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# DAILY EVENING EDITION

Eastern Oregon Weather

Tonight and Friday fair.

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PENDLETON, UMATILLA COUNTY, OREGON, TUURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1903.

# DISASTROUS FIRE

marks of That City.

OLD PIKE OPERA

HOUSE IS DESTROYED.

Costumes and Plays alued at \$25,000-Loss of Proper-Destroyed May Exceed \$1,000,000 veral Narrow Escapes,

meinnati, Feb. 24 -The most disus fire that has visited this city a long time was discovered early morning in the basement of the pe opera house and in a short the whole building was in s. The Pike building, including Pike opera house, was soon de-mred also the Season-Good buildadjoining. The loss may exceed grain and grain products.

The Pike building contained almost by grain offices occupied by lawyers, art-

While the firemen were at work to the treet they saw a pair of cuffs tropped from a room. When picked up her found this inscription: "For da sake, save me, W. J. Jones." fremen rushed up stairs and dones, who was almost suffo-The origin of the fire is a

#### Were Old Landmarks

is not believed that any lives lost, though there are reports of missing. Burning embers carried for miles, the suburbs covered with them. Pike and other buildings destroyed with re among the city's landmarks. In the fire was discovered many were asleep in the buildings had narrow escapes

was great alarm among the ts of a number of hotels in the the fire was extinguished.

# Actress Loses Thousands.

Henrietta Crosman, who was playat the Pike, lost several costumes four plays valued at \$25,000. Her ipts for the week amounted veral thousand dollars and was in small safe which can't be found.

Quarter of a Million Loss.

ew York, Feb. 26.- Fire in an building occupied by damage this morning

Carnegie to Visit Tuskegee. uskegee, Ala., Feb. 26.-Arrange-

ol tomorrow on his way home the ground, the second 15 egie has shown considerable infest by Principal Washington and issociates of the institution.

The Wesley Anniversary.

w York, Feb. 26.-Much interest anifested in the celebration of 200th anniversary of the birth of t Wesley, which is to be held in begie hall this evening, at which ent Roosevelt has promised to Samuel W. Bowne will preover the meeting, and in addiwill be speeches by Bishop Anand the Rev. Dr. James R. chancellor of Syracuse Univer-

# Barrett vs. Kelly.

nnah, Ga., Feb. 26,-This was tate originally fixed for the fight the Savannah Athletic on February 14, 1859: but a hitch in the arrangements substituted for Lowery and Lenad will meet in a 20-round go at 1865-1871; Henry W.

Mrs. Fairbanks Re-elected. ington, Feb. 26.-Mrs. Cor-Pairbanks was unanimously represident-general

a of the American Revolu-

READY FOR IRRIGATION.

Secretary Moore Sends County Reports to Washington.

Portland, Feb. 26 .- It is now up to the national government to keep its part of the agreement regarding its Cincinnati and Wipes rigation matters. The first thing that Secretary Moore, of the Oregon jut Some of the Old Land- Irrigation Association did yesterday morning was to send to the proper authorities at Washington the reports of Malheur, Harney, Crook and Baker counties on their need of irrigation. Although the state convention on irrigation met last October this is the first active step taken towards providing for the irrigation of arid Oregon. Various matters had to be attended to preliminary to the sending of these reports.

Umatilia county sent its report straight to Washington through a committee appointed by the Umatilla County Irrigation Association. The report will be examined by Chief Hydrographer Newell, who will then probably make a personal investigation, after which it will be referred to the secretary of agriculture.

#### Grain Rate Hearing.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.-The Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The interstate commerce commission began a hearing today in the matter of that wonderful success has attended Union.

Smoot was married to a plural wife ers who claim that he will better of the local wrestler. growers and throughout the West and Southwest. s and others. Their losses are ir- The advance amounts to about 20 per cent over the old schedules and will mean a tax of millions upon the farmers of the country.

# MITCHELL

STARTS A MOVEMENT TO BOYCOTT "SCAB" COAL.

President of the United Mineworkers Says He Cannot Organize the Miners of Maryland and West Virginia Without Outside Assistance,

Chicago, Feb. 26.—John Mitchell. president of the United Mineworkers, has abandoned all hope of organizing the miners of Maryland and Virginia without outside assistance that will bring such a strong pressure upon the operators that they will be mity and many prepared to leave upon the operators that they will be saler quarters, but the hotels at forced to unionize their own mines time were in danger. It was noon in self-defense. To that end a movement was started today in Chicago to protest against the awarding of public contracts to firms handling Maryland and West Virginia coal. and this movement is to spread all over the United States wherever labor is organized

# A LEGAL FENCE.

in Eastern Oregon Counties.

ed in the following manner: They shall have posts 63/2 feet in length and not less than four inches in diameter, set in the ground two feet ats are being made at the Tuske- and shall not be more than 32 feet institute for negro youth, located apart. There shall not be less than for the reception of Andrew three wires, of the ordinary kind, egie, who is expected to visit the the lower wire to be two feet from Florida. For several years Mr. above the first, and the upper wire above the first, and the upper wire ceived today from Bermuda state 15 inches above the second, making that the disabled collier Alexander in the school and his long the top wire 41/2 feet above the sed visit is awalted with much ground.

At the distance of every eight feet from the posts, false posts 41/2 feet high must be placed, resting on ground and securely fastened to the Burned Mountain Lands Planted to wires. A pole two inches in diameter or a six-inch board may take place of the middle wire and false

# Immense Cost of Wars

Madrid, Feb. 26.-The minister of finance has made a report showing to the address of the president that the cost to Spain of the Cuban and the Philippine war was \$470,500. 800

# OREGON'S SENATORS.

List of Statesmen Who Have Served in Upper House.

Following is a list of the senators sen Jack Lowery and Eddie Len-since her admission into the Union.

becessitated a change of bill. Joe st. the Baltimore featherweight, limmy Kelly, of New York, have F. Harding, 1862-1865; James W. Nes-Delazon Smith, 1859; Joseph Lane mith, 1865-1867; George H. Williams, 1865-1871; Henry W. Corbett, 1867an interesting go is expected. H. Mitchell, 1873-1879; John H. Miteights. Both are in fine condi- 1873; James K. Kelly, 1871-1877; John chell, 1885-1891; John H. Mitchell, 1891-1897; LaFayette Grover, 1879-1883; James H. Slater, 1879-1885; Joseph N. Dolph, 1889-1895; George Joseph N. Dolph, 1889-1895; George sugar pine on the moister, cooler in this half of Oregon where hunting W. McBride, 1895-1901; Joseph Simon, places; and Western yellow pine on is poor at the best, and the laws de-

a Means of Exterminating the Dread Disease.

HAS COMPLETELY CURED THREE CASES AT CANTON

the Matter to the State Department-Urges Its Adoption in Ha-

waii and the Philippine Islands ... Washington, Feb. 26 .- According recent advances in freight rates on the efforts of this physician, and his completely cured and the last is making a practical recovery. The physician urges strongly the adoption of his methods for the treatment of lepers in the Philippines and in Hawaii. The main features of the treatment. which are shown in the consul's report, appear to consist of minute and prolonged sanitation and the use of highly antiseptic drugs.

#### STOCK SHOW.

One to be Held at Fort Worth, Texas, Next Week-A Very Large Entry ing Butler. List.

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 26.-The fat stock show to be held in Fort Worth next week promises to eclipse all previous exhibitions of the kind held in the Southwest, both as regards the number and high class of the exhibits. The committees in charge of the arrangements have been working assiduously for several months with the result that an entry list of immense proportions has been All sections of Texas and made Oklahoma have become actively in-terested in the enterprise and will

sociations are interested in the show Law Changes Construction of Fence and prominent stockmen, buyers and shippers are expected in large numstory building occupied by Salem, Feb. 26.—Wire fences east of the Cascade Mountains must, after the middle of next May, be construct.

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# Alexander at Bermuda.

New York, Feb. 26.-Advices re was towed in there today by the duties steamship Beta.

# TO RESTORE FORESTS

reau of Forestry-Help from the In-

Many acres of burned land in the the state until at least May, San Gabriel and San Bernardino been planted to pines and incense ce-

This work has commanded the inhas subscribed \$266, and the board of in any numbers. trade of Pasadena \$600, to help in the creasing water supply; the growing their usual haunts. of trees on the burned mountain sides, which conserves and regulates the flow of water, is a vital matter to the inhabitants. Hence the popular interest in the planting. A pass the smaller fowl up. In the Wilsquad of 10 to 15 men under T. P. Lei-lamette the sport is enjoyed during

# CAN CURE LEPROSY THE DAY IN SENATE

Dr. Adolph Razlog Has Found Charges Against Apostle Reed Smoot Formally Filed With the Senate Committee.

HE BRANDS THEM

AS INFAMOUS LIES. May ............ 81

United States Consul Wade Reports Smoot Cannot Be Prevented From Taking the Oath When the Next Have to Be Investigated.

Washington, Feb. to United States Consul McWade, at against Smoot, the Utah poligimist, training for the contest, and they are Canton, it has remained for an Amer-were today formally filed with the said to be in fine physical condition. ican physician, Dr. Adolph Raziag, to senate committee on privileges and discover a means of curing and excelections and state specifically that order, but Gotch has a host of follow- ond confession this morning in which

Smoot brands the charges as an in grain and grain products. Protests work has attracted the attention of famous lie. This congress can take against this increase have been made the highest Manchu and Chinese of no action upon the charges nor can shippers ficials. This work began in June. Smoot be prevented from taking the 1962, in a leper village six miles dis- oath when the next senate meets. tant from Canton. Of four cases but by filing the document now it treated, three have been discharged constitutes a charge against his ellgibility to hold the seat, which will have to be investigated next session.

#### Democrats Filibuster.

A filibuster against the Butler-Wagoner election contest was inaugurated as soon as the house conven A yea and nay vote was demanded. ed on every motion. No business is being transacted.

The filibuster lasted three hours and after five roll calls the republicans succeeded in bringing up for consideration the resolution

# NEW PAPER FOR BEND.

Arrangements Made for With \$5000 Capital.

The Dalles, Feb. 26.-In view of the prospect of large development in the Upper Deschutes Valley, now that irrigation for that country is assured but present indications point to the and its timber resources are becoming legal fight being a stiff one and the has arranged for the incorporation of to spring new evidence that may a company to publish a live weekly serve to turn the tide of feeling and at Bend. Crook county. Articles were at least forestall the program for filed Wednesday. The authorized capthe hanging of a Baker county murterested in the enterprise and send their finest stock to compete for ital will be \$5000. A printing plant the \$5000 hung up in prizes. has already been obtained, and the hanging under the new law. work of getting out the first issue of the paper will be crowded with all

taken of the presence of such a large nity for an enterprising country paper, and he means to put out one that will be in all respects creditable. The first issue will appear some time next month. No name has yet been selected for h

# GAME LAWS UNJUST.

Eastern Oregon Duck Shooting Will Be of Short Duration Owing to New

Baker City, Feb. 26.-Nimrods feel the state game laws, especially with relation to the hunting of ducks, work a handicap upon them in East-Incense Cedar and Pines by the Bu- ern Oregon. The season closes March The impression is that the secmit duck shooting in this half of

There is reason given for this. In mountains, Southern California, have the Willamette valley and the western and southern part of the state. dar this winter by the bureau of for the seasons are advanced and bunt estry. Heavy rains have helped the ers may shoot there during the enplanters; the seeds of the November tire winter. The intense cold here, planting have already germinated. sloughs and smaller waters are frozterest and the help of the country en over, drives the ducks south, Even A. J. Turpin Landed in Penitentiary County Forest and Water Association the birds are not coming back then March is too early for shooting, as In the warm springs, or overflow from them the ago for rape committed in Kititas birds may be found these mornings county, and who successfully broke expense of the planting. The coun-birds may be found these mornings try is alarmed by the steadily-de-but spring alone will return the but spring alone will return them to

Along the Umatilla River shooting men are said to hunt for geese and over most of the United States.

cone pine has been planted on the ing when March 1 arrives. Legisladry, burned spots; incense cedar and tion in this matter would be welcome 1898-1903; John H. Mitchell, 1901- all situations. The work gives promined a cessation when it is at its best.

#### GRAIN MARKETS. Quotations Furnished by Coe Commis

sion Company, 120 Court Street-B. E. Kennedy, Local Manager. Chicago, Feb. 26 .-Closed Opened. Wheat-773<u>4</u> May ...... ..... 73 % Corn-Minneapolis, Feb. 26. 44% July Closed Wheat-Opened. May ..... 7614 July Ne wYofk, Feb. 26. Closed Wheat-Opened

#### ...... 78 Interest in Wrestling Match.

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Cleveland, O., Feb. 26.-Tom Jenkins of this city and Frank Gotch Senate Meets, But the Charge Will the "Klondike Champion," 'are matched to meet in a mixed-style wrestling bout tonight at the Grays' armory 27.-Charges Both men have taken great care in ers who claim that he will get the

#### Questions Gibbon's Action.

Rome Feb 26 .- The fact of Cardinal Gibbons' not coming to the pope's jubilee is causing considerable comment in the vatican. It is pointed out that older and more feeble cardinals had taken fatiguing journeys to be

PLES ARMSTRONG MAKES FIGHT FOR HIS LIFE.

Great Interest Taken in the Ensminger Case-Gives Promise of Sensa- ner of Ida Gebbards' murder, tional Conditions.

Baker City, Feb. 26.-Attorneys, relatives, friends, witnesses and some Knapp says: "I cannot tell what money are gathered in this city today made me kill these people. I couldn't closing the most sensational and pe- the temptation. culiar conditions and facts that the crimes. courts of the state of Oregon have easy with me. been treated to in their history. Ples Armstrong may swing for the crime, known, George Schlecht, of Portland, counsel for the accused is equipped derer at the penitentiary for the first

# WAITSBURG'S FOUNDER DEAD.

One paper is now published at Bend J. J. Bruce, Pioneer, Dies at Walla

Walla.

Walla at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. remembered by the police. The Eck-Spangle, 916 Carrie avenue, James J. ert murder was an unsolvable mys-Bruce, one of Walla Walla county's tery that created a great sensation. prominent pioneers, died at the age The murder of Emma Lippleman was of 74 years. The cause of death was never cleared up. The police decidrheumatism, from which the deceas- ed after an investigation of the death ed had suffered a great deal the lat of Jennie Conners that she committer part of his life. Mr. Bruce though little known to

the later-day generation of Walla Walla played an important part in the development of this county prin-Waitsburg in 1869 and since with its upbuilding and progress.

He engaged in farming for many years successfully, though at the warrant the extra cost, attending this time of his death was possessed of action. tion should be so amended as to per-little of this world's goods. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Spangle, of this city, and relatives in Waitsburg.

Waitsburg tomorrow for interment, tht state ticket. The first speech he the funeral taking place in the after-

# CAPTURED AT LAST.

-Other Prisoners Received. Walla Walla, Feb. 26.--A. J. Tur-

pin, who was sentenced five years jail in 1898, was handed over to the warden of the penitentiary yesterday by Sheriff Clark, of Kititas county is good. In and about Antelope the Turpin was caught in Indiana, after ducks are plentiful, but the sports a chase that has led the pursuers a chase that has led the pursuers

The other prisoners received are: Charles E. Heringer, 14 months for kens, of Pasadena, has been plant a larger portion of the winter, and burglary, and Oscar Bliss, seven hunters are willing to cease meander years for grand largery, from Pierce a larger portion of the winter, and burgiary, and Oscar Bilss, seven bunters are willing to cease meander- years for grand larceny, from Pierce only blurt out: "I never heard of him county. Sheriff Denholm was in before."-Baltimore Herald.

> In Hawaii there are more Chinese in violent eruption. Three cities in than natives, and the Japanese out the vicinity are threatened with denumber the natives two to one.

# IS A HUMAN FIEND

liber Knapp, Arrested at Hamilton, Ohio, Confesses Having Strangled Five Women.

HAD JUST LATELY

MARRIED FOURTH WIFE.

Horrible Story of Human Depravity, Which Compares With the Old Bluebeard Stories-Gloats Over Killing Many Defenseless Women.

Hamilton. 0. Feb. Knapp, the modern Bluebeard, who confessed last night that he had killhe told of five murders, three in Cincinnati, one in Indianapolis and one in Hamilton.

In Cincinnati he killed Emma Lippleman, in a lumber yard, Mary Eck-ert in a house on Walnut street, and his second wife. Dennie Connor, under the Liberty street bridge and

threw her body in the canal.
In Hamilton he killed Hannah Goddard, his third wife. In Indianapolls he killed Ida Gebbard, All were strangled, and lust was the underlying cause of the murders.

Emma Lippleman was with child when Knapp assaulted her. He strangled her when she made an Mary Eckert was also asoutery. saulted and strangled with a towel. The sole reason given by Knapp for killing Jennie Connor, was that he was angry. He cannot tell the man-

Makes Sworn Statement.

In a signed and sworn statement in the interest of the Ensminger mur- help it. Some kind of a desire to kill der trial which gives promise of dis- took hold of me and I could not resist I am sorry for my But now I hope they'll be

Fears Lynching.

After his confession the formal charge of first degree murder was filed. Knapp is afraid of being lynched and does not want to be taken from the county jail.

Indianapolis, Feb. 26.—The murder of Ida Gebberd, confessed by Knapp, was one of the most horrible in the history of the city. A child of 3 years old was assaulted, murdered and horribly mutilated after death.

Cincinnati, Feb. 26.—The three murders which Knapp confesses hav--Yesterday ing committed in this city are ted suicide.

Grand Jury in Baker County. Baker City, Feb. 26.—Upon request

of the taxpayers of Baker county, cipally in the Waitsburg district. He Judge Robert Eaken called a grand helped plat and lay out the town of jury to sit during the session of the that February term of the circuit court. time has been prominently identified The extreme need of a thorough investigation on many important questions now before the county seems to

Query That Stunned Tillman. Senator Tillman was once sent by the democratic congressional The remains will be shipped to mittee out to Kentucky to orate for made there up to a certain point was a great success. He spoke of the necessity of electing incorrupti-ble men to congress, "such as the democracy of this district has chosen to represent the people at Washing-

ton Just at this moment some one in the crowd interrupted with:

"Would Dr. Claherty sell out?"
"What's that" asked Till comewhat riled at this break in his

train of thoughts Would Dr. Claherty sell out?" repeated the questioner.

"And who the blazes is Dr. Claherey?" asked Tillman. "He's the man you're asking us to vote for," came the prompt response.

The volcano of Calima, Mexico, is