# CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

OREGONIAN TELEPHONES.

BELLIG THEATER—(Seventh and Taylor)
—Lambard: Grand Opera Company. Spe-efal mathes this afternoon, 2:15 o'clock. Puccints "Madame Butterfly." Tonight. 8:15, Etzet's "Carmen."

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BANER THEATER—(Elevent's and Merrison)—Dave Lewis in "Don't Lie o Tour
Wife." Matines at 2:15; tenight at 8:15.

ORPHEUM THEATER—(Morrison, between
Bisth and Seventh)—Vaudsville, This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 5:15.

PANTAGES THEATER—(Seventh and Alday)—Vaudsville. This afternoon at 2:15;
tonight at 7:50 and 2.

PUPPHERS THEATER—(Park and Washing-

tonight at 7:50 and 2.

EMPRESS THEATER—(Park and Washington)—Vaudoville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 7:50 and 5.

LYRIC THEATER—(Fourth and Stark)—
Musical counsely, 'in Gay Paris,' This afternoon at 2:30 and tonight at 7:30 and 9:15.

STAR, ARCADE, OH JOY, ODEON, TIVO-LI-First-run pictures, 11 A. M.-12 P. M.

Summer Post, G. A. R., has elected the Summer Post, G. A. R., has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Commander, H. F. Pargo; senior vice-commander, John Barton; junior, vice-commander, M. Kellogg; quartermaster, G. A. Prentice; sergeant, R. C. Markee; chaplain, W. T. Kerr; officer of the day, I. A. Brown; officer of the guard, D. D. I. A. Brown; officer of the guard, D. D. Finley; delegates to the state encampment, M. Buchannan, John Barton, George Sykes, C. S. Sawyer, H. H. Spaulding, J. Howitt; alternates, Dr. Lazvitt, George Young, D. D. Finley, G. Thomas, W. R. Mathews, W. K. Bittner; honorary member "A" Club, Newton Clark. Installation of officers will be held the first meeting in January.

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A suit was filed in the United States
Circuit Court yesterday by the Hamilton Trust Company to forciose a mortgage of \$350,000 against the Cornucopia
Mines Company, Valentine Lanbenhaimer and S. W. Holmes, to have a
receiver appointed for the properties of
the defendant and to restrain them
from selling or disposing of any of
their interests. The defendant company is alleged to possess a number of
mining claims, water rights, mill sites
and operating machinery and that it
has not only defaulted in the payment
of the interest on the bonds, on which
the mortgage was issued, but that it is
completely insolvent.

LENTE INVENTORS GET PATENT—15. W.
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LENTS INVENTORS UST PARENT. W. V. Smith and Edward Selster, who have their workshop at Mr. Smith's home, at 222 Eighth avenue, in Lents, have just obtained a patent on a new theater chair. Mr. Smith is also credited with having invented a new electric lamp. Mr. Smith also has patents pending on lectric lamp. electric lights, gasoline and electric soldering irons, automatic talking ma-chine, wireless motor and other devices. The workshop is a curiosity shop, filled with machines made by the inventors.

ARCHITECT TO LECTURE - Harold Evert Weed, landscape architect, for-merly of Chicago, will lecture in St. Rose Hall, at East Fifty-seventh street and Alameda avenue, December 11, on "How to Beautify a City Lot." Stere-

Naturoparus Elect Officers.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Oregon State Association of Naturopaths the officers for the year were elected: President, Dr. J. D. Dunn: first vice-president, Dr. V. K. Jindra; second vice-president, Dr. W. F. Grover; treasurer, Dr. S. F. Grover, and Dr. Harvey, W. Freeze was re-elected to serve as secretary for another year. The retiring president Dr. Bertschinger and other officers were given a vote of

the Courthouse at a reduction of 25 per cent below the standard meter rate. The rate promised is the same as is given the School Board and under it the county's bill will amount to about

SOCIETY WOMEN WIN DOLLS.-At the Flower Mission bazaar, at the Portland Hotel yesterday, the dolls were awarded as follows: The large doll to Miss Mc-Lead, Fliedner building; pink boy doll to Mrs. Frank Nau, 233 North Twen-ty-fourth street; doll in velvet coat to Mrs. E. C. Mears. 668 Everett street; ballet dancer to Mrs. Frank E. Watkins, 109 Eleventh street.

THE ANNUAL Show of the Oregon Poultry and Pet Stock Association is now in progress at the new Multnomah Hotel, corner Third and Pine sts. Admission, 25 cents. This is the best show ever given by this association, there being over 1200 birds on exhibi-tion and exhibitors are present from all parts of the West.

MR. C. B. TURLAY, who has been with the wholesale woolen business for years has acquired an interest with the well-known firm of Lane & Johnson, Oxford Tallors, Inu. 143 Seventh at, where he will be pleased to have all of his friends call. His experience in the woolen business will enable the firm to give better values than ever. \*

Exposition at Auditorium, where Gipsy Smith preached, 140 exhibits, thousands of free samples, free food, pretty china, hand-painted bowls to the ladies. Don't miss this show, the big-gest indoor show ever held in the West. Open afternoon and night every day until December 16. Go today and you will go every day.

Miss Paddock to Plat. — Miss Evelyn Paddock will be presented in a piano recital tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock, at Eilers hall, under the auspices of the Enna Amateurs, and will be assisted by Miss Eva Graves, accompanist, and Miss Emma Perley Lincoln, reader.

MEREDITH'S UMBRELLA FACTORY and members's Underside Factors and store which was located for 14 years on Washington, bot. 5th and 5th, has removed to 329 Washington, bet. 6th and 7th, Imperial Hotel bidg., where the largest and cheapest stock of umbrellas in the city are carried, pairing and recovering promptly.

MOTHERS-TERCHERS' CLUB TO MEET.

—The regular meeting of the MothersTeachers' Club of Brooklyn School will be held in the assembly hall Friday; afternoon at 2:20 o'clock. Mrs. Weister will address the club, on "A Tour in Self-Discovery." A musical programme will precede the address.

SUMMINDS MOTHERS TO MEET.-The Sunnyside Mothers' and Teachers' Club will meet at the Sunnyside School to-day at 2 P. M., when an address by the president of the Consumers' League will be delivered. A display of Christ-mas goods made by the children of the school will be made. school will be made.

THE regular meeting of the Fruit and Flower Mission will be held at the day nursery, 25 North Ninth street, Thursday, December 7.

Sals of Unclaimed Baggage Wilson auction house 2d and Yamhili, December 7, 10 A. M. Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company.

THE ANY, CRAFT AND BOOK SHOP, Tilford bldg., 2d floor, Open evenings. \* DR. E. A. SOMMER returned 1917 Corbett bldg.

WOODMEN ELECT OFFICERS.—Rose City Camp, No. 5465, Modern Woodmen of America, has elected the following officers: Consul, H. L. Barn (re-elected); worthy advisor, H. M. Gray, banker, F. W. Fink (re-elected); clerk, F. J. Darlington (re-elected); escort, R. W. Cusick; waichman, H. A. Colt, sentry, F. M. Blackford (re-elected); manager, W. F. Coffey (re-elected), three, years). The camp physicians are: Dr. J. B. Roth, Dr. S. Loeb, Dr. S. C. Slocum, Dr. E. H. Brown and Dr. R. E. Dunlop, Nearly 100 members attended the meeting Monday night. J. W. Simmons, state deputy head consul, and F. J. Darlington, district deputy, spoke, on "Woodcraft."

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OFFUNE PENDLER HELD TO GRAND JURY.

—Chew Gow, the Chinaman recently arrested on a charge of peddling optum on the streets, was given a hearing before United States Commissioner Cannon and bound over to await the action of the grand jury. Later he was released on bonds, given by two of his countrymen. He says he is a cripple and that the alleged dope, found in his possession, was only a salve that he possession, was only a salve that he used on his limbs.

CITY HELD NOT TO BLAME. The city cannot be held responsible for the piling in the river which recently did piling in the river which recently did slight damage to the launch Dix and the steamer Rowens, holds City At-torney Grant, who has completed an investigation of the accidents. He de-clares the city did not place the piling in the river and officials do not know who did. He recommends to the City Council that the petition of the boat-owners for damages be denied.

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CITY ASKED TO REFUND FINE.—Fear of holdups is the excuse W. R. Moser gives for having carried a revolver November 10 for which he was arrested and fined \$10 in the Municipal Court. He filed a petition with the City Auditor yesterday asking the City Council to refund the amount of the fine. With the petition are the signatures of more than \$5 persons who set forth that they know Moser to be a peace-abiding citizen.

JEWISH WOMEN TO MEET, The monthly meeting of the Council of Jewish Women will be held this after-Jewish Women will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the SellingHirsch building. The following programme will be given: Address, "Social Hygiene," Dr. Mac Cardwell; current events, Mrs. Carl Gillman; vocal
solos, "Ashes of Roses" (Mary Wood),
"Shadow March" (Rugo), Mrs. Fred
Olson; accompanist, Miss Emma Wood.

TRAVELING SALESHAN GUILTY.—Harry Lee Hughes, a traveling salesman, who was indicted by the November grand jury on a statutory charge, yesterday entered a plea of guilty before Judge Gatens and was sentenced to from one to ten years in the State Peniten-He had previously protested his inno-

MOSFATT BODY CREMATED.—The body of George Barclay Moffatt, the New York financier and the builder of the Oregon Electric Railroad, who died Monday at St. Vincent's Hospital, was cremated at the Portland Crematerium yesterday. No arrangements for the funeral, which will be held in Mr. Moffatt's home at Brooklyn, have yet been made. Mrs. Moffatt will leave with the ashes today for the East.

RUT KNOCKS DRIVER OFF SMAT.—Wil-liam Dean, a teamster for the Inman-Poulsen Lumber Company, was seriously injured yesterday morning at Fifth and Burnside streets by being jarred from his seat when the wheels of his "How to Beautify a City Lot." Stereoption views will be shown and 14
views of the Greater Portland plans
will be explained by Mr. Weed. A soclable will follow the address. The
lecture will be under the auspices of
the Rose City Park Improvement

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tiring president Dr. Bertsehinger and other officers were given a vote of thanks.

COUNTY WATER BILL CUT.—The County Commissioners have decided, following a statement from T. B. Wilcox, chairman of the Water Board, that the county will be given water for use in the recent meeting of National leaders of the Home Mission Council, has called a meeting of the committee on inquiry for 1 P. M. today, at the Y. M. C. A. About 15 of the 22 home missionary societies in the council will be represented. societies in the council will be repre-

FRIDERAL EXAMINATION ANNOUNCED.— The United States Civil Service Com-The United States Civil pervice Com-mission announces that an examination will be held January 16 to list eligi-bles for local agent in the Bureau of Fisheries at Seattle, Wash. Further in-formation about this examination may be obtained from Z. A. Leigh at the

Portland Postoffice. Portland Postoffice.

BENEFIT TO HE GIVEN FOR WIDOW.—
An entertainment will be given tonight at the Isls Theater, in Lents, in aid of Mrs. Haskins, a widow, with several

of Mrs. Haskins, a widow, with several small children. An orchestra will play and Carl Hawkins, 7 years old, will give a selection on the violin. Three thousand feet of moving-picture film including comedy reels will be shown.

Cirr Holds Up Auro Bill.—"We are not going to keep all the worn-out automobiles in the city while waiting for our pairol meter," said Police Chief Slover vesterday. He directed Sergeant Slover yesterday. He directed Sergeant Casey to hold up a bill submitted by the Keats Auto Company for \$280, for repairs made on the numerous vehicles used by the department.

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ANTI-VIVISECTIONISTS THANK MAYOR—Mayor Rushlight yesterday received a lighter of thanks from the California Anti-Vivisection Society of Los Angeles thanking him for his fight against the practice of selling straydogs from the city pound to doctors for medical experimental purposes.

St. James' Luthemax Chunch Baraan and Suppers.—The ladles of St. James' Lutheran Church will hold their annual sale and supper in the basement of the church today from 2 to 3 P. M. Suppers. 25 cents. A feature of the sale will be the many and beautiful water color novelties made by the members of the Young Ladles' Guild.

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REV. G. N. EDWARDS TAKES PASTORATE -Rev. George N. Edwards has recently taken the pastorate of the Oregon City Congregational Church, to succeed Rev. W. N. Proctor. Mr. Proctor is now pro-fessor of biblical literature at Pacific University, Forest Grove. Mr. Edwards is from Douglas, Alaska.

You can get many useful Christmas presents at our clean-up sale at the Coleman hardware stock now on. You can save from 25 to 50 per cent on your purchases if you buy now from the Oregon Hardware Company. Third and Oak and Oak

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COLLEGE LECTURES ON .- With the introductory lecture on "The Ances-try of Modern Prose," Dr William T. Foster last night opened the Reed Col-lege extension course of lectures to be given during December, January and February on the modern English prose writers. Last night's lecture was in the nature of an outline of the course. In the successful lectures the gentile. In the succeeding lectures the genius Gatens and was sentenced to from one to ten years in the State Peniten and works of great writers of the 19th and works of great writers of the 19th century will be analyzed. The lectures tacking a 14-year-old Woodstock girl. He had previously protested his innocence.

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TUBERCULOSIS VICTIM BURIED.—The funeral of Earl Mulholand, who died funeral of Earl Mulholand, who died Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Mulholand, in South Mount Tabor, was held Monday afternoon from the chapel of the East Side Funeral Directors. Interment was made in Rose City Cemetery. Rev. James D. Corby conducted the services. The young man attended school at the Buckman building, and until attacked by tuberculosis was employed in the by tuberculosis was employed in the

office of the Union Meat Company.
"Van and the Water Wagon," tonight at 7:30, at Centenary Methodist
Church, East Ninth and Pine st. Hear

THE LADIES OF GRACE M. E. CHURCH will serve a 35c lunch today from 12 to 1:30, in connection with their basaar.\* PRDIGHTED ANGORA CATS. East 3889. SKATING all day today. Oaks Rink.

SHERIFF IS UPHELD IN STAND ON CERTIFICATE SALES.

Attempt to Secure Privileges on Delinquent Lands by Cash Deposits Overruled by Court.

Harry M. Courtright, who sought preference in the purchase of delinquent tax certificates because he deposited gold while his competitors tendered only checks, will have to take his chances in bidding against the others. Judge Gatens yestorday afternoon denied Courtright's application for a writ of mandamus compelling Sheriff Stevens to consider his application the only one on file.

"You will have to take your chances with the others," Judge Gatens said to Attorney Ridgway, appearing for Courtright. 'I can see no reason why your client should be allowed to gobble the majority of these certificates at a 15 per cent rate of interest when there is a chance to get lower rates for the actual owners of the property by competitive bidding as provided by law."

The Sheriff refused to accede to Courtright's demands, declaring that he was seeking to take an advantage and the court proceedings followed. Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald appeared for Sheriff Stevens. He argued that in accepting checks the Sheriff assumes the responsibility and not the county.

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Fitzgerald said, the Sheriff protects

himself by considering the taxes in payment of which such checks were tendered as still unpaid. Judge Gatons accepted this view of the Gatons accepted this view of the question.

"The Sheriff is merely the tax collector," said Judge Gatens. "It is his duty to turn over all taxes collected to the proper authorities in gold and silver. Should be wish to accept checks that is his business as he is under bond. I am going to take the broader view of this question and not allow delinquent taxpayers to be victimized on a technicality."

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At 10 o'clock this morning the various bidders will be given an opportunity to bid against each other in Sheriff Stevens' offices and a material reduc-tion from the 15 per cent rate is ex-

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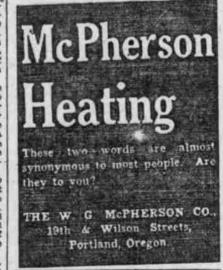
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	Handkerchiefs	.25	to	1.50	
	Fur Gloves	3.00	to	5.00	
	Hand-Knit Mitts	.50	to	1.50	
	Umbrellas	1.00	to	7.50	
	Silk Hosiery	.50	to	2.50	
	Collar and Cuff Boxes	1.00	to	3.50	
	Mufflers	1.00	to	8.00	
	Scarf Pins	.50	to	3.00	
	Studs and Vest Buttons	.50	to	1.50	
	Automobile Caps	1.00	to	2.50	
	Buckskin Gloves	1.00	to	7.50	
	Knitted Vests	3.50	to	7.50	
	Cravats	.50	to	3.00	
	Military Brushes	1.50	to	4.00	
	Clothes Brushes	1.00	to	2.50	
	Dressing Case Articles	1.50	to	10.00	
	Traveling Bags	5.00	to	25.00	
	Shower-proof and Dust Coats.	5.00	to	35.00	ï
	Dressing Gowns	5.00	to	20.00	
	House Coats	5.00	to	20.00	
	Hat Boxes	6.00	to	10.00	
	Fitted Bags	6.00	to	10.00	
	Polo Coats	15.00	to	35.00	
	Pin and Cuff Button Sets	1.50	to	4.50	
	Tie Holders	.25	to	1.00	
	Jewelry Sets	1.00	to	5.00	
	Gloves	1.00	to	3.50	
	Imp'd Knitted Four-in-Hands.	1.00	to	3.00	
П	Knitted Silk Mufflers	3.00	to	8.00	
-	Suspenders, plain and fancy	.50	to	5.00	
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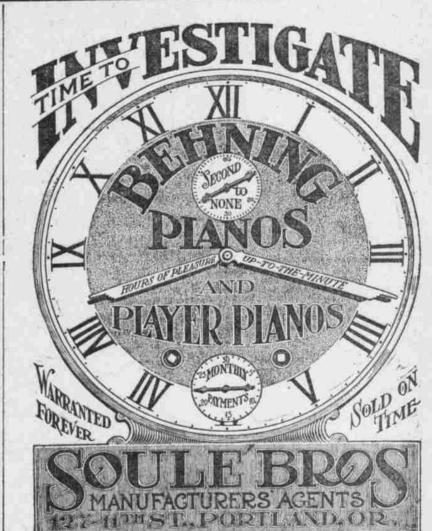
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THIRD PRIZE, \$5 The articles should deal with actual, concrete personal experiences of home-winning and home-building, setting forth, step by step, the progress toward the achievement, from the time of making the first payment on a lot or acreage to the realization of the ambition. It is not necessary that homes be entirely paid for. Articles will appear in The Sunday Oregonian. Photographs are desirable, but will not be considered in awarding prizes. The right is reserved of running in The Sunday Oregonian stories not awarded prizes. The following simple directions should be observed:

1. Articles should not be more than 800 words in length.

2. The writer should be a bona fide homeowner, or the member of a homeowner's family.

3. Write on one side of paper only. Sign writer's correct name and address. 5. Mail articles to City Editor of The Oregonian. 6. Prizes will be awarded Thursday of each week.

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