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Program for the Teachers In Session by the Sea.

INSTITUTE AT GARDINER.

Following is the program of Teachers' Institute at Gardiner, commencing Monday, Aug. 16th MONDAY EVENING.

Social session-Convention at 8 o'clock p. m.
Addresses of welcome by the citizens
and in response by the visitors.

TUESDAY. Morning session-Opening exercises, 9 o'clock.

Physiology, 9:10 to 10:30. Recess, 10:30 to 10:40. School organization and management ROBEBURG, OR. iternoon sension— continued, 1:30 to 2:20. Reading 2:20 to 4.

> Morning session-Opening exercises, 9 to 9:10. Language, 9:10 to 10. Grammar, 10 to 10:45. Recess, 10:45 to 10:55. Orthography, 10:55 to 12. Afternoon session— History, 1:30 to 3:45. General discussion, 3:15 to 4.

THURSDAY. Morning aession-Opening exercises, 9 to 8:10.

Mental Arithmetic, 9:10 to 10:10.

Written Arithmetic, 10:10 to 10:50. Recess, 10:50 to 11.

WEDNESDAY.

Written Arithmetic continued, II Geography, 11:30 to 12. Afternoon session Geography. 1:30 to 2:50. Recess, 2:50 to 3.

General discussion, 3 to 1. The chief instructors in the institute are as follows: Profs. J. H. Ackerman, of Portland; R. B. Dilworth, of Rose burg; Louis Barzes, of Drain. Lecturers: Dr. Kuykendall, of Eugene; O. P. Coshow and R. B. Dilworth,

f Roseburg Committee on music: Miss Maud Cornwall, Miss Bell Wade, of Gardiner, and Mrs. Geo. Short, of Wilbur.

In the matter of teachers' institutes the law of this state is as follows:

The county superintendent shall hold annually a teachers' county institute for a term of not less than three days, for the instruction of teachers and those de siring to teach, and all teachers in the public shools of his county shall be required to attend, and the county super-intendent may at his discretion revoke

attending without good cause shown.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

Fate of Three Alaska Prospectors. A Seattle dispatch of the 5th inst.

There now remains no doubt as to the Batcher and J. W. Malique, the Cook's inlet miners, who have been missing since April. Blackstone's body has been found, and on his body was a diary stat-ing his partners had frozen to death. When the steamer Lakme sailed from Seattle for Cook's inlet, Alaska, in

March, 1896, she carried among her pas-sengers Blackstone, Batcher and Ma-lique. The men attempted to cross the

an hour of the summit, and drove us be-fore it, and drove everything we had over the cliff, except our blankets and

der to prevent starving to death he was forced to kill and est the spimal, but it was of no avail; no relief came and he

was of no avail; no relief came and he starved or froze to death.

On May 27, just two months after the men left Sunrise City, the body of Blackstone was found by George Hall, a prospector from Seattle, and the remains were buried. Blackstone was 39 years old, was a native of Oregon and had lived in Portland, Centralia, and Seattle.

Batcher was a native of Montana, was 35 years of age, and for many years followed mining.

#### NOTE AND COMMENT.

There is more joy in the populat camp over one business failure, than over nine-ty and nine jobs that are now open to

Salem has a mule hack team that wears pants. She had several jackseses in pants just before the last election but they are nearly all over it now.

Klondicitis ig given as the name of a new disease that has attacked many. There is said to be no cure for it except to allow it too run its course. - Democrat

For the first time in the bistory of the state, Oregon's governor has a salaried stenographer employed by the year. This is retrenchment and reform with a vengeance.-Statesman "The new tariff cuts very severely into

protection granted to the sugar refiners under the Wilson bill "From "Sugar Trade Journal." (official organ of the American sugar interests).

"If the promise of the harvest fields is fulfulled, it will be hard for theorists to persuade a thriving people that they need monetary panaceas to keep them out of the poor-house."—New York democrats.—Oregon City Enterprise. persuade a thriving people that they need monetary panaceas to keep them out of the poor-house."—New York World

It is none too soon for the government to be getting ready for the relief expedi-

Gen. T. G. Reames of Jacksonville has received a letter from a miner whom he stance for the United States wheat-grow s aked many years ago, when he was er. He will from present crop indications, have from 75,000 600 to 100 000,00 0 to 100 000,00 0 nushels more to sell than he had in 1896. Here is one of the causes for the recent growth in business confidence in the able to pay .- Tidings.

one in the Rogue river vallet—and there is no doubting it. Wheat is bringing a nominate candidates for It. good price and in all the large markerthe price is climbing higher each day; follow up the suggestion by persistent fruit is in abundance here and every in advocacy. There is some doubt as to its

Here is a str-ight tip from a newspa-per called "Brains:" "There's only one-right way to advertise and that is to nammer your name, your location and so radical a change in our political sysyour business so insistingly and so thoroughly into the people's head that if they walk in their sleep they will inthe certificate, reduce the grade or refuse stinctively turn their steps toward your

schemes. With that betterment which is now so surely approaching, the ocenpation of the demagogue and the Utopian freamer will be gone."-New York The London Chronicle aunounces that

the final meeting between the bim-tallic committee, headed by Senator Wolcott, and Lord Salisbury, will take place dur-ing the latter part of next week at the the commission of the government's de-

portage glacier on a prospecting tour and were frozen to death. It is evident Blackstone made his way down the glacier to where it pitches into Prince William sound. His body was found at the foot of the glacier, together with the remains of his dog. On his body was the following memorandum:

being the fiercest of that dibbarable pest to be found anywhere. Even New Jerry, which heretofore has carried off the palm in that line, takes second place. Taking account of these voracious manically account of the palm in that line, takes second place. Taking account of these voracious manical second place at the palm in that line, takes second place. The pest to be found anywhere. Even New Jerry, which heretofore has carried off the palm in that line, takes second place. Taking account of these voracious manical second place. The pest to be found anywhere. Even New Jerry, which heretofore has carried off the palm in that line, takes second place. Taking account of these voracious manical second place. All the pest of the pest of the period of the palm in that line, takes second place. Taking account of these voracious manical second place. All the period of the period

scription of that section. While digging gold in the far north some son-of-a-sea-cook ran away with his wife, but he had them located on Lake creek, Lane county, and when last seen was traveling west with blood in his eye and a six shooter in his boot leg."

over the cliff, except our blankets and moose hide, which we all crawled under. The temperature is supposed to have been 40 deg, below zero. Friday I started for salt water. I don't know how I got there with the outfit Saturday afternoon. I gathered up everything, and have enough grub for ten days providing the bad weather don't set in. Sport was blown over the cliff. I think I hear him howl every once in a while."

It would appear that Blackstone went over the cliff with the intention of finding his dog. From his diary it seems that he found his dog, and finally in order to prevent starving to death he was typed to have the blood in his eye and a six shooter in his boot leg."

Hon. Thomas H. Tongue writes us that he is having quire a discussion with the engineering department over Port Orford harbor improvements. Mr. Tongue takes the stand that the act is mandatory, but the department insists that it is not; that the money is to be expended if in the opinion of the engineers it is deemed advisable. Mr. Tongue does not express much hope for success.—Port Orford Tribune.

It must be discouraging to those who have been insisting that the fee coinage of silver at a false ratio is the only hope for business prosperity to find that nature is co-operating with those other ele-ments which they insisted were banded against their theory, and is now supplying not only plential crops at profitable prices, but producing an enormously increased quantity of gold from new mines as well as old ones in every part of the world.

lowed mining.

Malique was a native of Indiana, was 38 years of age, was a graduate of Hamilton college, Me., and was a practical miner. For many years he had as a partner Mr. Hall, the hero of this story.

Canadians are talking of a new roate to the Klondyke 5000 miles long, but 90 per cent of which will be by water. It is projected by way of Hudson's Bay, Great Slave Lake, Mackenzie River and Porcupine River, the latter a tributary of the Yukon. Navigation is open five worth in the year. Several connecting

free silver; sundry nations which had tested free silver are going to the gold standard, and none of those which had tested the gold standard are coming back to free silver; the international conference on the silver question is promised, and practically every assertion made by the silver orators of last year is being proven false. They will have little left to talk about when the campaign opens. paign opens.

The grubstake, like the mortgage, seductive. In exceptional cases it fur-nishes the means of fortune, but is more generally productive of generating enmiry, disampointment and chigrin Times are certainly improving, and the sill soon be a show to earn a little money. A very small and independent grubstake, even if earned ty hard licks, is better than going well beeled to the gold district with a mortgage on your life,-Oregon City Press.

The report is being circulated by cer-tain parties that Mr. Bryan did not re-ceive and would not take a cent of the "The house sugar rate is written in the tariff bill, not the corruptly purchased senate rate. It is a great victory for right, for justice, and for the people."

—New York World (Democratic).

"If the promise of the harvest fields is

As Europe's wheat crop in 1897 will be from 100,000,000 to 120,000,000 husbets smaller than that of 1896 and as the reserves of wheat on hand at the present succor the mutable many now crazily beading for the frozen swamps of the the wheat market for the next six of the next six o

growth in business confidence in the West.

nominate candidates for U. S. senator in state convention. We hope it will dication points to an unusually good correctness in saying that this would be price —Medford Mail. rem. If the desired end can be gained without it would be as well not to make the change. There is an "other side" to the proposition for popular elections
---Yambill Reporter.

On account of the great size of the county and the large number of teachers therein, two sessions of the institute will be held this year, one at Gardiner commencing August 16th, and one later in the year at Roseburg, and all teachers in the county are requested to attend one or the other as the law provides. No teacher must expect to be excused from attending without good are requested from a from the price of bicycles was at the cut came in izer, the difference between republicans and democrates on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is only a matter of degree. Being a democrate on the tariff question is "The case of the farmers has certainly been hard for several years past. It has been a principal cause of discontent and the fruitful mother of wild financial street, which severals, with that betterment which shown that our industries need protec-tion to some extent and to that extent democracy favors it."

For the past dozen years experts all over the world have been saying that the quick-firing and long-range rifles have made cavairy well nigh obsolete in war But a still barder blow to cavalry will ing the latter part of next week at the foreign office. Most of the members of the cabinet will be present, and it is not only cover more ground in a day than the horse, but it is far cheaper and the commission of the government's demore convenient than the horse, and in warfare its rider will be far less exposed to dange. The bicycle has been intro-duced into the military service of France. Clondyke mosquitoes are described as being the fiercest of that unbearable pest to be found anywhere. Even New Jerto be found anywhere. Even New Jerto be found anywhere is carried off the put its usefulness in this field to a practical place. tical test. Lieut, Moss and his command of the 25th United States Infantry have shown its adaptability to the uses of eaters, and also the hip the congress below zero thermometer gets on one, and the raking in of gold nuggets in the Alaskan fields is attended with considerable drawbacks.

Harrisburg Review: "A gentleman who claims to have made a stake in the Clondyke country entertained a crowd the congress of the country entertained a crowd to the congress of the country entertained a crowd to the congress of mains of his dog. On his body was the following memorandum:

"Saturday, April 4, 1897.—This is to certify that George Batcher froze to death Tueeday night, J. W. Malique died Wednesday forenoon, C. A. Blackstone had his ears, nose and four fingers on his right hand and two on his left band frozen an inch back. The storm drove us on before it overtook us within an hour of the summit, and drove us becook ran away with his wife, but he had



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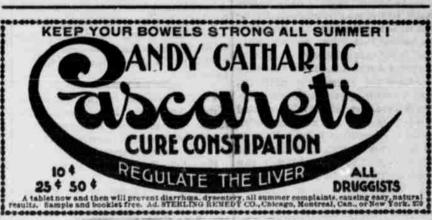
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