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1,000 OLD SCHOOL BOOKS.

GENERAL NEWS.

Germany sees a singular sight in
the powerful center party co-operating
with the socialists in supporting
a strike. The higher Catholic clergy
are subscribing personally to the
strike funds and are announcing sub-
scriptions.

Fifteen men were killed, owing to
the breaking of the cable supporting
a cage in which they were being
brought to the surface at the Renas-
sance state quarry near Angers,
France. The cage dropped 450 feet.

Senator Fulton has offered an
amendment to the Indian appropria-
tion bill providing for the ratification
of the Klamath Indian treaty and
the payment of \$527,000 in settlement
for lands turned over to the govern-
ment as per agreement.

Few people know that Thomas A.
Edison is very deaf, and still fewer
know that he is afflicted with a
semi-ossous growth in his ears that
not merely threatens to make him en-
tirely deaf, but to affect his reason
by pressure on certain nerve centers.

Senator Alger has introduced a bill
in congress to appropriate \$5000 for
a monument to Captain Gridley, who
commanded the Olympia at the battle
of Manila. Gridley's mother, at
88 years of age, is supporting her-
self in a clerkship in one of the de-
partments at Washington.

During the Ormonde, Fla., auto-
mobile races Frank Croker's automo-
bile collided with a chair cycle, the
occupant of which had both legs
broken. Croker died of his injuries
the next day, while his driver was
instantly killed. Croker's machine
was going at the rate of a mile in
40 seconds when the collision occur-
red.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Bishop Wister Morris (Episcopal)
of Portland, is 85 years of age and in
active and competent charge of the
affairs of the diocese.

W. C. Conner, editor of the Rose-
burg Plaindealer, was sued by F. W.
Woolley for \$10,000 on a charge of
libel. The jury's verdict cleared Con-
ner.

Eight carloads of pine lumber left
Baker City for Missouri which once
had vast forests of lumber pine which
have disappeared, as Oregon's are
fast doing.

Caldesac, Idaho, has entered the
race for the second Idaho insane as-
ylum, and will donate a fine site and
claims that brick and lumber are
cheaper there than at any other point
in the state.

So far the Idaho legislature, ses-
sion of 1905, has cost that state \$25,-
000, and has passed just two bills—
one appropriating \$50,000, for the ex-
penses of the entire session, the other
adding a new name to the standing
payroll.

Eugene is 80 miles from the Pacific
on an air line, and the Eugene
Guard states that occasionally, when
a heavy surf is running and atmos-
pheric conditions are favorable, the
roar of the ocean can be heard at
that place.

The United Christian Endeavor so-
ciety of the United States, will con-
vene—from 25,000 to 30,000 strong—
in Seattle next July. The Seattle
Chamber of Commerce has already
begun a strong hustle to take care of
the convention, and will make the
occasion a tremendous advertisement
provided suitable shelter and grub
are found for the extra population,
of which there are some doubts.

E. T. WADE & SON,
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TO FIGHT SMUT

COL. R. C. JUDSON SUG-
GESTS EFFECTIVE REMEDIES.

Five Threshing Outfits Valued at
12,000 Were Destroyed by Smut
Explosions in Umatilla County Last
Year—Formaldehyde Treatment is
Highly Recommended—Bulletins of
Experiment Stations Will Be Pub-
lished Later.

Last year five threshing outfits
valued at \$12,000 were destroyed by
smut fires in Umatilla county. The
prevention of smut is one of the most
important questions now before the
farmers.

Col. R. C. Judson, industrial agent
of the O. R. & N. system, has made
a special study of smut prevention
and offers the farmers of Umatilla
county several excellent treatments
for smut, all of which are said to be
highly effective.

The following treatment is taken
from the bulletins of the South Da-
kota experiment station, and is highly
recommended by Col. Judson. The
bulletin in part is as follows:

Smut is a disease transmitted from
one generation of plants to another
by means of minute spores. At thresh-
ing time the smut, which consists of
myriads of spores, is scattered through
the grain, the spore germinating the
following spring along with the young
wheat plant and penetrating the
young seedling, lives in the interior
of the plant until it heads. At this
time the smut enters the seed, ab-
sorbs its contents and develops a
mass of spores. The most effective,
cheapest and handiest methods of
treating the seed wheat are the Jen-
sen hot water treatment and the for-
maldehyde treatment.

Hot Water Treatment.

This method consists in immersing
the seed which is supposed to be in-
fected with smut for a few minutes in
hot water. The temperature must be
such as to kill the smut spores, and
the immersion must not be prolonged
so that the heat would injure the
germinative power of the seed. If
the water is at a temperature of
132 1-2 degrees F., the spores will be
killed, and yet the immersion, if not
continued beyond 15 minutes, will not
in the least injure the seed. The
temperature must be allowed to vary
but little from 132 1-2 degrees, in no
case rising higher than 135 degrees,
or falling below 130 degrees.

Formaldehyde Treatment.

Two methods of applying the for-
maldehyde are in general use, sprin-
kling and dipping, both of which have
their advantages, but the former is to
be preferred.

Sprinkling—Windrows or piles of a
bushel of seed are thoroughly satur-
ated with a solution made at the rate
of one pound formaldehyde to 50 gal-
lons of water. A common garden
sprinkler may be very satisfactorily
used or even a broom, though a small
hand force pump is to be preferred.
The grain should be shoveled over
and thoroughly wet for at least two
hours.

Dipping—A bushel or more of grain
is placed in a gunny sack and is dip-
ped into a solution of formaldehyde,
the strength as that given above. Care
should be exercised that the grain is
thoroughly saturated.

The spores that continue rust from
one season to another live over the
winter in the straw and stubble, and,
consequently, any treatment applied
to the seed would be useless.

Many different remedies have been
tried, but so far none have been
found that are effective. The straw
should be burned soon after thresh-
ing and where possible the stubble.
Some varieties of wheat are more re-
sistant to rust than others. These
varieties should be chosen for seed.

The East Oregonian believes the
farmers are interested in this subject
and will present the most advanced
methods of preventing smut and rust,
now in use.

Several valuable bulletins have been
issued by the Oregon and Washing-
ton agricultural colleges upon the
subject, and these will be presented
from time to time.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO.

LUCAS COUNTY.—
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is
senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney
& Co., doing business in the City of To-
ledo, County and State aforesaid, and that
said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUN-
DRED DOLLARS for each and every case
of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the
use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in
my presence, this 6th day of December,
A. D. 1898.

(Seal.) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,
and acts directly on the blood and mu-
cous surfaces of the system. Send for
testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-
tion.

COMING EVENTS.

February 1-3—Western Lumber-
men's Association, Spokane.

February 6-11—Walla Walla Poul-
try show.

February 12—100th anniversary of
the birth of Sacajewea's baby at Fort
Mandan, with Lewis and Clark's ex-
pedition.

June 1, 1905—Opening Lewis and
Clark exposition.

June 22-28—National Woman's
Suffrage Association, Portland.

July 11-14—American Medical As-
sociation, Portland.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than
a medicine which meets modern re-
quirements for a blood and system
cleanser, such as Dr. King's New
Life Pills. They are just what you
need to cure stomach and liver
troubles. Try them. At Tallman &
Co.'s drug store; 25c. guaranteed.



Take Courage!

If you are naturally not as strong as your more fortunate
sisters, and for this reason experience dread rather than joy at
the prospect of becoming a mother, take courage and assurance
from this fact: Mother's Friend is meant for you, and by its
use you may pass through that glorious martyrdom which is
yours by divine right with no more discomfort than that experienced by
those who by nature are possibly more adapted for the role of motherhood.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

is a liniment of proven merit, and its great worth can be no
better attested to than by the countless strong and healthy
children who through its kindly offices have entered this
world unhandicapped by any deformity or weakness. It
is a liniment which by external application acts upon the
abdominal muscles and permits of a painless parturition.

SPADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA.



Sentences at Boise.

This morning immediately after dis-
trict court convened, William R. How-
ard and Clarence Trubody, who
pleaded guilty to the charge of rob-
bery, were sentenced by Judge Ste-
wart to serve five and six years re-
spectively in the penitentiary. The
prisoners it will be remembered are
the soldiers who assaulted a Bruneau
farmer, stole his money and left him
for dead.

Frank Douglas, aged 19, who had
pleaded guilty to the charge of horse

stealing, seemed to be weakminded.
Judge Stewart sentenced him to the
reform school to remain until he be-
comes of age.—Boise Capital News.

Increasing Business.

Things were lively in shipping cir-
cles yesterday and both the O. R. &
N. and Sumpter Valley railroads did
a large business. In the upper camps
the volume of traffic in the way of
supplies, machinery, ores and con-
centrates is quite large and gradu-
ally growing.—Baker City Democrat.

....A GALAXY OF MOST....

Extraordinary Bargains

AT

The Peoples Warehouse FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SPURRED ON BY THE ARRIVAL OF SEVERAL CARLOADS OF NEW SPRING GOODS, WE ARE NOW MAKING HERCU-
LEANS EFFORTS TO REDUCE THIS STOCK TO THE LOWEST EBB, AND EACH DAY BRINGS FORTH

GREATER AND MORE DESIRABLE BARGAINS!!!

OUR GREAT SECOND FLOOR IS A VERITABLE BEE HIVE OF INDUSTRY THESE DAYS. EVERY ONE ON THE TIP TOE OF EX-
CITEMENT UNPACKING AND MARKING NEW SPRING GOODS—SUCH A BEWILDERING ASSORTMENT OF HANDSOME SE-
LECTIONS OF GOODS, AROUSES THE ENTHUSIASM OF THE OLDEST, AND MAKES ALL ANXIOUS TO HELP UNPACK AND MARK THE
STOCK, BUT JUST WAIT A FEW WEEKS AND WE PROMISE YOU A RARE TREAT. IN THE MEANTIME TAKE ADVANTAGE
OF THE GREAT OPPORTUNITY OUR \$50,000 CLEARING SALE AFFORDS. REMEMBER, EVERY ARTICLE IN THE HOUSE NO-
T DUCED.

These Extra Special Bargains are for FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

25 DOZEN MEN'S STIFF BOSOM MANHATTAN
SHIRTS, ALWAYS SELL AT \$1.50 EACH; FOR
THE TWO DAYS ONLY, AT

**95c
EACH**

10 DOZEN BOYS' KNEE PANTS, REGULAR 50c
PANTS, ALL SIZES; FOR THE TWO DAYS
ONLY, AT

**29c
PAIR**

25 DOZEN MEN'S HANKERCHIEFS, REGULAR
10c VALUE; FOR THE TWO DAYS ONLY,
AT

**3c
EACH**

27 PIECES OF EMBROIDERIES, LACES AND IN-
TERIORS, REGULAR 8c, 10c AND 12 1-2c
VALUES; FOR THE TWO DAYS ONLY, AT

**2 1/2c
YARD**

35 PIECES OF DARK COLORED FRENCH PER-
CALES, REGULAR 12 1-2c GRADE; FOR THE
TWO DAYS ONLY, AT

250 PAIRS OF BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL
SHOES, REGULAR \$1.75 AND \$2.00
SHOES, FOR THE TWO DAYS ONLY, AT

10 DOZEN LADIES' MUSLIN DRAWERS, TUCKED
RUFFLES, REGULAR 35c GARMENTS; FOR
THE TWO DAYS ONLY, AT

All Tourist and Rain Coats and
Ladies' Tailored Suits at

1-2 p

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