

EUGENE, OREGON, MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 21, 1908

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## OFFICIALS FIGHTING SPREAD OF CHOLERA

Sept. 21.—The government officials are taking extraordinary precautions for suppressing cholera in the Philippines. The spread of the disease from the Russian ports from the Philippines is feared. General Smith, of the Philippine army, reports that cholera has broken out in the Philippines. The disease is spreading rapidly in the Philippines. The government officials are taking extraordinary precautions for suppressing cholera in the Philippines. The spread of the disease from the Russian ports from the Philippines is feared.

## DIVORCE GRANTED IN STEVENS CASE

Oregon City, Sept. 19.—In less than twenty minutes Mrs. Louise Powell Stevens was granted a divorce from T. M. Stevens, the Portland clubman and exporter, by Judge McBride this morning. She produced her marriage certificate and was granted a decree on the grounds of desertion.

## BASEBALL SCORES

Saturday's baseball scores: Portland, 4; San Francisco, 3. Los Angeles, 4; Oakland, 3. Sunday's scores: Portland, 2-0; San Francisco, 0-2. Los Angeles, 2-4; Oakland, 1-5.

## MILLIONS LOST BY GREAT FIRE IN FRENCH CAPITAL

Paris, Sept. 21.—Following the destruction by fire of the central telephone plant in Paris a large portion of France is without telephonic communication and owing to the destruction of a number of long distance telegraph wires the telegraph service to England, Belgium, Austria and France is greatly affected. Contrary to current reports, the postoffice was not destroyed by the fire, which consumed the central telephone building adjoining. The loss is several million dollars.

## ENGLAND PURCHASES AMERICAN BEEF

London, Sept. 21.—The war office has placed with a Chicago firm a large contract for American beef. The admiralty is negotiating a contract for the navy.

## TAFT EXPRESSES HIS CONFIDENCE

Cincinnati, Sept. 21.—Judge Taft has sent a telegram to Chairman Hitchcock expressing his confidence in him and in the success of his management, and expressing upon him that he is in supreme control.

## PRESIDENT URGES ELECTION OF TAFT

Oyster Bay, Sept. 20.—President Roosevelt, in a letter to William B. McKinley, chairman of the Republican congressional committee, made public today, appeals to disinterested citizens to join with the National Republican committee in a movement to elect William H. Taft as president and choose a Republican congress to support him.

Not Partisan Matter—All the aid that can be given to perpetuate the policy of the government as now carried on, the president says, should be given by every good citizen, as it is far more than a partisan matter.

## REPUBLICAN PLAN OF CAMPAIGN WILL NOT BE CHANGED

Cincinnati, Sept. 21.—It is reiterated here today that the calling of the executive and advisory committees of the Republican National committee into greater activity meant simply that the committees would arise to the greater amount of work to be done, for which they were called into existence. Judge Taft again emphasized that he had no criticism to make of Chairman Hitchcock but regards the work done by the national chairman as efficient and effective.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—The stories to the effect that there has been a change, or is to be a change in the management of the Republican National campaign appear to be without the slightest foundation. The Associated Press has caused inquiries to be made at every place that could be expected to supply reliable information on the subject, and it is de-

## SCHOOL DAYS HAVE BEGUN IN EUGENE

BIG INCREASE IN ENROLLMENT FOR FIRST FORENOON—276 MORE THAN FIRST DAY LAST YEAR—AN EVEN 1400 NAMES PLACED ON ROLL BEFORE NOON

First Forenoon's Enrollment	
High	1907 1908
High	256 396
Central	308 353
Patterson	265 317
Geary	295 354
Overflow	70
Total	1124 1400
Increase	276

"School days, school days. Good old Golden Rule days. Readin' and writin' and 'rithmetic. Taught to the tune of a hickory stick."

"School days" are on in Eugene again. The fall work began this morning when the pupils reported to their several buildings for registration and then were sent home until tomorrow, when classes will be organized and the regular school work will begin. The attendance this fall promises to largely exceed expectations and several additional teachers will have to be employed. There are already 43 on the payroll of the district. At the Geary school, in the vicinity of which there has been perhaps more growth than in any part of the city during the past year, the increase is greater, especially in the first grade, where 81 were enrolled this forenoon. This makes the rooms so badly crowded that it is absolutely impossible to accommodate the children. In the other buildings the increase is noted and as the week grows older all of them will probably be crowded beyond their seating capacity. By the erection of the addition to the high school during the summer,

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\$1000 worth of new trimmings in almost every conceivable shade or combination of shades, bands of Fillet Net, Persians, appliques; the assortment is large. We can only attempt to describe them. They are marvels of beauty and unmatchable in style or value. The price range is, the yd., 5c to \$1.50

### GUARANTEED SILK PETTICOATS

\$6.00 S. H. & M. Guaranteed Silk Petticoats, all colors, each \$5.00

### PURE LINEN WAISTS

New fall waists of pure linen, beautifully tailored; each \$2.50 to \$6.00

### TAFFETA SILK

Diamond Taffeta Silk, all colors, strong lustrous and will wear, all pure silk; the yard, 58c

### WOOL SHIRT WAISTS

New wool waists of fine batiste, all wanted shades, some embroidered and others made with fine tucks, each \$2.75

### WOOL HOSE

Get ready for wet weather; extra good black wool hose, plain cashmere or ribbed wool hose for children, the pair 25c





## No Man Deliberately Buys Poor Clothes

He thinks they're good; worth the money, or he doesn't want them. Just the same, men are paying their good money for cheap clothes—cheap goods—and they think they're being real economical because they get such clothes for little less than all-wool would cost.

This cotton mixed stuff is certainly very deceiving even expert clothing men find it difficult at times to tell whether or not the fabric has gotten in it. We've seen clothes that looked good enough to sell at \$20 which were over one-half cotton and really worth about \$6 the suit.

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You know what Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes are, so do we.

The makers say, "All-wool" and live up to it.



### Boys School Suits

Only one week more left before school days again is the boy ready? He needs a new suit, no doubt, after the summer's vacation of romping and good times. We'll say you come here and get one of "Mrs. Jane Hopkins" suits for him. There are none with so much hard wear for the money. Best! Best! Best!

**Suits \$15.00 to \$30.00**

**Boys School Suits \$1.50 to \$6.00**

## PORTLAND WILL BE SHUT TIGHT NEXT SUNDAY

Portland, Sept. 21.—District Attorney George J. Cameron has addressed a communication to the chief of police calling upon the latter to strictly enforce the Sunday closing laws, beginning next Sunday. As the result of this peremptory command every cigar store, billiard parlor, bowling alley, confectionery and fruit store and all amusement enterprises not coming under the head of theatres will hereafter remain closed on Sunday.



GEORGE H. PROUTY, Lieutenant Governor of Vermont, who was recently elected governor by a plurality in excess of 20,000 votes.

the Sabbath, and is even threatened that after next Sunday no baseball games will be allowed. The statistician, meaters, druggists, grocers, doctors, undertakers, stables, butchers and bakers.

## FOREST FIRES ARE UNDER CONTROL

Augusta, Me., Sept. 21.—Practically all forest fires in that State are under control.

New Richmond, Wis., Sept. 21.—The town of Wilcox, near Ashland, is afire, and the Wisconsin fire department is sending a special train. This is presumed to be a continuation of the forest fires.

## THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Sept. 21.—September, 99%; December, \$1.09%; May, \$1.02%.

Tacoma, Sept. 21.—Wheat steady; milling, domestic, 93; club, 95; red, 85; export, domestic, 92; club, 85; red, 85.

## HEARST AGAIN ATTACKS SENATOR BAILEY OF TEXAS

Memphis, Sept. 20.—W. R. Hearst and T. L. Hisgen addressed a well-filled house here last night. Hearst charged Governor Haskell with having refused to allow the attorney-general of Oklahoma to secure an injunction against a subsidiary corporation of the Standard Oil Company. Hearst read a letter said to have been written by Representative Sibley addressed to "Dear Mr. A." in which the writer said the corporations had a strong friend in Senator "B." Mr. Hearst read another letter purporting to have been written by Archbold, of the Standard Oil Company, to Sibley, saying, "We are anxious to have a talk with Senator Bailey."

## HOME DYNAMITED IN PENNSYLVANIA

Reading, Pa., Sept. 21.—The home of Joseph Ganster was partially destroyed by dynamite last night and the members of the family thrown out of bed but not injured. The shock was felt for blocks, many windows being broken. Several weeks ago Ganster received an anonymous letter of warning, and home has been under police surveillance ever since. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

## TRIPLE MURDERER PAYS FULL PENALTY

Kingston, Mo., Sept. 21.—Albert Files, a triple murderer, was hanged here today. He killed his wife, his brother and his baby on their farm a year ago. It developed today that had Governor Folk issued a commutation to Files the murderer would probably have been hanged. A mob of farmers gathered last night and awaited the final message from the governor. When it was announced that he declined to interfere the mob dispersed.

## UNCLE SAM PAYS HIS PRINTERS MORE

Washington, Sept. 21.—An increase from 50 to 60 cents an hour in the pay of linotype and monotype operators in the government printing office has been made to take effect Monday. Public Printer Lynch says the compensation has not been equal to that paid by private concerns in the last office.

## WILBUR WRIGHT MAKES NEW RECORD

Lemans, Sept. 21.—Wilbur Wright flew his machine here today, one hour and 21 minutes, 2 seconds. This is a new world record.

W. O. Becker has been awarded the contract to build a T. Cochran, a new residence on Hill street. The contract price is not given out, but it is known to be close to \$4000.



DONALD G. MITCHELL, Famous author who, as 'Ik Marvel,' gave the world 'Reveries of a Bachelor,' 'Dream Life' and many other charming literary works.

besides enlarging the seating capacity of the assembly room from about 300 to 400, it provided five more recitation and class rooms, some of which will be used for the overflow from the grammar schools. Professor Guy C. Stockton, the new superintendent, when asked as to the probability of the buildings being too crowded, replied, "I guess we can accommodate all the children for the present by a tight squeeze," but stated that one of two new buildings in the immediate future if the city keeps on growing as it has during the past year.

The Teachers.—The personnel of the teaching force is as follows: There may be a number of changes in assignments made before the teachers get down to actual work. Guy C. Stockton, superintendent, High school—Geo. W. Hing, principal; Paul G. Bond, Benjamin Huntington, Emma Chase, Maude Simpson, Nellie Williams, Susan Bismore, Clara Wolf, Maudie Gaffney, Blanche Thurston, Emily Stubb, Eva Westworth. Geary school—E. R. Parker, principal; Nellie Kross, Mae D. Kinney, Fannie Zeigler, Mabel Simmons, Belle Keeney, Fannie Milligan, Susie Thrall. Central school—Charles W. Westcott, principal; Alta Schneider, Mary Wehrhahn, Louisa Brownstein, Zula Owens, Carol Johnson, Myrtle Anton, Mrs. Lillian Payne. Patterson school—E. A. Patterson, principal; Mary C. Mosler, Mae Larson, Edith Huggard, Leta Polk, Vera Baker, Lucile Norris, Minnie Evans. Grandview school—Lola Howe, Margaret Tiffany, Alice Abel, Bertha Abel, Edith Prescott, Lilla Irvin.