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Good teachers from the schools, actually driven from the ranks by starvation salaries, no less an authority than State Superintendent Churchill asserts that unless something is done at once at least 800 Oregon schools will be teacherless the coming year...

Paul V. Maris, who has been made director of extension at Oregon Agricultural college, is an Oregon boy, trained in Oregon, intimately acquainted with Oregon's rural needs...

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WHERE there is one smile, there is apt to be two, or more. JUNIOR BUSINESS MEN has been organized in a number of cities. A few are successfully operating in cities like St. Louis.

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MORE OR LESS PERSONAL
Random Observations About Town

Extra! Tommy Finnegan has done it! He really was expected, but it happened rather suddenly at that, and accounts for the fact that Finnegan is absent from his post as cashier at the Portland hotel for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Walker of Elroy, Wis. are stopping at the Cornelius Hotel. Mr. Walker is now conducting them into the city. Richter admits he does not come to Portland on the songs of the sheriff, because Orr is said never to sing while on duty.

IMPRESSIONS AND OBSERVATIONS OF THE JOURNAL MAN

By Fred Lockley
The West is little understood about the world. It is not a matter of a monthly periodical which should try to interpret the best of the West to the East, and at the same time one hand washing the other as the West prescribes for the East and the Occidental people as its object.

THE FOUNDERING MINISTER
From the London Times
Sir Mackenzie Chalmers, the parliamentary draftsman, speaking to the Law society on the drafting and passing of acts of parliament, said that he had instructions for one important bill scribbled in pencil on the back of an envelope.

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Uncle Jeff Snow Says:

This idea of wearin' overalls and jimpers 'stead of \$100 new suits ain't nuthin' new for most of us fellers that's earned some or all of our cat's the last year or so. We're plumb used to wearin' old close, too. Some of us never had wore no other kind, I reckon. Bull's the clothin' that our folks wear, it never got us nowhere worth mentionin' as yet.

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