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SENT OVER DISMISSAL FROM FACULTY.

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May 19.—Eugene L. Schaefer, assistant principal of the Bishop Scott Academy, suicided at Baker City this morning, shooting himself in the mouth, dying instantly.

Particulars of the Suicide. Thursday Schaefer received a reduction in the faculty salary on account of economic conditions. His place was abolished. He was elected to the board in vain to defend himself and grew despondent over his dismissal. He was found in his class room. He left a letter to his wife, condemning the board. He shot himself in the mouth while the students were singing in the room. He fell on a desk, his blood spilling. Owing to the patronage school a reduction in the salary and expenses was made hence the dismissal of Schaefer.

He Snapped His Daughter. Mrs. Or. May 19.—Daniel Schaefer, of Portland, was arrested kidnapping his own daughter. He went to the home of his wife and took the child to his room. He was arrested before she got away. His sister, Mrs. Schaefer, was also arrested.

He Be Suicide Recovers. Mrs. Or. May 19.—J. F. Jackson, a dairyman of South Baker, attempted suicide by morphine poisoning. He was arrested by his sister, on the charge of murder, but will recover.

Death of Legislature Dead. Mrs. Or. May 19.—H. A. Smith, a member of the legislature, died last night of hemorrhage of the brain. He was a timber land dealer.

Power for Mines. Mrs. Or. May 19.—A new development company has been organized here to utilize the power of the falls, for furnishing power to operate all of the mines, mining machinery and Josephine county; also for power for an electric line to the Pass to the Walden copper mine. H. W. Ogilvie, of San Francisco, is the manager of the company.

Found Several Mares' Nests. Mrs. Or. May 19.—The police discovered several plots were arranged for the assassination of Alvin Karpis. It is believed the king had a escape.

Person as an Inventor. Mrs. Or. May 19.—People know that Thomas Edison was a great inventor. His were all of articles of every kind. He devised a three-legged stool that is the basis of stools of that kind today. The stool was made for his own use as a constant companion on occasions. The revolving chair was his invention. He designed a light copying press was devised and came into general use. He invented an instrument for measuring the distance he walked. A lamp cultivator showed that he was often on agricultural work. His plow received a gold medal in 1790. Jefferson bought it financially by his invention. It is believed they should be of use to everyone without cost.

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## DIFFERENT METHODS OF KEEPING AFLOAT.



WHAT HOT AIR CONSISTS OF—APPOINTED ATT'Y GEN'L (SATISFACTORY) ELECTED " " (SATISFACTORY) ELECTED DIST ATTORNEY (SATISFACTORY) TRIED AND NOT FOUND WANTING



THE FEE SYSTEM.

Mr. Furnish is in favor of continuing the present unconstitutional and unconscionable system of fees whereby the emoluments of state officers are swelled beyond all reason. As a result, all the beneficiaries of the present system are for Mr. Furnish and against Mr. Chamberlain.—Portland Journal.

## MARTINIQUE AND ST. VINCENT EARTHQUAKE IN CALIFORNIA

### GREAT QUANTITIES OF VOLCANIC DUST ARE FALLING.

Aid is Needed for Six Months to Come in St. Vincent's—President Roosevelt Issues a Statement—Mount Pelee Still Vomits.

Washington, May 19.—The navy department today received the following dispatch from Captain McLean, of the cruiser Cincinnati, from Fort de France: "Ashes and volcanic dust are falling thickly here. Now like a thick fog. Our decks are covered."

### Aid Needed in St. Vincent.

Washington, May 19.—The United States consul at Barbadoes wired the state department this morning as follows: "Sixteen hundred deaths on St. Vincent. Four thousand are destitute. Committee wants supplies. Aid is needed for six months. This is authentic."

### Statement From President.

Washington, May 19.—President Roosevelt issued an official statement today that a report as to the true condition of affairs in Martinique and St. Vincent would be made public as soon as it was received from the navy officials, now on relief duty in the West Indies. He adds until further information is received it is deemed best that receipt of subscriptions be suspended.

### Mount Pelee Still Vomits.

Paris, May 19.—The minister of colonies today received a dispatch from the acting governor at Martinique announcing the arrival of supplies from the United States and adds that at the time the dispatch was sent the volcano was vomiting great quantities of ashes on the communities on the southern part of the island. Violent explosions are heard in Le Carbet. The ministry of the colonies says the local administration is satisfied that sufficient supplies are arriving at Martinique for the relief of the destitute.

### Reject a Nomination.

Washington, May 19.—The senate this afternoon rejected the nomination of John Yost to be receiver of public moneys at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

### REGISTRATION IN COUNTY.

#### Pendleton Has 1110 Registered Voters, One-Fourth of All in County.

It will be several days before Deputy Clerk C. F. Kennedy will have the work on the registration books finished but he now figures that the total registration will be not far from 4440. The exact number may be a few more or a few less, but this is not far off.

This makes the registration about 250 short of what it was two years ago, when it should have been at least that much more.

Pendleton has just 1110 names on the books from the four precincts. This is one-fourth the voters of the whole county.

## AT VACAVILLE WALLS OF BUILDINGS WERE CRACKED

### Goods in Stores Were Thrown From the Shelves—The Shock Felt at San Francisco.

Vacaville, May 19.—The severest shock of earthquake since 1891 occurred here at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The walls of a number of buildings were cracked and goods thrown from the shelves.

### Felt in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 19.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt in this city this morning.

### Messages Dealt With Peace.

London, May 19.—A number of messages from Milner governor of Cape Colony, were received in London today. It is believed they dealt with the present peace situation in South Africa.

### Helena, 7; Portland, 1.

Portland, May 19.—In the Sunday ball game, Helena, 7; Portland, 1.

### T. D. OLIVER.



The East Oregonian artist caught Mr. T. D. Oliver in a familiar pose on Pendleton's main street. Mr. Oliver was discussing one of his favorite topics and enjoying a good smoke.

## THE ANTHRACITE MINERS

### THOUSANDS OF THEM SEEKING OTHER OCCUPATIONS

### Railroads and Coal Companies Discharge All Their Clerks and Other Employees in Consequence of the Strike.

Hazleton, Pa., May 19.—The possibility of 300,000 bituminous miners of the country joining the ranks of the 137,000 anthracite men continues to buoy up the hope among many classes in this region that the fight will be short and victory the reward. President Mitchell expressed himself this morning as being more than satisfied with the situation. The exodus of foreign miners to east and west in search of other employment or to their native lands continues. Thousands of additional clerks and other employees were suspended this morning by the railroad and coal companies.

### Harriman Party in Portland.

Portland, May 19.—E. H. Harriman and party arrived in Portland late this afternoon. They will be given an informal banquet tonight by the Chamber of Commerce at the Arlington Club. They may remain in this city for four days.

### Oregon Gets Her Share.

The jury of awards of the Charleston exposition gave to Oregon exhibitors 14 gold medals, four silver medals, 17 bronze and 82 honorable mentions. Among those receiving gold medals are the state of Oregon for grains, grasses and forage plants, hops, wool and mohair, vegetables; Oregon Agricultural college, grains and grasses; American Linseed company, Portland, oil and meal; J. R. Brown, Corvallis, flax; W. B. Glafke, Portland, creamery butter; J. H. Kiser, potatoes; Lamberson Sons & Co., seeds; Oregon's Woman Flax Fibre association, flax and its products; Pacific Pine Needle company, Grant's Pass, pine needle fibre and products; Southern Pacific company, Portland, cereals and grasses.

### Scribners for May.

An air of spring pervades Scribner's Magazine for May. It contains a beautiful drawing in color by Henry McCarter to illustrate Heine's "May-Song"; there is a breezy salt water narrative by James B. Connolly, who gives his adventures "On a North Sea Smack" (illustrated by M. J. Burns)—another of those inimitable fishing sketches which have already put Mr. Connolly in the first rank of writers of the sea; an exciting "Fight With a Muskallonge," by John R. Rathom, who in a very brief space gives his reader all the sensations that an expert fisherman gets in landing a gamy fish (illustrated with a spirited picture by A. B. Frost); and there is an "Early May" poem by John Burroughs.

Senator Mitchell introduced an amendment to the omnibus public building bill for a building at La Grande to cost \$125,000.

## SOME CONGRESSIONAL NEWS

### FILIPINO WOMEN ILL-TREATED BY ARMY OFFICERS

#### Attempt Will Be Made to Prevent Vote on Cuban Reciprocity Bill—Senator Teller Serves Notice.

Washington, May 19.—The most sensational testimony yet heard by the senate Philippines committee was given at this morning's session by Richard O'Brien, formerly a corpora of the Twenty-sixth Volunteers who charged violation of Filipino women by American officers at San Joaquin and the use of dum dum bullets. He also testified that he saw Captain McDonald, Lieutenant Blumber and Major Cook drink to excess in the convent at Igarroos, the officers disrobing to their underclothing and forcing the women to dance with them. At Lanong, the witness said peaceful natives were fired upon and a woman and two children, one at her breast, were permitted to perish in a burning house.

### Filibustering Promised.

Washington, May 19.—Senator Teller today served notice on Platt, of Connecticut, chairman of the senate committee on relations with Cuba that there would be a very long debate on the Cuban reciprocity bill after it is introduced. It is intimated that filibustering would be inaugurated in the senate to prevent a vote on the measure, which might keep congress in session until August.

### NEW YORK MARKET.

#### Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

New York, May 19.—The grain markets were quiet today and prices inclined to be lower. There were no foreign quotations on account of holiday in England. The visible supply shows a decrease for the week of 1,723,000 bushels, making a total of 33,577,000, compared with 42,498,000 bushels at this date last year. New York opened 80% and closed 80%. Chicago opened 74%, closing 74 1/2%.  
Closed Saturday, 80 1/2%.  
Opened today, 80%.  
Range today, 80 1/4 @ 80 3/4.  
Closed today, 80%.  
Sugar, 12 3/4%.  
Steel, 39 1/2%.  
St. Paul, 166 1/2%.  
Union Pacific, 103 1/2%.

### WEATHER FOR LAST WEEK.

During the week .71 inches of rain fell—Minimum temperature, 39.

William Hilton's weather report for the past week is as follows:  
Maximum temperature—Sunday, 72; Monday, 71; Tuesday, 80; Wednesday, 73; Thursday, 68; Friday, 69; Saturday, 63. Average, 70.9.  
Minimum—Sunday, 50; Monday, 43; Tuesday, 52; Wednesday, 55; Thursday, 42; Friday, 39; Saturday, 47. Average, 46.7.

Rain fall—Sunday, .11; Wednesday, .20; Friday, .16; Saturday, .24. Total, .71. Sunday and Wednesday were cloudy, Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday were partly cloudy and Tuesday was the only clear day of the week.

Sunday, Monday, Thursday and Friday the wind blew from the west; Tuesday and Saturday from the northwest, and Wednesday from the north.

### Free Methodist conference.

The Oregon conference of the Free Methodist church will hold its annual session in Portland next Wednesday, continuing until Sunday night. The services will be held in the First Methodist church. Bishop B. R. Jones, of Chicago, will preside. Rev. W. B. Olmstead, of the Free Methodist Publication House in Chicago will be present, in the interest of Sunday school work. Each of 25 churches in the state will be represented at the conference.

### Oregon Went and Conquered.

Henry E. Dosch, Oregon commissioner at the Charleston exposition, writes as follows under date of May 14: "Alls volat propris," to which must be added "Veni, vidi, vici," for Oregon again occupies the front seat. We were awarded today in horticulture 34 gold, 14 silver and one bronze medal. In forestry, 10 gold, four silver and one bronze medal, and one honorable mention. In mining, one gold, 18 silver and 34 bronze medals, and five honorable mentions, and more to hear from.

While swimming in Chico creek, Cal., Clyde Archibald, aged 20 years, was drowned. He was a recent arrival from Albany, Or.

## KILLED AND MAIMED

### Cyclone in Texas Kills 200 People and Cripples 200 More.

### MINE EXPLOSION IN TENNESSEE KILLS 100.

### One Man Only Saved, and He Was Blown Out of the Mouth of the Mine—Thirteen Lives Lost on Lake Killarney—Hurricane in British India.

Dallas, Texas, May 19.—Conservative estimates place the total number of deaths of the storm-stricken section at 100 and the wounded at 200. The total property loss is over \$1,000,000. Wires to many points are still down and details unobtainable. Goliad is one huge hospital. State aid is being dispatched from here. Two companies of militia are now on the ground.

### The Work of the Storm.

The latest reports from Goliad place the number of dead at fully 100 and the injured at 250. About 100 houses were destroyed. The strip devastated is about two blocks wide and a mile long. The western part of the city is wiped out. The work of devastation lasted less than five minutes. The bodies of all the dead were recovered and all the wounded are being cared for. There is urgent need for physicians and nurses and a number will come from other places.

### Terrible Loss of Life.

Nashville, Tenn., May 19.—At least 150 lives were lost this morning as the result of an explosion of gas in the Fraterville and Thistle mines in the Coal creek district. Of all the men at work in the mines at the time of the explosion, it is believed everyone of them perished except John Morgan, who was blown out of the mouth of the mine. The mines are now burning. Smoke and flames are gushing from the entrances and the air shafts in the mountain side.

### Mine Entrance Closed.

Three bodies have been taken out. The explosion took place in the Fraterville mine, and practically closed the Thistle mine. The entrance to the Fraterville mine is completely closed. A rescue party attempted to get in but failed.

### Storm Takes Thirteen Lives.

Killarney, Ireland, May 19.—A party of 13 persons lost their lives by the wrecking of their boat during a storm on the lake yesterday. The party consisted of nine tourists and four boatmen.

### Hurricane in British India.

Bombay, May 19.—The Province of Scinde, in British India, was visited by a destructive hurricane. Many lives were lost. Houses, bridges and embankments were destroyed, the property loss being heavy.

### SENATOR SIMON'S BROTHER.

#### He Was Mistaken for the Real Thing on His Way From Washington to Portland.

The Portland Telegram and Oregonian of the 16th instant, each contained the news that Senator Joseph Simon passed through Pendleton, Thursday morning, and was met at the train by Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of this city, who had a conference with Senator Simon regarding politics, but the enterprising correspondent of the Portland papers was not able to give the nature of the conference. As a matter of fact, Senator Simon did not pass through Pendleton, on his way from Washington, D. C. It was a brother of the senator, Sam Simon, who was on his way from New York, but the resemblance between the senator and this brother is so marked that Mr. Lowell was deceived and did not know any better until he asked Mr. Simon about Washington, D. C. The bystanders saw Mr. Lowell talking to Mr. Simon, and, thinking it was Senator Joseph Simon, they naturally jumped at the conclusion that it was a pre-arranged political conference. Hence the announcement, under a Pendleton date line, that Senator Joseph Simon was on his way home to Portland.