

HOST KNEW HOW TO END ARGUMENT

Only Two in Party, It Was Found, Pronounced "Aviator" Correctly.

Maybe you think you know how to pronounce the word "aviator" but do you? And probably you do not know that the word originally applied only to a flying machine, and not to the operator also as it does now.

There are many wise folks buzzing around in Portland's social swim who think they have the little word down pat—just like hundreds of others, just as wise, who would willingly wager that they can pronounce correctly and define such innocent appearing words as limousine, garage, aerogram, dirigible, mag-neto, acrobat and aeromaniac.

A few evenings ago a dozen of well known Portlanders gathered in a Portland Heights' home, when someone started an argument regarding the pronunciation of "aviator." The argument got heated and finally the host set them all right and ended the discussion.

He did it by referring to the New Modern Illustrated Dictionary, one he had secured by clipping six coupons from consecutive issues of the paper and presenting them and a small cash bonus at The Journal business office. Turning to page 70, he found that everyone in the party had pronounced the word wrong save two. Instead of pronouncing the first "a" long, the correct way, the majority of his guests had been making the "a" short.

This experience is not unusual. Scarcely a day passes for anyone without that person, encountering some word that he cannot pronounce or define. And this very fact is reason enough why every family should have a dictionary in the home. It is a necessity, an educator.

Get the New Modern Illustrated Dictionary and see how wrong you are. The terms above are a few of the easier ones used in aero-auto talk. Get one of The Journal dictionaries, and learn them all. Be up to date!

Alfred W. Lawson, editor of "Aircraft" and Julian Chase, editor of "Motor" prepared this department of the dictionary, which is splendidly illustrated by photographic reproductions of the latest models of aeroplanes and heavier than air craft.

Recollect other members of the family are interested if you are not. Six certificates and a small cash bonus, presented at The Journal and the dictionary is yours. It's easy, isn't it?

BOARD OF CONTROL PICKS SECRETARY

R. B. Goodin, Asylum Book-keeper, Is Selected; Salary Is \$2400 Yearly.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 6.—The state board of control, created by an act of the last legislature, has selected R. B. Goodin, for many years bookkeeper at the state insane asylum, as its secretary. The salary is \$2400 a year.

This position absorbs the position of state purchasing agent, which is held by C. D. Frazier, and also includes all the clerical duties in connection with the institutions, which were formerly part of the work of the secretary to the governor.

Mr. Goodin is a Republican and Mr. Frazier is a Democrat, but members of the board assert that Goodin was selected because of his eminent qualifications, regardless of politics. Goodin was formerly county clerk of Washington county, and his past employment by the state has given him an intimate knowledge of the state institutions and their needs.

School Fairs in Tillamook Towns.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 6.—In Tillamook county school fairs will be held this year at Tillamook, Beaver, Cloverdale, Bay City, Nehalem, and perhaps at Oregon, according to N. C. Maria, field worker for industrial fairs, who has just returned from a visit to that county. "With an energetic, aggressive school superintendent, a competent corps of teachers, an ambitious bunch of pupils and a cooperative public, the schools of Tillamook county are progressing with rapid strides," said Mr.

LOSS OF FINGER EVIDENCE THAT PRISONER IS ROBBER



Safe at Springfield, Or., after robbers had dragged it into alley and blown it open, the explosion, from blood around the scene, apparently wounding one man.

(Special to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., May 6.—Two men, who are believed to be members of the gang who blew up the safe of the Springfield Night company in Springfield Thursday night and obtained about \$150, are in the county jail here. They were given an examination in the Springfield justice court and each bound over in the sum of \$2000 to appear in circuit court next month. One of the men, who gives his name as Mike Maloney, has a badly injured hand, the middle finger of the left hand being torn off and the third finger on the same hand badly mashed. When arrested, the wounds showed that they had not been dressed properly, and as they appeared fresh and as a large amount of blood

was on the safe and on the ground at the scene of the robbery indicated that one of the robbers was hurt, the officers believe that this is good evidence against Maloney. The other suspect gives his name as Thomas Clark. He is only 21 years of age, while Maloney is 12 or 15 years older. The two men were seen together during the day, but each was alone at the time of their arrest.

Maria. "They are not only interested and doing good work in their text books, but they have caught the spirit of the industrial propaganda and are busy learning to do some of the practical things in life."

Convicts to Get Two Bits Daily.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 6.—Work at the state penitentiary brickyard was started today for this season. As the prison, when the new laws go into effect in June, will be under the control of the state board instead of the governor alone, State Treasurer Kay and Secretary of State Oicott visited the institution yesterday afternoon in making arrangements for the brickyard operations. They decided, upon recommendation of Superintendent Lawson, to pay the convicts working in the brickyard 25 cents a day. The yard will be run to full capacity all season.

Water Survey Contract Signed.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 6.—The contract between the state and the reclamation service of the government for the cooperative survey of the water resources of Oregon was signed yesterday afternoon. Engineers E. P. Hopson and Whittle were here representing the reclamation service. The state and the government each put up \$50,000 for the work. Most of the fund will be spent on the Deschutes river, but the contract allows a portion of it to be spent on other streams.

Buffalo Has \$500,000 Fire.

(Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—A \$500,000 loss is reported here today in the destruction by fire of the American Agricultural Chemical company plant.

Spring Time—Auto Time

Perhaps if you knew of an opportunity to buy an auto at a bargain you would not hesitate in taking advantage of it. There are auto snags offered every day in The Journal's automobile column in the classified section. Keep an eye on this column and, in a short time you will find the bargain you can handle.

VICE COMMISSION OPPOSES DISTRICTS

Chicago, Which Has a Segregated District, Declares It Is a Failure in Report.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, May 6.—Absolute annihilation of Chicago's notorious red light district, which it intimates is recruited from women who exist on starvation wages, is the central recommendation in a preliminary report by the Chicago city council's vice committee which was appointed last October and which report was made public today.

The report holds plainly that the employers of underpaid women are responsible for their downfall, and recommends a special inquiry into the subject of low wages and their relation to prostitution.

Further, the report recommends the immediate wiping out of the segregated district and urges that all resorts be subjected to "constant repression with a view to their total annihilation." The report also favors the appointment of a city housing commission, investigation of the tenement problem and the education of parents so they may properly instruct their children on the problems of sex.

The report says in part: "The existence of the segregated district furnishes an open market for the white slave traffic. Commercialized vice has no rights that ought to be respected or conserved. Segregation does not segregate, nor regulation regulate. Abundant evidence is furnished that the efforts in Chicago and elsewhere to restrict the business within a given zone has always resulted in spreading it to other districts."

MAY SIXTH IS A GREAT DAY FOR DEMOCRATS

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, May 6.—Representative Underwood of Alabama, leader of the Democratic majority in the house, was 51 years old today. Joseph P. Tumulty, President Wilson's private secretary, was 34 years old yesterday, and Representative Palmer 41.

"Let's have a triple celebration," suggested Underwood. They held a whispered conversation and then separated with fingers crossed.

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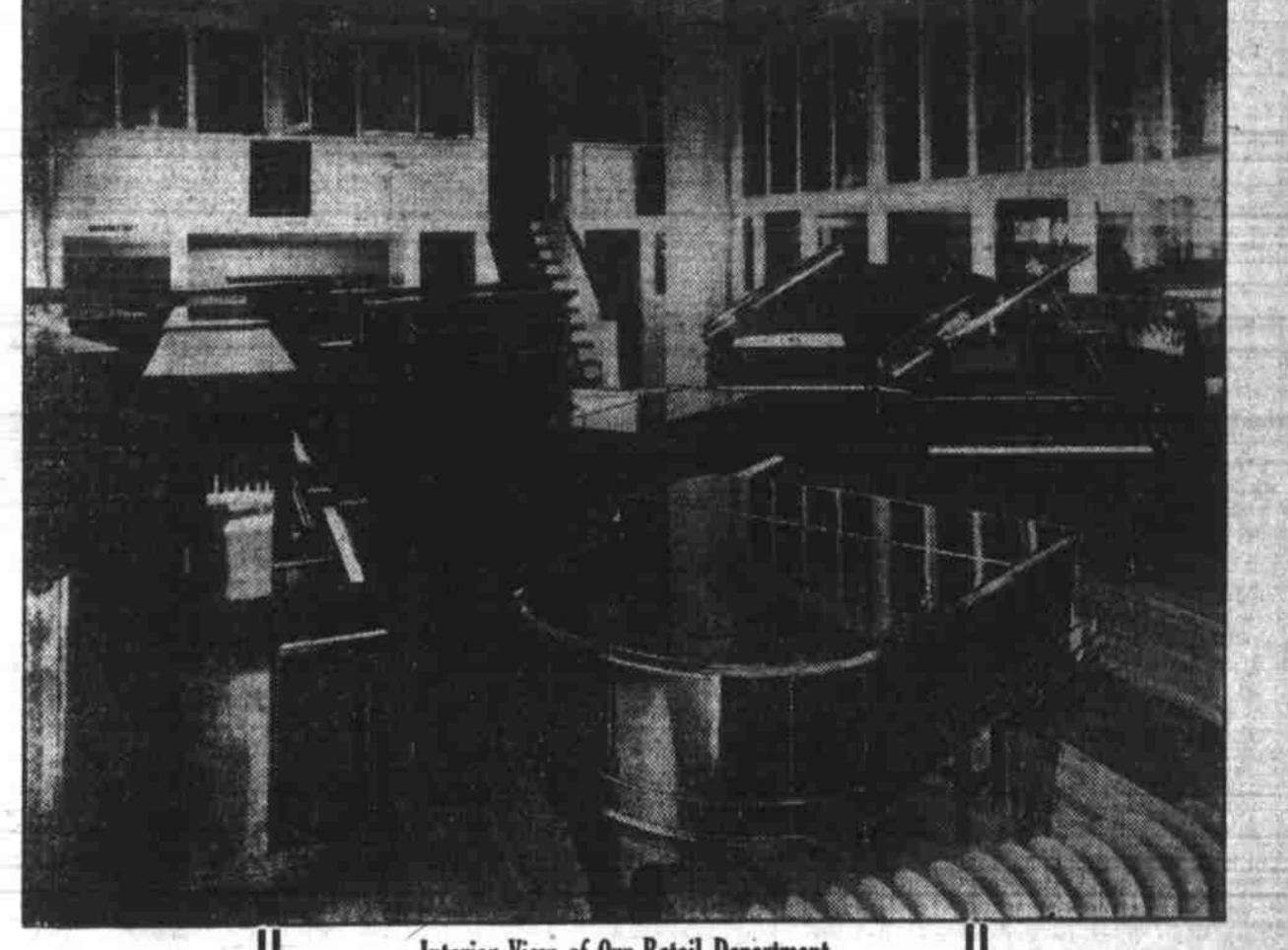
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