business of the association.

Article 5.—The board of directors shall meet at any time on call of the president or vice president, or of four directors, giving three days notice.

Article 6.—The members in any township shall constitute a township branch of the association. The officers of the township branch shall be the director for that township, who shall be ex-officio chairman, a secretary and a treasurer, all of whom shall be elected at an annual meeting of the members of the township to be held during the month of December. Beginning the first of the following January, they shall continue in office one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. In case no director is elected in a township the president shall appoint a member in that township to act in that capacity until a director is regularly elected.

Article 7.—A meeting of the township branch may be held at any time upon call of the director or of the secretary, or of five members, notifying each member of the township either in writing or orally, and stating the purpose of arranging for demonstrations or experiments, for lectures or other matters of local interest, to hear lectures or discuss topics bearing on the agriculture of the township. The township branch shall have no power to transact any business that may in any way conflict with the county organization.

Article 8.—One-third of the members of a township branch shall constitute a quorum for the election of officers. A smaller number may conduct meetings for any other purpose.

Article 9.—A meeting of all the members of the association in the county may be called at any time by the president, or upon demand of a majority of the directors present at a regularly called session.

Article 10.—This constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at a regular county meeting of members, or by a majority vote from two-thirds of the townships having branch organizations.

By-laws of Association.

1.—The duties of the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer shall be such as usually devolve upon such officers. The treasurer shall pay out money of the association only upon order of the president, countersigned by the secretary, or in payment of bills indorsed by the secretary, such indorsement signifying that said bills have been properly passed upon by the board of directors.

2.—The treasurer may be required to give such bond as may seem to the board just and equitable. Any expense incurred by him in the securing of such bond shall be borne by the association.

3.—The treasurer of the township branch shall collect the fees and dues from the members in his township. He shall forward 25 per cent of the same, with a list of the members paying, to the county treasurer.

4.—The county funds of the association may be used only for such purposes as, in the opinion of the board of directors, shall be in the interest of better agriculture in the county, and orders shall be drawn only by vote of a majority of the members present at a regular meeting of the board of directors.

5.—The township treasurer shall pay out the money of the township branch only upon the order of the township director, countersigned by the secretary for purposes that have been duly passed upon by a majority of members at a regular meeting.

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FIND MORE BODIES OF OCEAN VICTIMS

Sailors Say Toll of Big Storm Probably Will Reach the 250 Mark.

ST. JOHN'S, N. B., April 4.—The number of victims of the mighty blizzard which swept the sealing fields of Belle Isle strait a few days ago probably will reach 250. Although four ships were sent out today to search for the missing sealer Southern Cross, which has 173 sailors on board, seafaring men acquainted with the perils of the ice fields in which the sealers were caught, gave the vessel up as lost.

Dispatches received early in the forenoon by wireless from the Belle venture, which is bringing in fifty-eight bodies of seamen from the Newfoundland to this port, said she probably would arrive within twelve hours. The number of the Newfoundland's dead no has been definitely placed at seventy-seven, and the loss of the Southern Cross would bring the total death toll to the appalling figure of 250, the greatest disaster ever recorded in the sealing field.

"UNCLE JOE" POSES

Complies With Request of "Movie" Men.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Former speaker Joseph G. Cannon was caught by the "movie" men on the roof of the Waldorf Astoria.

"Want any action?" inquired Uncle Joe, and in response to "yes thank you," took off his hat, swung his arms and bowed to an imaginary crowd.

"Where's your cigar?" someone asked. "Have you quit?"

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4,200 MEN KILLED IN TORREON FIGHT

General Villa's Loss Estimated At 1,200 and Huerta's At 3,000.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The total losses in the fighting at Torreon, Mexico, were 4,200 men, according to figures given in a message received from Consul Carrothers at the state department today. Gen. Villa's loss is given as 1,200 men and the federal loss is estimated at 3,000.

Constitutionalist soldiers are massing north of Tampico and are expected to attack that city on Monday, reports here say. This information came in a wireless telegram from the navy department today from Rear Admiral Fletcher.

PURSUES FEDERAL.

Villa Vows To Kill Every Fleeing Soldier.

CONSTITUTIONALIST Army Headquarters, Gomez Palacio, April 4.—While squads of Constitutional soldiers are lining up federal prisoners in batches and shooting them to death in Torreon today, Gen. Villa is rushing with a large force of his best troops to deal a final and destroying blow to the little army of government fighters with which Gen. Refugio Velasco fled from the battered town.

GENTLE IMPROVES

Robert Gentle, of South Eighth street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at his home, is recovering. Mr. Gentle is a student of the Richmond high school. He is concert master of the school orchestra.

MASS MEETING

A Salvation Army mass meeting will be held at the high school auditorium Wednesday, April 8. Mr. Kimball, of Detroit, one of the foremost workers in the country will be the principal speaker. Several musical numbers will be on the program.

TO OPEN STORE

John Stillman of Fort Wayne, has leased the North street store room occupied by the Hoover-Bond company, and after improvements have been completed will open a dry goods and department store in the building. He is the owner of a chain of dry goods stores.

Russia's population is increasing at the rate of 2,500,000 a year, it is said. It now stands at about one hundred and forty-seven million, of which 100,000,000 are peasants.

HOOVER CANDIDATE

Abner Hoover, a farmer living on the Chester pike, has announced his candidacy for nomination to the office of county commissioner of the Eastern district on the Democratic ticket. Mr. Hoover has lived in Wayne township all his life and is well known in the county. His farm is north of the Reid Memorial hospital.

CITY STATISTICS

Deaths and Funerals.

KING—Elizabeth King, who died at her home yesterday, will be buried Monday at 2 p. m. Funeral services will be held at the Bethel A. M. E. church. Friends may call at the home at any time.

TO ENTER MONESTAY

Count Boni de Castellane Renounces Pleasures.

PARIS, April 4.—Count Boni de Castellane, divorced by the former Anna Gould, has decided to renounce all his worldly affairs and join the Order of Jesuits, it was reported today. Following the example of an other celebrated club man, Count Casilio de St. Victor, he will become a father of the Jesuits and enter a monastery.

Some of China's trouble with its currency is being cleared away.

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