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consider when preparing to send Arthur, Augustus or Albert to a distant institution.

In many a home of modest means the family scripps and scrapes to save enough money to give to sons the advantages of a college training.

Those who plan best for the future of youth keep ever before their minds the dignity of labor and the superiority of the things that lie at our doorsteps.

It is doubtful if there is virtue in sending our youth to schools afar, when we have excellent institutions in our own commonwealth.

The savings of years are expended, and a boy often spoiled for anything but a "fresh package of cigarettes."

SECRETARY OLCOTT'S SUGGESTION

SECRETARY OLCOTT says that, by shortening the processes, a saving of 25 per cent can be secured in the administration of the corporation tax law.

It is refreshing to find an official bent on cutting away red tape, reducing employes and rounding a system of official procedure into simplicity.

Aldrich said he could cut down the cost of federal administration in this country \$300,000,000 a year.

Antiquated forms, roundabout processes and clumsy methods are everywhere in the public service.

The public business should be done as private business is done.

A SPECIAL INVESTIGATION

NEAR STATESMEN at Washington insist that there should be a report from the tariff commission before any step be taken for revision of the schedules.

In actual fact, weird as it may seem, this so-called expert, traveling at government expense, is writing special articles to the Times, advising readers to stand pat.

GOLD

THERE is wide discussion as to the influence of the gold supply on the prosperity of the world.

One school maintains that the increasing gold supply cheapens money and reduces its purchasing power.

At present, the increase in the supply of gold is about five per cent, and all the great gold camps are working to capacity.

still on the silver basis because there is not enough gold to go around.

REFRIGERATED AIR

WHEN THE big hotel companies of Chicago and New York undertook to build hotels of ultra-modern, they did not stop to count the cost.

Not only is the air refrigerated, but it is also filtered. And when it is inhaled into the lungs of the guest, it is pure air, free from all contagion, germs or noxious disease.

Bright Prospects in Grant County

There is a remarkable telephone girl in Springfield.

There was testimony before the senate committee that Mr. Hines told Governor Deeney, by phone, that Taft and Aldrich wanted Lorimer for senator.

THE TRADE COMMISSION

THE TRADE commission bill introduced by Senator Newlands proposes a tribunal for interstate trade similar to the commerce commission for interstate carriers.

THE BOMB OR THE BABY

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE is making a grand struggle to get ice for the babies of the poor.

An Editor's Paradise

That Was All

The Latest Improvement

The Journal does not agree with writers who complain of Catholic intolerance in education.

THE SPIDER'S JOB

OLD SUBSCRIBER: Finding a spider in your paper was neither good luck nor bad luck.

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conscience. It has no patience with battles of the creeds, and believes that, in education, in religion and in citizenship all denominations are following the light as they see it.

SMALL CHANGE

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Letters From the People

What are the sweetest words? "Mother," "wife," "daughter," "Put sweatshirt first," suggests a young man.

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OREGON SIDELIGHTS

Beaverton celebrated in the old way, but fortunately nobody was killed or injured.

Complaints of insufficient fire escapes are being investigated by the authorities at The Dalles.

Young ladies of La Grande raised money for a school by giving for a bathhouse at Riverside park.

Clatsop county timbermen have petitioned the county court for the appointment of an additional fire warden.

Astoria has completed all negotiations for the purchase of the combination chemical and hose auto wagon, for \$5750.

The farmers of southern and southeastern Wasco county are to have a bridge across the Deschutes river at La Grange, which will give them a direct route to The Dalles.

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Lorimer and Lumber

By Mark Sullivan in Collier's

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Tanglefoot

By Miles Overholt

THE SALEM LIAR

It was down in Hoopla county, Arizona, when I proved to my own satisfaction that varmints had been reasoning powers."

"Pretty soon I felt something wiggling across my hand. I awoke with a start to see a tarantula tugging at my thumb."

"I lost no time in going, believe me, and there I found a spring of ice cold water. Well, I quenched my thirst, and I happened to think of the tarantula that had saved my life."

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

Roastin' Ears

Soon we'll all be gay and happy as bay steers! Soon we'll wipe away the briny, flowing tears!

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