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BIG CROWD AT RALLY

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promises trail the administration. Some of these were: The free toll plank and the one to reduce the cost of living.

Roosevelt was paid a pretty compliment and the assertion brought a vigorous round of applause.

How Mr. Wilson really hadn't kept America out of war was emphasized.

The Tampico affair was brought up, he reciting how German and English ships rescued 1500 American women and children there from death while American ships lay nine miles out under orders of the President to not interfere.

Mr. Piles said: "The Mexicans submitted to the forcible withdrawal of Huerta as a presidential candidate, because they had to, but South American and Central American republics now believe that we are a 'dollar nation'."

As to the claim made that Wilson kept America out of war with Europe he said:

"We have been kept out of war with Europe, only because Europe could not fight us. The last note of the President would have embroiled us immediately had such a thing been possible."

"How could any warring nation bring troops here to fight us, Germany's fleet is bottled up and England, Russia, France and Italy had fleets watching Germany's vessels."

TWO MEN HURT

wheels, but his efforts were unavailing. Quickly Mr. Carr jumped into the plunging auto and steered it across the street, up on the sidewalk and against the La Grande National bank building where it stopped.

In the meantime Mr. Andrews was being picked up and gotten ready for a ride to the hospital. He was able to walk a flight of stairs.

Jess Andrews, son of the injured man, was about to take his departure on the morning train as manager of the football team, and after physicians felt certain the broken collar bone was the most serious phase, he carried out his original plans.

GUN TOTER HEIR TO \$200,000. Sent to Bellevue, Son of Ulster County Dentist Who Left \$1,500,000.

New York, Oct. 4.—Irving B. Roberts, who was arrested in Battery Place Wednesday while acting strange and sent to Bellevue hospital for observation, is a son, it developed yesterday, of the late Dr. Charles H. Roberts, of Oakes, Ulster County, who left \$1,500,000, which he had acquired through the practice of dentistry in New York and the patenting of articles for use in his profession.

Irving Roberts was arrested with having in his possession a concealed deadly weapon. It was a pistol which looked like a two-bladed pen knife but which carried a minute cartridge hidden in the barrel.

According to a telegram received last night from Highland, which is near Oakes, Roberts inherited \$200,000 under his father's will and came to live in New York City two years ago. He was a young man of model habits, and great astonishment was expressed at his predicament.

When the elder Roberts died his six children contested the will on the ground of undue influence, but the contest was settled. Previously one of his daughters had brought an action to declare him incompetent to manage his affairs.

Most of the Roberts heirs still reside near Highland. Grace Von B. Roberts is prominent in Suffrage affairs in the Hudson Valley.

CONCRETE SHIP IS AFLOAT. Newest Type of Marine Craft Reaches Christiania.

Christiania, Oct. 4.—A new type of ship has arrived here from the shipyard of Christiania-fjord. The ship, which resembles a huge barge, is constructed entirely of concrete, except for the ribs, which are steel.

It is said the hull will resist damage better than steel or wood, and that the ship is therefore safer.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Bell Hardwick and two children have gone to Iowa, Kansas.

J. H. Parker left last night for San Diego.

Dr. M. K. Hall transacted professional business in Wallowa today.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stoddard left last night via Salt Lake for Santa Cruz, Cal., on business and pleasure.

Miss Barbara Zimmerman of New York has arrived to spend the winter at the home of Mrs. Monsell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Robertson are the proud parents of a 10-pound daughter born October 3rd.

C. J. Black has gone to Salt Lake to attend the L. D. S. conference. His daughter Blanche preceded him by a day.

Merrit Wilkinson, the former resident who is here from Medford, left today for Union to visit his brothers, Thomas and Andrew.

F. C. Forbes, field man for the Grande Ronde Meat company, left on the noon train for a ten days' business trip in the interior.

Mrs. John L. McClure, of Denver, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Heck, in Weiser, is in La Grande for the day to see her son, Donald Sargent, and old-time friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. L. Richardson expects to leave tonight for Portland and Seaside, where, at the latter place, she will appear on the program for the education of the Women's Federated clubs conference.

"Bob" Stanfield, the man who ships more sheep to the Chicago market than any other single individual in America, is in La Grande today. A train shipment of 25 double-decked cars of Stanfield sheep passed through here this morning.

W. A. Sanders, a contractor of Portland, is visiting today with the family of his brother-in-law, C. E. Happerst. Mr. Sanders is on his return trip from a visit with relatives in the east.

J. D. Casey, the Meacham lumberman, came down today to pay the other half of his tax. Mr. Casey says the temperature ran down in the mountain country last night sufficiently to form ice of considerable thickness.

H. W. Hicks, traveling passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N., is in town today looking after some proposed specials in the way of passenger traffic in this territory. Among them will be a large number of Odd Fellows who are expected to reach Huntington Saturday morning.

John P. Hannon, special agent of the O. W. R. & N. company, went up to Baker yesterday to attend the funeral of his former partner, Edward Darby.

L. L. Cross, a farmer of Elgin, is in La Grande on county business.

EASTLAND NOW A NAVY SHIP. Boat That Sank With 800 Lives to Be A Training Vessel.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—The seamship Eastland, which capsized in the Chicago River, July 24, 1915, causing the death of more than 800 persons, will soon go into commission as a United States naval training ship.

The boat has been reconstructed. The owners were indicted for manslaughter, violation of inspection laws and other offenses, but never have been punished. The line went into bankruptcy. The Eastland was raised and sold by Judge Landis for benefit of creditors. Capt. Edward A. Evans bought it for the Government for \$46,000. The fund was subscribed by Chicago men. The boat will be attached to the Great Lakes Naval Station at Lake Bluffs.

BEQUEATHS DAUGHTER COIN. He Had Carried Silver Dollar in His Pocket Fifty-Five Years.

Norristown, Pa., Oct. 4.—The will of former Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker, admitted to probate to-day, distributes an estate estimated at \$20,000 to \$50,000 among his widow and children.

One of the odd features of the will is the clause which leaves to his daughter, Josephine W. Pennypacker, "the silver dollar given me by my grandmother, which has been in my pocket wherever I have been and wherever I have gone during the past fifty-five years."

This coin, says the testator, "is the one concrete thing most closely associated with me personally."

The will also directs the executors to purchase for Miss Josephine a diamond or ruby ring for which they shall pay at their discretion the sum of \$300.

MORE FISH FRY ARE COMING. Bass Shipment Among Consignments to Sportsmen Monday.

Next Monday morning, arriving on No. 4, will come about 100 cans of bass fry for planting in Morgan Lake and the Big Slough. In addition there will be about 50 cans of trout fry for this vicinity and 45 for the Union Rod & Gun club.

Mr. Clanton, fish warden, writes Secretary Wenzel of the Wing, Fin & Fleece club today that the car will be along unless unforeseen obstacles occur. The small shipment of bass is due to high water in the feeding grounds.

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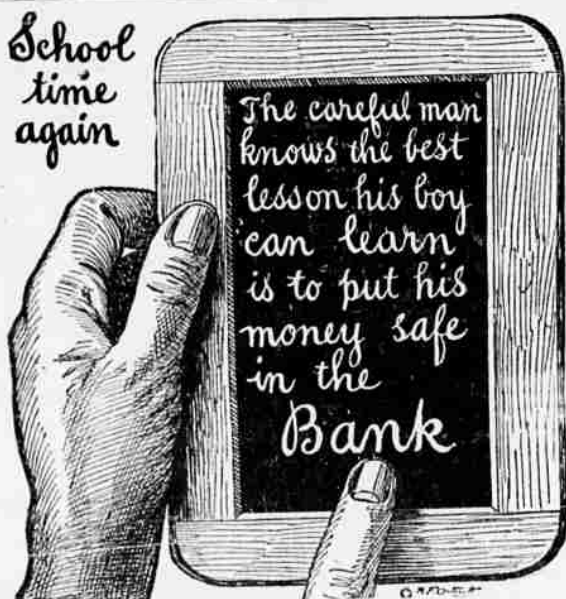
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Threshing Crew Nearly Through. W. W. Randall's threshing outfit expects to wind up the season tomorrow. They are now in the Peach neighborhood east of La Grande. The outfit

BIGGEST POLICEMAN DEAD

Chicago Loses 431-Pound Officer Used For Breaking Doors.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Edward F. Martini, Chicago's biggest policeman, died today. He weighed 431 pounds and was 6 feet 2 inches tall.

For years he was a member of the gambling squad, where he was a great help in breaking doors in raids by leaning against them.

UNCLE SAM SELLS LAND.

Nearly 1,000,000 Acres Put on Market by Government.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 5.—Uncle Sam, real estate dealer, has 908,000 acres of Choctaw and Chickasaw Indian land on sale here today and will do business until the end of the month. No person will be allowed to purchase more than 166 acres classified as agricultural land nor more than 640 acres classified as grazing land.

GUNS HIT AT 20,000 YARDS.

Pennsylvania and Oklahoma Shoot Remarkably in Practice.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 1.—Hitting a target at 20,000 yards with 14-inch guns probably will put the United States navy above all other navies, according to naval officials. That's what the dreadnoughts Pennsylvania and Oklahoma did in Chesapeake Bay, according to advices brought ashore from the former ship, which is now at anchor in Hampton Roads.

The Pennsylvania scored more hits at 20,000 yards than did the Oklahoma according to the men on the former ship, but the Oklahoma outshot the Pennsylvania at 18,000 yards.

The target was the sunken hulk of the San Marcos, formerly the battleship Texas, which lies partly submerged off Tangier Sound in Chesapeake Bay.

REDFIELD HAS THREE MAXIMS

Students Told To Get Facts, Look Far And Think Through.

Boston, Sept. 26.—Three business maxims that a man must have to succeed were outlined by Secretary Redfield in addressing an assembly of students at the opening of the college of business administration of Boston University.

"Get facts," he said, "and know your job. Look far. On your ability to see far depends your power to use the facts you get. Think through. If you cannot think clearly you cannot talk clearly."

SEVERE WINTER FORECAST

Indian George, 90, Says Snow Will Be Deeper This Year

Hood River, Sept. 26.—(Special.)—Indian weather forecasters and hunters who have killed bears this fall are predicting another hard winter for the mid-Columbia district. The rolls of fat are said to indicate a long, severe winter.

Indian George, 90-year-old patriarch of local redmen, who foretold the big snow last year, warns his white friends against coming cold. George basis his forecasts on the condition of moss on trees and the great crop of acorns.

"Higher up snow coming than last winter," he says.