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Now, the Russian bear does not want a general European war, and the czar is doing nothing more, in sitting and watching the Porte and the Constanti-for itself than that which was embodnople trouble, than every intelligent ied in the act of congress of March 2, man in all the civilized countries of 1899. his frontier. He is going to Rheims, reserve the lands theretofore granted France, in a few days to meet Presi King Alfonso and several lesser sov-ereigns and he is not likely to prepare which said company's lines might exfor all this monarchical gionicing tend. The unfairness of this law, while all the time he is training his a whole, has been quite fully set forth cannon and hurling his hussars upon one or more of the countries of Northern Pacific has a few miles of Europe.

East Oregonian reporter brings to this office the information that he found a rock but slightly smaller than a Rugby football, and this stone was approximated in size by several thousand others

In the event the rock crushing can be done at a reasonable price and the that they did on Oregon. They might street thus improved, the residents contrive some plan by which the Southern Pacific could get a few thou-sand acres of land in Washington in

ent is just about as bombastic a per- ROBBED OREGON TO PAY WASHINGTON

travel will rejoice.

The Satem correspondent of th Portland Oregonian writes:

"Most unkindest cut of all" is the man the Constantinople trouble. He is the passage of an act allowing the promptly prepared petitions miles in Northern Pacific railway company to length, protesting against the measure. place scrip on unsurveyed timber lands in this state. It was bad enough when most astute European diplomatists its poor lands for valuable timber tains that Oregon did not want the ber lands in Oregon in lieu of comparatively worthless land in Washington, but only history will determine the enormity of the "crime of '99," by

which those timber lands could be se The lected in unsurveyed regions. Northern Pacific could hardly have

By the terms of this act the boundthe globe. And his intentions prob-aries of the Mount Rainier National they would have refused to vota for a ably are merely to use ordinary caution park were determined, and it was pro- bill lest some slight violence break out be-tween the two countries involved along with this park and the Pacific forest know of the impending danger, and could not be expected to appeal to it by the government, the Northern congressmen from Maine and Florida dent Loubet and Kaiser Wilhelm and Pacific railway company should have for protection.

Those Constantinople correspondents bel, and on the strength of that the

furnish some convenient material for company was permitted to select lands the use of headline writers on daily chose to give up in Washington. . . .

from his language. He said in his report to the house of representatives: . . .

"This legislation is strongly urged by the people of Washington, and the purpose is to preserve from injury or destruction the scenic and other natural beauties of Mount Rainier and the surrounding footlands embraced within the boundaries described in the bill for such park. Construction of the necessary tramways or railroads, hotel accommodations, etc., is proposed, so that this park may be preserved as a pleasure ground for tourists and health seekers. In order to obtain exclusive control thereover, the alternate odd numbered sections within the North-ern Pacific grant failing within the limits of the park can be released to the United States under section 3 of the proposed act, and other lands, in lieu thereof, given said company elsewhere upon its line. The railroad lands within the proposed park are in large part very heavily timbered, and hence their exchange for other lands will in no way injure the United States, but will be a direct public henefit.

The act is to be a "public benefit," in Washington, the United States is not to be injured, the Northern Pacific is to be protected by being given other lands "on its lines," so that if any body is to pay for all this desirable forest reserve business it must come out of Oregon.

. . . Yet Oregon's hope is not gone There is one way to make up for the loss. Oregon should induce Lewis and

Wilson to take up their residences in Oregon. They should then be sent to congress with instructions to play the same joke on the state of Washington

exchange for a public park in Oregon. The people of Oregon are not to be censured for quietly permitting the passage of this act of congress. They had no intimation of what was going on. If Senator McBride or Congress. Tongue or Commissioner Hermann had telegraphed Governor Geer the facts in regard to that forest re-serve bill the people would have The people of Oregon would have con-vinced the members of congress from tains that Oregon did not want the Northern Pacific to take unsurveyed timber lands in Oregon in exchange for lands it did not want in Washington. The congressmen from the Eastern states would not have forced upon Ore gon a law the people did not want They would have informed Mr. Lewis They would have informed Mr. Lewis that his bill could not receive their votes until he amended it so as to pro-a.m.; it to 3 p. m. that his bill could not receive their vide that the Northern Pacific must

take land in the same state as the DR. C. J. SMITH, OFFICE OVER THE land given up, and that the land taken must be surveyed. In response to the

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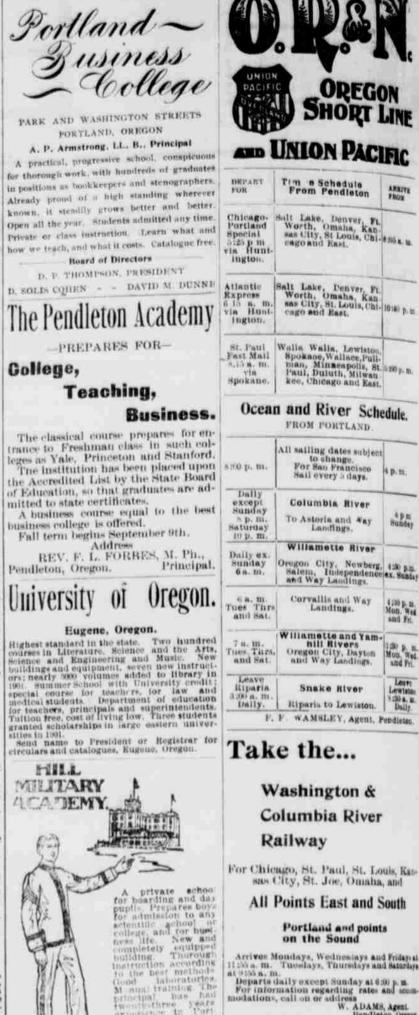
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papers, but those same headline writers grow weary no doubt penning one greater value.

The East Oregonian ventures the assertion that William R. Hearst, owner is not behind the project for the estab-Were Mr. Hearst making this scheme his, he would let his name be known, for the reason that he commands im-Nor is this all. Since the Northern mense influence and wealth financial- Pacific may take lands in unsurveyed ly, and, if he were known as the pro- townships, it will have another adposed paper's backer, there would be vantage in securing small tracts of no need to make promises regarding been made. When the official lines the installation of a suitable plant. have been run it will be found that He would draw a check, good in Hong there are many 40-acre tracts of good Kong, Kalamazoo or London or any other place in the world, and buy a plant. Furthermore, were Mr. Hearst contemplating establishing a paper in Destination of the state of good timber land adjoining lands the North-ero Pacific has taken. It will not profit a man to take up so small a tract and therefore the company will have the field to itself. The company Portland, he would establish it and has three months after the official sur-Fortland, he would establish it and make it famous as a news getter and which to examine the land and deterthen, when people were reading it in mine where its selection should be. great numbers, go to advertisers and The individual seeker for timber land demand their advertisements and get will not dare to make a timber land them.

It is probably true that the gentlemen who are hoping to establish the paper have made a contract with Mr. that the per upon which to print his publica. No censure can possibly attach to these tions

BOULDERS ON WEBB STREET.

Pendleton will learn gladly that there is some prospect that Webb street ber land in Washington, but the loss to is to be put into condition to be used. the people of Washington on this ac-During the summer that thoroughfare count is amply repaid by the fact that has been almost abandoned between its juncture with Court street and ing taxes in Washington has been in the woolen mills on Vincent street. duced to give up its lands in that state the woolen mills on Vincent street. A job of gravelling about as bad as any ever done in all the history of street making was partially finished under a contract the terms of which were not being carried out, hence its abandonment. Loaded teams have been driven on the other streets since early in the season, because they were compelled to go over what purported to be fine gravel but which was in fact a thick dressing of boulders. An

But this feature of the law, unjust day denials of what seemed imminent as it is, is one of its fairest provisions The most indefensible leatures are not the day before. If the correspondents known to the general public. Not satwould be more explicit and tell us isfied with coming into Oregon with an how many troops the czar has massed enormous advantage over the ordinary on the Turkish frontier and let us judge whether or not the troops' move-reach of the bona fide settler. The ments are the ordinary going from one Northern Pacific is not limited to the post to another, their work would have surveyed lands, but may go upon unsurveyed lands and take what it wants years before the individual settier has HEARST AND THE PORTLAND JOURNAL an opportunity to make an entry. The Northern Pacific need not give ac-curate description of the lands it of the New York Journal, Chicago this description may be corrected years

takes, but is required only to make as good a description as practicable, and American and San Francisco Examiner, hence, when the official survey has been made. Even a squatter's vague is not behind the project for the estab-lishment of a new daily paper in Port-flict with such a privilege as this. Iand. If Mr. Hearst were furnishing The Northern Pacific can get a comthe money he would not name the pa- plete title without describing the land, per "The Journal." He has now one bence a squatter cannot know whether he is settling upon land already taken. "Journal" printed in New York. It is impossible to tell where the lines

> Nor is this all. Since the Northern entry near a Northern Pacific selection until that three months has expired.

It really appears from this summary hat the "Urime of '99" was well Hearst to pay him for the use of his planned and faithfully executed. It special wire service between San Fran-cisco and New York and Chicago and other points from which he receives a special service. But Mr. Hearst will ton and its passage in the house was probably sell this service just as the the committee on public lands, James paper factories sell him print newspa- Hamilton Lewis, of the same state. two honorable gentlemen, for they were faithfully looking out for the interests of the state they represented. It is probably true that by means of this

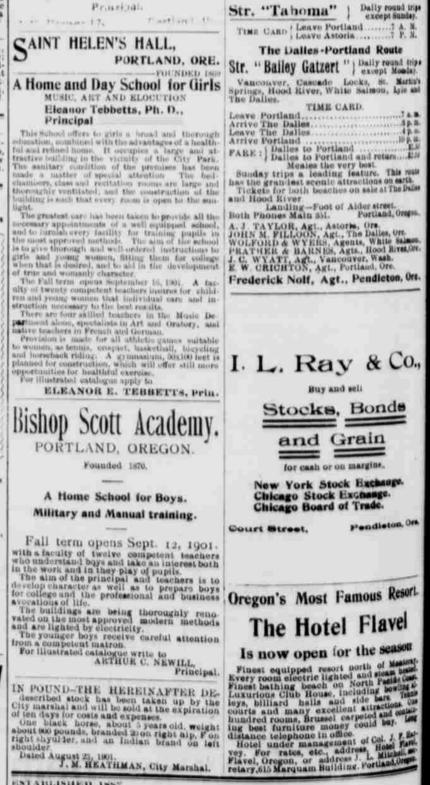
they have now a public park largely at Oregon's expense. A corporation pay-PENDLETON



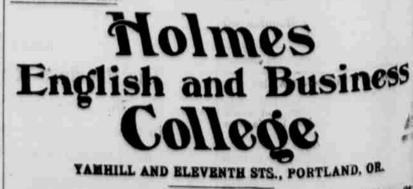


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