

Principles of Democracy. In our Democratic form of government e are approaching the principle laid down Christ. We do not have rulers under Democracy, we have sevents; we have inisters. I want President Roosevelt, overnor Chamberlain, Mayor Lane-I want see man who are making our laws in ashington, Salem and Portland-to under-and that they are not there because of by line of suthority which has passed to seem from someone ise, but by virtue of a fact that they are superior, or should the great as the man who serves the any. Nor is he the greatest who is served i many them from the factors of the factors by many

many There are some churches, I appreciate There are some churches, I appreciate, which have to attempt political methods in order to elect men to the chief places in the churches. They have to resort to the tricks of politics in order to put in office their chief men to places of the highest influence and the greatest salaries. That should not be in the church of Jesus Christ.

Christ No man is great because he is voted great. He should be great before. Before you vote for him he should demonstrate that he is the servant of the largest num-ber. If President Reserveit has any power to make others happier or better it makes him none the less a gadine, 'It really makes him greater because he has recognized the principle that he is a debtor to men to lift them. How much larger would be our individual lives if we recognized this perfaciple!

# THUGS WAITING AT CHURCH

Heldup Men Emerge from Doorway

### to Rob Passer-by.

Hurrying along with his head down to avoid the biting wind, Con Harris, who lives at 28014 Park street, was suddenly lives at 2804 Park street, was suddenly confronted by two holdup men last night shortly before 11 o'clock in the shadow of the First Congregational Church at Park and Madison streets and robbed of his watch and \$2 in money. Mr. Harris was only a short distance from his home. The two thugs had been hiding in the doorway of the church. Neither wore a mask. They were fairly well dressed. The smaller of the two men hold a

The smaller of the two men held a revolver to Harris' head while the other man went through his pockets. As soon as the robbery had been committed the victim ran to the drugstore at the corner of Park and Morrison streets and telened to Captain Moore at the Police phoned to Captain above at the Follow Station. Sergeant Goitz, Detectives Price, Tenant, Aundson and Johnson, were im-mediately hurried to the vicinity of the crime and all the other members of the police force were notified of the robberg and a description of the robbers given

The man with the gun was about 5 feet 7 inches tall; weighed about 159 pounds, had a smooth face, light complexion, wore a dark overcoat and a cap pulled down over his ears. The man who searched the victim was about 5 feet 10 inches tall, was of flark complexion, wore a dark sandy mustache, was dressed in black stiff hat and brown overcoat.

#### Linn County Tax Levy Made.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 10.-(Special.)-The County Court yesterday fixed the tax levy on the 1908 assessment roll at 12 milis, divided as follows: State, county and school 8.5 mills; general road tax, 1.5 mills; spe-cial district road tax, 1.5 m.ls; county high school, .5 mill. This makes the total levy in Albany 25 mills, top city levy be-ing 5 mills and the special school levy 5

with a considerable assortment of type for setting up the little weekly paper. At present the Call has 90 subscribers, the charge being 5 cents a month. They have secured advertisements enough to meet all expenses, and have a little in-

meet all expenses, and have a little in-come from the paper. January 2 the boys issued a special eight-page edition, four pages being printed in red and the remainder in black. In this issue attention is called to the new waiting-room and fountain on Powell and Milwaukie streets, which was dedicated by Mayor Lane a few days ago. One page is devoted to "Happy New Year From the Call," and contains jokes and selections of a great variety. Several pages are devoted to advertise-ments and local happenings. The paper is the work of the boys with some satisfied with what they have accom-plished and as soon as they have accom-plished and as soon as they have aveed up sufficient money they will purchase a press double the size of the present one and issue a larger paper and do more job work. Ralph Wood carries papers and is the son of Andrew J. Wood, who lives at 655 East Eighth street South. John Lee is the son of J. F. Lee, of the Metropolitan Printing Company. They Metropolitan Printing Company. They are industrious and energetic boys and full of snap and business. Business men are encouraging them.



FLAKE USED TO ILLUSTRATE INDIVIDUAL POWER.

Rev. J. D. Corby Shows How Each Person, Working With Others,

May Be Factor for Good.

Before an interested audience in the Universalist Church of Good Tidings, East Eighth and East Couch streets, Rev. James D. Corby yesterday morning spoke on "Lessons from the Power of a Snow Flake." He illustrated the brotherhood of man by reference to the donations for the relief of stricken Italy. He said in part: man by reference to the uonations for the relief of stricken Italy. He said in part: One little snownake seems too insignificant to pay any attention to; yet when joined to other fakes it stoys the cars and even blocks the great engines of the steam roads. The blanket of snow, spread over the wheat fields brings for to the farmer, protecting the grain from the cold, and, said it melts, insuring the needed moisture for the roots. The fruit for which our state is farmed will have an added flavor next Fall, for the snow and cold give it a tang that milites never affords. A mass of snownfakes is mighty for God's great work. This is the age of combinations. Success comes not from competition, but from co-operation. "United we stand, divided we fall" is true in state, church and business. The dozen men whom Christ taught and in-spired made those higher standfaids with God increases his power a thousandfold. The ship is useful only as it is sweet forward by God's breeze. So God steps down to humble mon and women and works his will through obedient human partners. The bretherbood of the race is no longer and tridesceff Gream. Where in all history Rome.

through obelient human partners. The brotherbood of the race is no longer and iridesceff draam. Where in all history shall we look for a parallel to the voing of almost a million dollars for the relief of a people of another land and language from the public funde? What more fitting than

heased truth that the new Bible is more heipful than the old, that prayer is still potent to make the weak mighty; that Sun-day can have no nobler use than to conse-crate its hours in your Fathers house. Be-cause we are called of God to take a for-ward step and be more helpful to humanity and thus to him, we must get together more in home and church. Our workers must be at any contrast of the state of the localy and the stranger. I get weary of hearing folks and the shared is my field; well, this church is not a field, but a force, a power-house the stranger. I get weary of hearing folks any the church is my field; well, this church is not a field, but a force, a power-house the stranger to those who att in darkness, arry power to those who att in darkness in the world and carry warming love to the trength in and through the church for the service of the many who have never awak-end to their brotherhood. Your heart is a bus, full of precious fragmant olution; let us for woman, and break your gift of gen-rous love on such an one in his name. Let the fragmance of your offering linger in this have that here love abides, that here is haven be the lower abides, that here is haven be the lower abides, the here is haven be and one of your states the here is haven be and the out offering linger in this here fragmance of your offering linger in this here fragmance of your offering linger in this here in the best bus abides, that here is haven be the lower abides, that here is haven be the lower abides that here is here in the lower abides that here is here mining the state.

WILL SEND \$1000 ITALIAN FUND TO BE COMPLET-ED THIS WEEK.

Catholic Churches Throughout the State Add to Oregon's Dona-

tions to Earthquake Sufferers.

Colonel David M. Dunne, treasurer of the Messina relief fund, announced yesterday that the affairs of the committee would be closed up next Saturday. Colonel Dunne will cable another \$1000 to the Italian Minister of Finance today, and unless several thousand dollars more is added to the fund, the fund re-mittance will be made to Rome Satur-

day afternoon. The storm has greatly day afternoon. The storm has greatly hampered the work of the soliciting committee, yet in spite of this, Port-land's fund will be as large, if not larg-er, than that sent by Seattle and other

cities of about the same size. The Mayors of the various cities throughout the state who, acting upon the letter sent out by Governor Cham

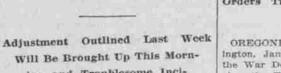
barlain, are just beginning to make their returns. Colonel Dunne urges that all of the money which has been promised the committee, both in Portland and throughout the state, be forwarded a him at once. He thinks that prac tically all of the money will be in hand by Saturday.

very creditable amount will be raised through the concert that will be given at the Bungalow Theater tonight Yesterday collections were made at all of the Catholic churches throughout the state. Just how much was given is not known. All of the money thus collected will be received by Archbishop Christie and will be sent my him to

## A NEW DEPARTURE.

A NEW DEPARTURE The cost of Interments has been reactly reduced by the Holman Under-taking Company. Heretofore if has been the custom of funeral directors to make charges for all incidentals connected with a funeral directors to make charges for all incidentals connected with a funeral. The Edward Holman Under-taking Company, the leading funeral alrectors of Portland, have departed from that custom. When casket is fur-nished by us we make no extra charges for embalming, hearse to cemetery, outside box or any services that may be required of us, except clothing, cemetery and carriages, thus effecting a saving of \$55 to \$75 on each funeral. THE EDWARD HOLMAN UNDERTAK-ING CO., 20 Third st, cor. Salmon.

Lighting Question Likely to Be Settled Today. PROPOSITION IS FAVORED



ing and Troublesome Incldent May Be Closed.

Settlement of the vexing city lighting question may be made at today's meeting of the Executive Board, which will convene at 10:30 this morning. How-

ever, the Portland Rallway, Light & Power Company will adhere strictly to its position, outlined at the recent meating of the directorate, insisting upon the payment of back bills before entering into a new contract with the city for street

lighting. The stipulation will be made, however,

The stipulation will be made, however, that if the courts decide the city is right in its contention, the money paid over to the company will be returned with inter-cet. The city is not to be estopped by the payment of the money from suing for its recovery. The payment of the back bills will be without prejudice to the city and a suit will be begun at once to determine the rights of the contending parties. parties. The company has agreed to give bond.

if necessary, that it will pay back the money the city shall pay and will, more-over, after this money has been paid by

over, after this money has been paid by the city, enter into any kina of a con-tract the city may wish to make. Mayor Lane, members of the Executive Board, representing the city, and Presi-dent Josselyn, of the lighting corporation, have expressed themselves as favoring the settlement outlined above. Thomas G. Greene said he wanted time to think the proposition over but will probably the proposition over but will probably express himself on the matter today.

"The advantage to the city in such a settlement," said City Attorney Kava-mugh last night, "is that instead of pay-ing interest, as at present, an end would ing interest, as at present, an end would be put to this charge and if the suit goes against the company, it would be required to pay interest to the city. Interest against the city now amounts to \$1200 on these bills. On about \$25,000 of the \$55,000 in dispute, there is no question whatever as to the liability of the city. The charge is not disputed. "I cannot say just what will be done by the Executive Board, but I feel con-fident that out of the proposition will come a settlement of the matter."

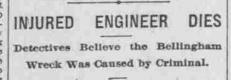
The back lighting bills extend over the period since last March. Between March and August a portion of the bills rendered by the company are disputed by the city and all from August to December 31 are called into guestion.

heard nothing during the day that would tend to unravel the tangle, and that as he had a case in court that would take up his time this forencon, he would be unable to meet with the committee in case it was called together. TROOPS FOR PHILIPPINES Orders Transfer Regiments From

the Northwest.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 10 .- Orders were issued by the War Department Saturday transferring the Third Infantry now at Forts Lawton and Wright, Washington, to the Philippines, on August 5, to be re-placed by the 18th Infantry now in the Philippines. The headquarters' band and a batailion of this regiment will go to Fort Lawton, and two batallions Fort Wright.

to Fort Wright. The Fourteenth Cavalry, part of which is now at Fort Walla Walla, will move to the Philippines in Novemwill move to the Philippines in Novem-ber, to be replaced by the Sixth Cav-alry, headquarters, band and one squad-ron of which will move to Walla Walla. Company B. First Batallion of Engineers, now at Vancouver Bar-racks, will come to Washington in April, to be replaced by Co. F. Third Detrollog Togeneous now here. Battallion Engineers, now here.



RELLINGHAM, Wash., Jan. 10 .- (Spe BELLINGHAM, wash. Jak. be-spe-cial.)-Engineer Jack Daley, injured in a Great Northern train wreck Thursday night, when the northbound passenger was ditched just south of this city by a thrown switch, died tonight on the oper-ating table at St. Luke's Hospital.

Great Northern detectives still hold the theory that the train was ditched by a criminal. They are working on a clew secured the night of the wreck and arrests are expe

Says Man, in Order to Rise Above Self, Must Change Many of His Opinions.

"Yourself" was the subject of the discourse at the Y. M. C. A. men's meet-ing yesterday afternoon, Dr. G. A. Soltau being the speaker. He is from London, England, and is to speak next Sunday afternoon on "The Other Fellow." He spoke, in part, as follows:

He spoke, in part, as follows: Most man undervalue themselves. What is man? Who are your What are you composed or? This old book, which is always right, says you are made of three parts. Paul, the apostle, says, "I pray God that your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless." There is streat need of that today. The human spirit is that which can come in touch with God. Thus only man come in communion with his Creator. It has been said that svery man has a spark of the divine in him. That is a lie. There is nothing there unless God puts it there, and then it is the spirit of God, not a spark. A spark can be extinguished too quickly. Whethere the spirit the spirit of God.

there, and then it is the splitt of Gou not a spark. A spark can be extinguished to quickly. What's the soul? That is your self-consciousness. It is what you are -mind, conscience, affection, desire; the neart and number of the soul? That is your self-consciousness. It is what you are -mind, conscience, affection, desire; the neart we thin with the mind. The body is your sense-consciousness. It keeps you in touch with the material world. Your soul keeps you in touch with your fellow man, and your splitt keeps you in touch with God, provided you allow it to be exercised. There is a class of men who are ruled by the splitt. Not the namby-pamby but the fellows who do things, and do them right. I don't care much for the fellow who goes to church on Sunday and during the week tells these well-known business full sway. He is worse than the sharper. Loos of men are pretty busy keeping the outside looking right, but the makes him, unconsciously, the Christike his soul; by what is wrongly called his higher self. There is no such thing, for

eliminative tissues of the kidneys.

compels these most vital organs to fil-ter from the blood and system the

waste impurities and uric acid which are the cause of rheumatism. It cleanses the kidneys, strengths them

and removes quickly such symptoms as

backache, blood disorders, bladder weakness, frequent urination, painful scalding and discolored urine. It acts

help. Men, to rise above yourselves you must change your minds about many things you have been thinking. In other words, you must repent. Then your minds can be filled with God's spirit. Christian Sciences would supplant the simple gauged. No God, no body, just nothing. You are re-duced to a duck's egg, a nobody. That's called Christian Science. What rolt How men will follow a woman when they won't follow Christ! NO NEED OF

# **TAKING COLD** COLDS CAN BE PREVENTED. SOME FACTS REGARDING

THE DISEASE.

Cold Water, Intelligently Used, Proper Diet, Exercise and Common Sense Are the Preventives.

Habitual colds are due to an ill kept skin on the outside and dyspeptic mucous mem-brane on the inside, the result of indigestion, carelessness. Cold water, coupled with proper food and common sense are the foundations upon which a preventive must rest. A cold sponge bath, one to three minutes long before breakfast, with a brisk dry rub, is excellent-usually all that is necessary to keep the cutaneous circulation alive and the akin reactive to sudden changes of tempera-

ture. For those unaccustomed to cold water, tolerance can be gained in three weeks' time by the use of water at any comfortable temperature, making it one degree colder each day, until it can be employed without dread as cold as it will run. Sea salt may be added to the water for its stimulating effect.

Cold water for has similaring enect. Cold water intelligently used does not steal vitality, but fosters it. It stimulates the nerves that control the expansion and contraction of the blood vessels and regu-Recent experiments prove this simple mixture effective in Rheumatism, because of its positive action upon the

lates the cutaneous circulation. One should "keep moving" when wet or chilly and not stand on a street corner or elsewhere without taking a deep breath. The lungs used in this way act as a pump to drive the blood along. This practice, with the others named, will reduce to a shadow the liability of taking cold every little while.

If you should contract a cold, get rid of it If you should contract a cold, get rid of it as quickly as possible, for every cold weak-ens the lungs, lowers the vitality, and paves the way for more serious diseases. This is best accomplished by the use of Chamber-lain's Cough Remedy, a preparation that can always be depended upon, and that not only every the could but counteract area too only cures the cold but counteracts any tendency towar Dneumonia.

Portland Should Mix and Take It.

being made known in all the larger cities through the newspapers. It is intended to check the many cases of Rheumatism, kidney and bladder trou-ble which have made so many cripples and invalids and weakings of some of our brightest and strongest people. The druggists here have been notiand all from August to December 31 are called into question. President Josselyn said last night that his company would insist on payment of the back bills before making any kind of a contract with the city for further light ing of streets. He said the city would not be disqualified in any way by this

RHEUMATISM RECIPE SPLENDID FOR KDINEYS Every Afflicted Man and Woman in | Mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose is one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

This is a simple home recipe now being made known in all the larger