CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

AMUSEMENTS.

SAKER THEATER-TEleventh and Marri-son)—Dave Lewis in "Don't Lie to Your Wife," tonight at 8:15.

ORPHEUM THE ATER—(Morrison, between Sixth and Seventh)—Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and tonight at 8:16. PANTAGES THEATER—(Seventh and Alder)—Vaudaville. This afternoon at 2:15: tonight at 7:20 and 9.

EMPRESS THEATER-(Park and Washington)-Vaudeville. This afternoon at 2:15 and conight at 7:20 and 9.

LYRIC THEATER-(Fourth and Stark)-Musical comedy, "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.

Advertisements intended for the City News in Brief columns in Sunday's issue must be handed in The Oregonian business office by 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

MCCUEKER OPENS HEADQUARTERS.—The announcement was made yesterday that La Foliette headquarters will be established in the Lumbermen's building in charge of Thomas McCusker. It is the plan of the friends of Senator La Follette to organize clubs throughout the state and make an effort in that way to secure for the Wisconsin man the popular vote for President in the primary election next April. Designation of Mr. McCusker as the man to handle the La Follette campaign in this state followed correspondence between Mr. followed correspondence between Mr. McCusker and W. L. Houser, chairman of a National organization that is working in the interest of Mr. La Poi-

TWO POLICEMEN CHARGED AS INVADERS -Charges of misconduct were filed with the City Auditor yesterday by G. W. Hays against Policemen Gill and Griffith who are accused by Hays of having entered his room in the Turney block last Saturday night, without authority or provocation. In a sworn statement Hays says the policemen in plain clothes entered the place at mid-night, and these and the statement of the statement. night and threatened to arrest sev-eral persons who asked what was wrong. Hays declares the policemen refused to show their stars or to explain their mission and embarrassed Mrs. Hays greatly. The charges will go to the police committee of the Ex-ecutive Board.

Monravilla Woman Borne to Rest.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret R.
Hanthorn, who died at her home, at
67 East Eighty-first street, in Montavilla, Tuesday, was held yesterday
afternoon from the Montavilla Methodist Church, Rev. W. J. Douglass
dist Church, Rev. W. J. Douglass dist Church. Rev. W. J. Douglass, paster, conducted the services. Mrs. Hanthorn was a member of the Methodist Church, Women's Christian Tem-perance Union, Women's Relief Corps and Grange. She was prominent in all these organizations and members of each attended the funeral. Mrs. Hanthorn was a widow, 67 years old and had been a resident of Portland for five years. for five years.

LIBRARIAN TO SPEAK AT Y. W. C. A.—
As a guide in the selection of Christmas gifts from the "best sellers," intimate information on what to buy and
what not to buy will be given in a
public talk on "Modern Fiction," by
Miss March, of the Public Library, in
the Young Women's Christian Association Auditorium this evening at 7:3tion Auditorium this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The talk will be followed by an informal social hour and Miss Dagmar Kelly will contribute vocal selections. On this occasion no ad-mission cards will be necessary and everyone is invited.

ALBINA CLUB ELECTS .- The North Albina Improvement Association has elected S. L. Osborne president and H. A. Ruble secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year. It was voted to start a campaign for a complete sewer system for the Peninsula, including North Alberta and Woodlawn, and H. G. Parsons was made chairman of a committee to take up that subject. Other clubs on the Peninsula have been asked to appoint similar committees to confer on the sewer question.

BEN HUR TRIBE TO INITIATE.-E. L. Hiberly, state manager of the order of the Tribe of Ben Hur, will attend a meeting of Court No. 7, Alberta dis-trict, tonight and assist in the initia-tion ceremonies. The court will elect officers and start a membership campaign. Mr. Hiberly attended the meet-ing of Court No. 8, at Grange hall in Lents Monday night and addressed the

SEPTUMENARIAN RESIDENT DIES.—Ed-ward L. Lyons, 78 years old, died at his home, at 508 Harney street, in Sell-wood, Tuesday. He had been a resi-dent of Oregon for 25 years and of Sellwood for five years. He is survived by his widow. The funeral will be held today from Hematock's chapel and intervent will be made in Milwankie. interment will be made in Milwaukie Cemetery.

SUIT IN EQUITY FILED.—A suit in equity to quiet a title was filed in the United States Circuit Court yesterthe United States Circuit Court yester-day by W. A. Coughamour against W. E. Lees, L. Belle Lee, Thomas Crothers and Dale Robertson. The property in question and to which the defendants claim a delinquent tax deed is located in Malheur County.

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Charles Robertson to Speak.—Services will be held at Congregation Ahaval Sholom, corner Park and Clay streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Charles Robertson will address the congregation on the subject "The Woman of Early Judaism." Tomorrow morning services are at 9:20 o'clock. Rabbi R. Abrahamson will officiate.

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

DR. BLAUSTEIN TO SPEAK AT TEMPLE—
Dr. David Blaustein, of New York,
will speak at Beth Israel tonight. The
choir under the direction of Mrs. Rose
Bloch Bauer will sing the ritual and
Mrs. Delphine Marx will sing "Like as
the Hart Desireth" (Allitsen). E. E.
Coursen will play "Cantelina" (Goiterman). The service will begin at 8
o'clock. All men and women are welcome. Canston Cincis Ments Today.-The Mothers' and Teachers' Club of Cres-SMOKER ON CAR FORFEITS BAIL.—Adjudication of the question whether one
may smoke on streetcars, about to be
brought on by the first arrest for the
offense, has been postponed through the
failure of the accused to appear for
trial. J. F. Obrock, who was arrested
early in the week, forfeited his ball,
when the case was called in Municipal
Court. Mothers and Teachers Club of Cres-ton School will meet today at 2:30 P. M., at the school in the assembly hall. The committee will report on the move-ment to have the woods cleared in back of the school. Fire protection, the need of more water and cleaner school grounds also will be discussed.

GRANGE FAVORS DIRECT REFRESENTA-TION.—At the meeting of Pleasant Valley Grange Saturday it was voted to indorse the State Grange amendment authorizing the subordinate Granges to elect delegates to the State Grange direct, and do away with the present

direct, and do away with the present convention plan.

Y. W. C. A. Green Tra Por Menu, Friday, December 8: Bouillon, clam chowder, roast veal, baked salmon, T-bone steak, spinach, breaded tomatoes, baked onlons, artichokes, chicken salad, feett, salad, aspenseur, number plan. fruit salad, asparagus, pumpkin ple, grabam pudding, with hard sauce; ice

cream with cake. ARLETA CLUB TO MEET.—The Arleta Mothers' and Teachers' Club will meet tomerrow at the school building, at 2:45 o'clock. Dr. W. B. Holden will address the club on "Effect of Cigarette Smoking and of Narcotica." Miss Wold, Arleta librarian, will give a few minutes' talk.

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Skaring all day today. Oaks Rink. & Martin.

Soundings Made for Phorosed Bridge.

—Under the direction of the City Engineer soundings have been made for the proposed bridge for South Portland between Woodward avenue and Woods atreet. At the last election the bridge When You Start bonds were placed on the ballot without the condition of the river bottom being known. Dr. Dav Raffety, chairman of To Save the condition of the river bottom being known. Dr. Dav Raffety, chairman of the Groater South Portland bridge committee, said that no plan for a bridge campaign had been adopted and will not be adopted until the election date is settled. He also expressed the opinion that any change of the bridge location toward the south or on Beacon street will be unwise and might defeat the bridge project, as a big cut would be required on Beacon street for the approach, which, property owners say, would ruin their holdings. The subject will be considered at the next meeting of the Brooklyn Improvement Club December 21. Mayor Rushlight has been asked to attend and express his views as to the bridge project.

OTHER DEFENDANTS SOUGHT.—In the land grant suit of the United States against the Southern Oregon Company, the defendant filed a petition yesterday asking that the Sheriffs and tax collectors of Coos and Douglas Counties be made parsy defendants and that they be restrained from the collection of taxes from or making assessments against the properties involved in the suit while it is pending. Judge Wolverton granted a summons against the properties involved and that that is returnable January 15. The property involved in the suit is in these counties and the defendants do not want to pay taxes on it if it is ultimately decided to belong to the Government.

Home for Boys' Club Sought.—A

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meeting will be held tonight in the Pictureland Theater, on Alberta street, to consider plans to obtain permanent

to consider plans to obtain permanent quarters for the Boys' Club organized under the auspices of the Alberta Business Men's Club. The general committee composed of Benjamin Brick, Dr. E. A. Lumis, D. E. Smith, W. J. Lundy, George E. Crump, H. S. Reid, Myron Kligore, Sylvester Pren-tice, Frances Wilson, Verl McAdams

and William Sylvester, has been in-vestigating and will report at the meeting tonight. Leading citizens of the district have interested themselves

in this movement to build a club-house for the boys of that neighbor-

Patton avenue to BE IMPROVED.—
Patton avenue is to be improved from
Portland boulevard to Columbia boulevard with cement sidewalks and curbs.
Arthur D. Kern submitted the lowest bid \$13,586—for the work, and he probably will do the work. Patton avenue has been graded between Killingsworth avenue and Columbia boulevard, and eventually will be paved as part of the boulevard system on the Peninsula. It is 100 feet wide. Portland boulevard, which extends from Willamette boulevard to Woodlawn, has been improved

ward to Woodlawn, has been improved with cement sidewalks, and will be paved later when the property owners decide they are able to stand the

CAMP Gives Many Turkers.—In the membership campaign carried on by Multnomah Camp, No. 77, Woodmen of the World, 180 turkeys were given

tions had been received in the last few days to be reported at the meeting tonight. Initiation will be held Decem-

CITY SEEKS STEAM-ROLLER BUTER-The city is looking for someone who wants to buy a second-hand steam-roller which is slightly out of repair.

FERRY PLANS ACCEPTED.—Plans for the ferry between St. Johns and Clare-

from the City of St. Johns, refused to accept the present boat as inspection proved that it might be condemned

Topic Is "CHRISTIANITY AND POLITICS."

"Christianity and Modern Politics" is
the topic which will be taken up by the
social service committee at the Y. M.
C. A. at the noon luncheon tomorrow.
W. G. Eggleston will lead in the discusston of the subject. Fight whost price.

sion of the subject. Eight school prin-cipals, two judges, six lawyers, besides bankers, insurance men, solicitors and ministers, are members of the com-mittee, which is holding meetings once a week to study social and political conditions.

THIEVES THOUGHT TO HAVE USED WAGON.—Thieves who are supposed to have come in a wagon, looted the Standard Outfitting Company's store, at

night. When the employes arrived yes-terday morning they found a back door open and property missing that weighed about 300 pounds. The list of missing goods included six pairs of velvet curtains, a large plate glass mirror and two suits of clothes.

DR. BLAUSTEIN TO SPEAK AT TEMPLE-

head of the County Board of Relief, was attacked with a fainting spell in the corridors of the Courthouse about noon yesterday. Dr. H. R. Cliff, who was called to attend him, found the fainting

was caused by nervousness due to stomach troubles. After resting several hours in his office in the Courthouse he went to his home.

audanum and whisky for insemnia, nearly cost the life of Charles L. Dubois, a lodger at the Rex Hotel, at Seventeenth and Washington streets, early yesterday. The police were called by other lodgers who said the man was dying. He received medical attention and was reported out of danger.

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MRS. JUNE MACMILLAN ORDWAY'S
postal card poems on sale at J. K.
Gill's and Meler & Frank's.

"Devils Cast Out" will be Evangelist Van Marter's topic tonight, at Cen-tenary Methodist Church.

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MRS. LUTKE'S CONDITION SERIOUS .-MRS. LUTKE'S CONDITION SERIOUS.—
Mrs. R. Lutke, who has been at Good
Samaritan Hospital since Monday, was
reported to be very low last night.
She was operated upon by Dr. E. D.
Johnson and Dr. George E. Wilson, but
her condition made no headway. While
her condition is serious, there are
still hopes for her recovery.
FRANCHISES TO BE DISCUSSED.—The
North East Side Improvement Association will hold its regular meeting to-

tion will hold its regular meeting to-night in Woodmen Hall, at Russell street and Rodney avenue, to discuss the franchises sought by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, the proposed bond issue for more parks and the Broadway bridge situation. Dr. DECHMANN TO SPEAK.—Tonight at so'clock Dr. Louis Dechmann will deliver a lecture at the City Hall, "Food as a Remedy," before the Co gress of Mothers.

40TH ANNIVERSARY SALE.

Brownsville Stores Celebrate.

those who brought in applications for membership before Thanksgiving. Clerk Wilson reported yesterday that fully 200 more turkeys will be distributed before Christmas and New Year's for applications. He said that 41 applica-To celebrate our 40th anniversary we will up until December 15 give the free pick and choice of any suit or overcoat in either of our two stores sold at \$15, \$16.50, \$18 and \$20 for ber 19 when it is expected that 300 candidates will be admitted. The total membership of Multnomah Camp is

\$12.50. This is a genuine saving of \$2.50 on all \$15 suits or overcoats \$4.00 on all \$16.50 suits or overcoats \$5.50 on all \$18.00 suits or overcoats \$7.50 on all \$20.00 suits or overcoats Brownsville Woolen Mill Store, 2d and Morrison—3d and Stark.**

OPEN EVENINGS.

roller which is slightly out of repair. The machine was recently struck by a Southern Pacific train and damaged to the extent of about \$700. Besides this the tires of the wheels are worn nearly through, the machine has gone through about seven years of hard service and is a trille out of date. Otherwise it is a good roller. The city is willing to part with it for \$700. The street committee of the Executive Board yesterday decided to buy a new steam-Free demonstrations of player pianes, Victor talking machines, Victorias and all the latest music at Sherman, Clay & Co., Morrison at Sixth. terday decided to buy a new steam-roller if someone could be found who would pay \$700 for the old one.

PENNEY BROS? FRIDAY SPECIAL. We offer our \$2 wines at \$1 a gallon; \$1.50 wines at 75c a gallon; Straight Kentucky Whisky, seven years old. Kentucky Whisky, seven years old, regular \$4.50, at \$3.50 a gallon; Kentucky whisky, regular \$3.50, at \$2.50 a gallon; \$2 grade whisky, \$2.10 a gallon, Friday only, 379 E. Morrison at. Phones East 287, B 2426. Free delivery. mout, which were prepared by W. R. Phillips, were yesterday approved by the County Court. Bids for the building of the boat will be opened December 27. The county, which by virtue of an act passed at the last session of the Legislature takes the ferry over from the City of St. Johns refused to

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ADJUSTING BEGUN

Traffic Officials at Seattle Consider "Back-Haul" Cases.

A meeting of the traffic officials of the lines affected by the recent deci-sion of the interstate Commerce Com-mission in the so-called "back-haul" cases on eastbound freight rates from Coast terminals is in progress at Se-attle for the purpose of considering re-adjustment of the tariffs in conform-ance with the ruling.

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W. E. Coman, general freight and passenger agent of the North Bank road, and R. B. Miller, traffic manager of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., are in attendance, Representatives of the Great Northern, Milwaukee and other interested lines, will meet with them.

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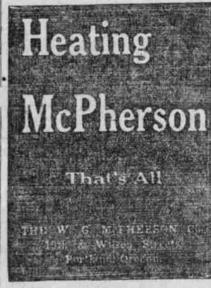
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