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### CHARGES BROUGHT ARE NOT PROVED

Investigating Committee Finds Conditions at State College Are Good.

### NOTHING FOUND IRREGULAR

Mountains Made Out of Published Stories of Wrong-Doing Proved to Be Molehills When Probe Searches Among Records.

PULLMAN, Wash., June 8.—(Special.)—Mountains made out of incidents in the management of the State College in charges by the saloon forces are proving but molehills under the investigation of the legislative investigating committee. The charges that the college makes no account to the Governor of the expenditure of its Federal funds is proved false by production of a copy of such a report made several months ago. The charge that Treasurer Frank J. Herndon, of the Board of Regents, has been collecting interest for his private account on college funds was disproved when it was shown the interest in question was collected on the direction of the board and has been paid over to that body for the use of the college. The charge of misconduct on the part of college chemists in the enforcement of the fertilizer law is shown nothing more than an alleged violation of the law, which was not reported to the chemists until after made the subject of charges. Investigation of these matters was completed today. The committee will go deeper into the general conduct and efficiency of the institution and this will require a day or two longer. An effort is being made to complete the general survey of the college tomorrow in time to return to Spokane Wednesday afternoon. The committee was taken to the college in automobiles last night to attend the presentation of the senior class and the formal opening of the new college auditorium. This morning the committee discussed charges and examined witnesses whose testimony was taken in full by a stenographer. Despite the fact the resolution creating the committee requires it to hold all hearings in public, the committee excluded newspaper reporters and all others except witnesses, who were admitted one at a time.

### ALBANY COUNCILMAN DEAD

Marion L. Wilmot Succumbs to Heart Disease in Sleep.

ALBANY, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—Marion L. Wilmot, member of the Albany City Council from the Third Ward, died this morning at his home at 106 Geary street in this city. Death was caused by heart failure. Mr. Wilmot was walking about the city last night apparently in good health. His wife heard him groaning at 3 o'clock this morning, and by the time she lighted a lamp he was dead. Mr. Wilmot was born in Virginia 75

years ago and moved to Kentucky with his parents when a babe. He grew up in that state and fought throughout the Civil War with the Union Army. Soon after the war he came to Oregon and settled near Springfield, Lane County. He was a druggist in Springfield for several years and was postmaster of that city. In 1882 he moved to Salem and lived in the Capital City until 1902, when he moved to Albany. In December, 1907, he was elected to the City Council of Albany for a term of two years, winning out in a three-cornered fight in the Third Ward. He is survived by his wife.

### STICK PROBE INTO HEINZE

Grand Jury and Bankruptcy Court Inquire Into His Deeds.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Financial relations between the United Copper Company and the Mercantile National Bank during the financial stringency of 1907, and more particularly that part involving F. Augustus Heinze and directors of the company, were again under investigation today by the Federal grand jury. Heinze already is under indictment. Heinze also was the central figure in bankruptcy proceedings against the firm of M. Rothenberger & Co., whom David Lamar, claiming to represent Heinze, used as intermediary in the purchase of 8900 shares of Ohio copper stocks. Heinze denied that he had never authorized Lamar as his agent, and the Assistant U. S. Attorney, claiming to represent Heinze, used as intermediary in the purchase of 8900 shares of Ohio copper stocks. Heinze denied that he had never authorized Lamar as his agent, and the Assistant U. S. Attorney, claiming to represent Heinze, used as intermediary in the purchase of 8900 shares of Ohio copper stocks. Heinze denied that he had never authorized Lamar as his agent, and the Assistant U. S. Attorney, claiming to represent Heinze, used as intermediary in the purchase of 8900 shares of Ohio copper stocks.

### GOLDENDALE IS VISITED

Railroad Commission Takes in City on Official Inspection.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., June 8.—(Special.)—State Railway Commissioners Fairchild, Jones and Lawrence are making their first inspection trip over the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Road. They reached Goldendale at 8:30 last evening and spent a couple of hours here. Although Goldendale has had a railroad for four years this is the first time the Commission has been here officially. Accompanying the Commission were Assistant Attorney-General E. B. Tanner, Attorney Kern, and Assistant Passenger and Traffic Agent Jenkins, of the S. P. & S. Road. A complaint was filed with the Commission at Centerville asking for a regular agent and a depot at that place. Figures showing the amount of travel and the freight shipped from that place will be submitted to Mr. Perley, the expert statistician who assists the commission.

### Friendly Suit Brought.

MARSHFIELD, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—The friendly suit started to test the validity of the port law will be taken up by Judge John S. Coke in Circuit Court at Coquille next Monday and will be appealed as soon as possible to the Supreme Court. The members of the port commission wanted the suit so that they would have a court decision and no question could later come as to the lawfulness of their acts.

### Two Girls Examined.

SALEM, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—Forty-five young lawyers, including two girls, are writing in the state bar examinations today. The result will not be made known for a week.

### Night Trains During Festival Week.

The Oregon Electric Railway Company will have special cars leaving Portland for Salem and intermediate stations at 11 o'clock, and for Hillsboro and Forest Grove at 11:30 each evening during Rose Festival week.

### FIGHTING PREACHER HAS HIS DANDER UP

Announces He Will Prosecute Trustees to Limit on Assault Charge.

### WIFE IS FINED ONE DOLLAR

Found Guilty of Flourishing Gun in Face of Crowd—Question of Legality of Marriages Performed by Rev. Buss Is Raised.

COLFAX, Wash., June 8.—(Special.)—The first round in the legal battle resulting from the quarrel between Rev. Herbert G. Buss, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and the trustees of the latter societies was won today by the church when Mrs. Buss was found guilty by a jury in Justice Court on a charge of flourishing a gun in a crowd and was fined \$1 and costs. The case will be appealed.

The case against the pastor on a similar charge was dismissed but the fight is not yet ended, for Rev. Buss tonight stated he would secure warrants tomorrow charging the trustees with assault with intent to murder and would prosecute them to the limit. During an altercation between the attorney for the defense, J. T. Brown, and the Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, J. W. Matthews, the latter, after Brown had aimed a blow at him, attempted to retaliate by striking his opponent with a chair and would undoubtedly have landed on him but for the intervention of Deputy Sheriff Cole, who sprang between them and caught the chair as it was descending on Brown's head. The next move looked for on the part of the trustees is the publication of a number of letters they say they have recently received from a town in Oklahoma where Buss was formerly pastor. In these it is stated he was excluded from the church; the trustees here assert, and

that since then he has not been legally qualified to perform clerical office or officiate at weddings. If this contention is correct, which is believed doubtful as far as the performing of marriages, at least is concerned, the row in the church will result in a number of people whom the pastor has united in marriage having to have the ceremony performed again.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

George F. Watson and his son, H. H. Watson, of Philadelphia, are spending several weeks with W. A. Steeman, Jr., publisher of the Oregon City Courier and the Albany Daily Herald, at the latter's home in Oregon City. George F. Watson is president of the New York & Pennsylvania Redwood Company, which owns large tracts of timber land in Washington and California. Casus H. Brown, of Ontario, ex-county Judge of Malheur, and D. E. Purcell, a contractor of that city, are Portland visitors this week. Both are delegates to the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting next week, but the Rose Carnival was an attraction that brought them earlier. They are guests of the Noronia.

### Trustees Are Named.

SALEM, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—Governor Benson today named the following trustees of the Oregon State Horticultural Society: R. Carlwell, Portland, to serve until December 1, 1909; L. T. Reynolds, Salem, to serve until December 1, 1909; H. C. Atwell, Forest Grove, to serve until December 1, 1911.

### Tacoma Shipping News.

TACOMA, June 8.—The steamer Tam-

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with Government freight for Nome, shifted to Seattle this morning. The steamer Farallon has discharged her cargo and is expected to shift to Seattle late tonight.

The American-Hawaiian line Mexican arrived in port today to load general freight for the Hawaiian Islands. The steamer Charles Nelson has shifted to Everett to load lumber for San Pedro.

### Logger Is Drowned.

ASTORIA, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—August Bergman, an employe at the Armstrong & Leonard logging camp on the Nasel River, in Pacific County, Wash., was drowned yesterday afternoon by falling overboard while driving logs through a dam in the Nasel River. He grabbed a piling and held on for a few moments, but lost his hold before assistance could reach him. Later the body was recovered about a mile below where the accident occurred. Bergman was about 45 years old and well known in Pacific County.

### HINDU PLOT IN COURT

COMPLAINING ORIENTAL REPEATS WEIRD STORY.

Says Countrymen Took Revenge on Him in California to Settle Indian Feud.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The courtroom of Judge Cabanis was filled with Hindus today when Mobarik Ali, Barga Kahn and Jamell Kahn appeared for trial on the charge of robbing Mohammed Kaba, a vendor of tamales. The testimony of the complaining witness revealed the existence of a feud extending from the Orient to this country. Kaba formerly lived in Hongkong.

where he and Ali became bitter enemies. He says that Ali followed him to this city, estranged his friends, the Kahns, and induced them to torture and rob him. They tied his hands between his feet, filled his mouth with sand, beat him almost double, carried him from his room and threw him into a vacant lot.

Kaba formerly was an interpreter, and asserts that one of the motives of the crime was his refusal to give false testimony for a fellow countryman. The defendants claim that Kaba tied and tortured himself in order to have them sent to prison.

### Grocers Close Thursday Noon.

At the regular meeting of the Portland Retail Grocers' Association held last night at the Commercial Club it was decided to close all the grocery stores at noon Thursday to give the clerks and employes an opportunity to enjoy the Rose Festival in the afternoon. Several of the grocery stores will close all day. The jobbers will close at noon.



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