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Oregon. He would be obliged to you for letters of introduction to other
gentlemen in Oregon, Please lend him your aid, and patronize his enter-
prise.

I am, sirs, yours truly &c,

Seal. R. Thurston.

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others
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