GAVIN E. GAUKIN, 86, KILLS HIMSELF 36 TO TAKE UP EDUCATION

Civil War Veteran Plans Own Death in His Office in Ainsworth Building.

SEVERAL MESSAGES LEFT

Thomas M. Strong Mentioned in Final Note Is Business Adviser. Undertaker He Wishes to Employ Is Selected.

Going to his office in the Ainsworth building, with a cheery word for those he met, and apparently in the best of spirits, Gavin E. Caukin, 86 years old, a veteran of the Civil War and high in the councils of the Loyal Legion, ended his life by shooting himself through

the councils of the loyal negrot, check his life by shooting himself through the head with a newly-purchased revolver, about II o'clock yesterday morning. He fell prone below a frame of souvenir medals connected with his military career, and was dead when those in the building reached his side. Though detective headquarters is separated from Mr. Caukin's office by a single wall, the officers on duty, accustomed to the frequent reports from automobile engines, paid no head to the shot, and it was the mail carrier on his usual rounds who first came upon the body. The Coroner was notified and took charge.

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mutal yesterday morning, careful consideration of the act is shown by the apparent fact that he bought the revolver just before the deed. On his table was found, written in a firm hand, a list of persons whom he desired to have notified, he detail being overlooked, addresses and telephone numbers being set down in each case. Other evidences of careful preparation came to light when friends gave Mr. Caukin's office a thorough examination and found a long obituary notice which he had written, apparently yesterday morning. They also found a paper of cigar clippings, marked, "for Mrs. Caukin, to preserve ber furs."

Steps Heard Cause Deiny.

Just a few moments before the shot nunded Mr. Caukin was seen to open a outer door a small space and look shout the hall,

A dead man does not pick his time

"A dead man does not pick his time to die," was a remark he made in conversation with one of his acquaintances in the building the day before.

In his final message he mentioned Attorney Thomas M. Strong as his business adviser, and gave the name of the undertaker he wished to take charge of his body. "Boarding-house, self and wife," he wrote, "320 Eleventh street, corner of Clay, phone A 1636. My daughter, Mrs. T. M. Riggen, 5257 Fifteenth avenue Southeast, Seattle. T. M. Riggen in employ of Sunset Telephone & Telegraph Company, Seattle."

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Mr. Caukh was born July 18, 1827, in Livingstone Counity, New York, and the family removed to Macomb County, Minnesota, and from there enlisted February, 1864, in Company K, First Minnesota, He served through the Petersburg campaign before Richmond, and was discharged with the rank of Captain in 1855.

He then energed in the insurance business in Minneapolis, removed to Virginia City, New, in 1872, and to Virginia City,

Portland in 1881. He was a member of George Wright Post, G. A. R., and department commander in 1885. He was active in the formation of the Oregon to commandery of the military order of the Leyal Legion of the United States, and had served continuously as recorder of the commandery except during a brief period when he held the office of commander.

Streetcar system, survives him.

Klinski was not known, but Harry ments to date, to say much in Dr. Friedmann's favor, said Dr. Smith, yesterday. T went abroad to study with Dr. W. A. Lanc. of London, the great bone and intestine specialist, but, of course of the commander covered the horse, thereby identifying the horse, thereby identifying Mr. Klinski.

SERUM WILL BE WITHHELD

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Ity Now Faces Further Charge.

MEDFORD, Oz., April 1.—(Special.)
—Councilman George H. Millar, socialing in the church parlors at 2:39 P. M. Mrs. George F. Felts will discourse was found guilty Monday in the Municipal Court of immorality and given the maximum fine of \$50. Through his attorney, Gus Newberry, the case will be appealed to the Circuit Court for a writ of review.

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to minors, the case being set for the end of the week. Aside from the liquor charge the third ward Councilman is accused of selling liquor without a city license and disregarding the closing or-

University of Oregon Men Signify Purpose to Enter High School,

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., April 1.—(Special.) — Thirty-six members of the present senior class of the University of Oregon have signified their intention of becoming high school teachers after graduation. Their names, together with the subjects which they are qualified to teach, have been filed with Professor F. C. Ayer, of the department of education, who will recommend the applicants to the various high schools of the state.

To qualify for such recommendation a student must take special training in the department of education. This includes 15 recitation hours in that department, and a semester of practice teaching in a high school.

Heretofore the university has had no trouble in placing all its graduates who have desired to adopt teaching as a temporary profession, and many of

Gavin E. Caukin, Civil War Vet-eron, Who Ended Life at His Office Yesterday.

FARMER KILLED BY FALL

Victim of Accident Identified by

Means of His Horse's Shoes.

research.

Dr. C. J. Smith, of Pendleton, a member and former president of the State Board of Health, returned yesterday from a trip to Europe after an absence of five months, and declares that he is of ave months, and declares that he is willing to wait longer before passing judgment, but at present the outlook for relief from consumption through Friedmann's method is not as bright as many have been led to believe.

Experts Slow to Decide.

Dr. Smith was with Dr. Edwin Walker, a noted physician of Evansville, Ind., who went abroad with the purpose of studying Dr. Friedmann's work in Germany, and has received two letters from Dr. Walker, extracts of which are given. Dr. Nathan Raw, a noted physician of Liverpeol, places no faith in Friedmann and the staff of Brompton Hospital, the most famous of London, thinks the outcome is "very indefinite." Surgeon-General Blue, of Washington, told Senator Chamberlain, who repeated his words to Dr. Smith, that there might possibly be something in Friedmann's discovery. Experts Slow to Decide.

CALLED 'SLICK ONE'

to Oregon Physician Writes

Opinion on "Cure."

Pendleton, That Developments

to Date Do Not Convince.

Has Dr. Friedmann made an import-

Physicians are as anxious to discover

what his anti-tubercular serum is as

the persons suffering with tubérculosis.

are, and they have watched every move

made by the German specialist not only to guard the public against possible

disappointment, but in order to ascer-tain the real value of Dr. Friedmann's

nt discovery?

them have already risen to responsible positions. In Oregon a diploma from an accredited university qualifies its holder for a high school faculty, without any other examination.

The position of the discovery and find nothing of serious import, except that the farther study of the activated bacilli will be stronger and good may interesting and possibly some good may come of it; all, however, is in an imma-ture stage, and thus far little evidence has been shown in its favor. The whole thing is in the experimental stage.

Some Cases Observed.

SINGERS TO HEAR KELLOGG

men have so much wished to hear Mt. Kellogg that this method has been taken of giving the entire aggregation an opportunity to do so.

Mr. Kellogg will show his dancing flame, controlled and finally extinguished by his singing, a feat that no other human voice can accomplish. He will sing a number of bird songs and show that bird songs are always in harmony with all music at all times, regardless of key.

Noted Indiana Doctor in Letter COLLEGES ASKED TO AID World Conference Leaders Address Educational Men.

STUDY GIVEN TO SERUM Dr. Edwin Walker, of Evansville, Ind., Advises Dr. C. J. Smith, of

Presidents of the colleges and universities in Oregon have been addressed by the representatives of the World's Christian Citizenship Conference which will be held in Portland June 19 to July 6, and are offering their co-operation in the preparations for the conference and their services on the committees which have in charge local preparations for it.

Rev. J. S. McGaw, field secretary of the conference, has received acceptances of appointments on local committees from many of them already and expects favorable replies from every college president in the state.

Dr. McGaw left last night for Grants Pass, where he will organize a local Pass, where he will organize a local

OREGON PIONEER, WHO DIED IN CALIFORNIA, WAS BORN IN KENTUCKY.



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Philip F. Castleman, an Oregon ploneer, who died at Berkeley. Cal., March 24, was born near Hodginsville, Ky., May 17, 1827, and his ancestors had a part in the Revolutionary War. On May 3, 1849, he joined a company of 18 in Hart County, Kentucky, and started to California, arriving at Sacramento in November, and soon after began mining on Bidwell's Bar, but finding that he could do better by getting employment in Sacramento, he left the mines and went into the employ of a baker at a salary of \$250 a month. In 1851 he left California for Oregon and settled near Eugene and erected a saw-\$250 a month. In 1851 he lett California for Oregon and settled near Eugene and erected a sawmill, the first south of Salem. In 1855-56 he was a volunteer in the Rogue River Indian war and rendered most effective service until he was wounded. After recovering he engaged in business in Eugene, Walla Walla and points in Idaho for a number of years. In 1878 he became a resident of Portland, remaining until 1903, when he removed to Berkeley. Mr. Castleman was married to Mrs. Ianthe J. Evans in 1856. Three children survive, Mrs. Euretta F. Campbell, the widow of the late Judge J. A. Campbell, of Berkeley, Cal.; Mrs. Anna B. Games and William R. Castleman, now residents of Portland. He was burled on March 28 at Roseburg.

committee and arrange for official del-egates to the conference. He will visit Eugene, Ashland, Albany and Salem.

MARCH RAIN SHOWS GAIN
John's Heights to Dawson street was passed. The street sprinkler, which had been missing for some time, was located and will be put in operation.

March Rain Shows Gain Month Notable for Freakish Capers of Weather.

Method of Distribution to Await Approval of Government.

New York, April 1—The method of Weather.

Mrs. Caukin, who was Mrs. Mary B. Month Notable for Freakish Capers of Weather.

Myangard, married Mr. Caukin in Denver, 10 years are, being his three members of the Railroad and all arrangements were held in abeyance, pending the arrival of the daughter from Seattle. It is believed that a large estate is left.

ELEVATOR KILLS YOUTH

Baker High School Lad's Head is Caught and Severed.

DANER Or., April 1—189ecial.)

Married Mrs. Caught and Severed.

BAKER Or., April 1—199ecial.)

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ling today and elected J. O. Wing, of Washougal, manager. C. D. Hayes, until recently president, has resigned and taken up his home in a California city. Agreement upon his successor was not reached today so this was deferred until the annual meeting of stockholders and directors, to be held the capital than the capital capi April 12, at which time the capital stock of the association will be dou-bled to \$30,000. The present capitaliza-tion of \$15,000 has been found too small to finance the project at the fair

St. Johns Notes

ST. JOHNS, April 1.—(Special.)— Nineteen street arc lights are being installed at Linnton. Among them is one much needed on the ferry landing. Owing to defective telephone service in Linnton the Pacific States Company is considering the proposition of run-ning a cable under the river between Linnton and St. Johns.

Chief Engineer Thomas M. Thacabery of the St. Johns ferry, died Monday af-ternoon at the Good Samaritan Hospital after a lingering illness. Mr. Thaca-bery was a ploneer river man, having been on the river for 20 odd years. At been on the river for 20 odd years. At one time he was assistant chief en-gineer of the fireboat Geo. H. Williams, which position he held for three years. For the past four years he has been chief engineer on the St. Johns ferry. All his brothers were river men. Mr. Thacabery being the youngest and the last to pass away. He was born No-vember 10, 1361, at Schoolcraft, Mich. He leaves two sons, James M., of the vember 10, 1061, at Schoolcraft, Mich. He leaves two sons, James M., of the Portland police force, and Claude M., now in California. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World, Marine Engineers and Stationary Engineers. The funeral will take place tomorrow from the Finlay Undertaking parlors. The flag on the ferry is at half mast.

At a meeting of the City Council held tonight, bills to the amount of \$2358.80 were allowed for arc lights at the following points: Jersey and Mohawk, Willamette boulevard, third pole south of Burr street, Bank and Polk streets, Bank and Burr streets, Seneca and Columbia streets, Dawson and Polk streets, A communication was presented by F. J. Cook suggesting a cleanup of the city streets. Mayor A. A. Mucks fixed April 21 as the date for this work to be started. Permission was granted to D. E. Gondoles to build a driveway from Fessenden street to his was granted to D. E. Conducted to his a driveway from Fessenden street to his barn. It was decided that all improve-ments on Willamette boulevard would be suspended utnil the width of the houlevard had been decided by City Attorney Stroud. An ordinance for the improvement of Third street from St.

PATENT SWINDLE ALLEGED The Banker at

Edward Smith Files Damage Sult for \$12,000 Against J. W. Hurley. Edward H. Smith, who states in his

complaint that he is a cripple confined to a wheel chair, has started suit in Circuit Court to recover from John W. Hurley, who, Smith asserts, swindled him out of his patents on an improved characterized the departure of the month. The mean temperature for the month was about as it has been in previous years. It is thought that only the extremes of weather that were apparent in the last week of the month prevented March, 1913, from going into the records as an extremely "lamb-" large adjustable alligator wrench. He wants adjustable alligator wrench. He wants still the says Hurley purchased from him for \$350, and asks that a half interest given Hurley at the commencement of their business dealings as consideration for Hurley's promises to efadjustable alligator wrench. He wants sideration for Hurley's promises to effect a sale of the patents at a good

price be cancelled.

Smith states that on March 9, 1911, he entered into the agreement with Hurley. The remaining half interest was purchased by Hurley in March, 1913, after Hurley had convinced the

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A HARD WINTER

IMPORTANT TO EVERYONE

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During the Winter months especially, when we live an indoor life, the kidneys should receive some assistance when needed, as we take less exercise, drink less water and often eat more rich heavy food, thereby forcing the kidneys to do more work than Nature intended. Evidence of kidney trouble, such as lame back, inability to hold urine, smarting or burning, brick-dust or sediment, sallow complexion, rheumatism, may be weak or irregular heart action, warns you that your kidneys require help immediately to avoid more serious trouble.

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