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- ¶ President Ralph Budd of the Great Northern Railway Company found the pressure of work too great to prepare an article requested of him on "The Columbia River Historical Expedition", but he persuaded Mr. Donald MacRae to do so. The result is found in the interesting article under that title in this issue.
- ¶ For some years this *Quarterly* has devoted space to phases of industrial history in the Pacific Northwest. A valuable addition to such discussions is found in this issue in Professor Joseph Daniels' authentic article on "History of Pig Iron Manufacture on the Pacific Coast."
- ¶ One of the most dependable members of our Board of Contributing Editors, Mr. J. Orin Oliphant, is represented in this issue by another valued contribution, "Recollections of the Inland Empire" by Ben Burgunder. Mr. Oliphant has prepared an introduction and extensive footnotes for the pioneer's manuscript.
- ¶ Mr. Nicholas C. Cullinan, as an employe of the Seattle General Postoffice, worked his way through the University of Washington to graduation. This accounts for the earnestness with which he gathered facts and figures for his article in this issue.
- ¶ The series of articles devoted to the Diary of Charles Wilkes in the Northwest have been assembled, corrected and published as a separate in an edition limited to 250 copies to be sold by the University of Washington Press at one dollar a copy.