

SEPTIMBER MORN' BABE STUNS CRITICS

Mother, as Physical Culturist, Scorns Clothes for Nature-Nurtured Youngster.

NEIGHBORS FEAR NEGLECT

Policeman Called to Investigate Finds Six-Months-Old Boy Happy and Healthy—Parents' Bureau Expert Says "Perfect."

Without the least sign of clothes, but cooing and romping about on the floor and in his mother's arms, Rex Palmer, aged 6 months, son of Mrs. Alice Palmer, was the center of much attraction at the Parents' Education Bureau at the Courthouse yesterday afternoon.

A golf expert from Philadelphia, are at the Oregon. C. J. Smyth, special assistant to the Attorney-General, is at the Portland. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Estey are registered at the Washington from Koloa. B. J. Reed is registered at the Cornwell from Raymond, Washington.

HOT SHOT PURED INTO MR. PARKISON

University Referendum Agitator Hears His Own Arguments Riddled.

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H. J. Parkison, moving spirit in the referendum which has been invoked against the University of Oregon, after giving his argument in support of the referendum before the Portland Ad Club yesterday at its luncheon in the Portland Hotel, was fairly "ripped to pieces" by the satirical reply of W. D. Fenton, who answered him with a speech in behalf of the university appropriations.

Mr. Parkison advanced no positive argument excepting to declare that the State Legislature has been in the habit of "logrolling" and trading over the university appropriation. The referendum to punish the legislative logrollers and as a preliminary step toward consolidating the institutions of the state at Corvallis on a basis of millage tax maintenance.

Mr. Parkison made no mention of the positive opposition to consolidation, that either at Corvallis or elsewhere, that has been expressed by the regents of the Oregon Agricultural College. He declared that the appropriations asked were simply for the benefit of the University and made his objections to the courses offered by the State University by saying:

More Carpenters Needed, He Says. "We have too many lawyers and doctors already. What the people want is a school that will teach the substantial things like carpentry and manual crafts. I am a farmer's son and was raised on the farm. The people of Oregon are tired of the logrolling of the Legislature and they want to build up an institution that will give them what they need and will be under the control of the Legislature, but under their own control. The Legislature passed 925 bills in the last session of 40 days. What opportunity is there under such conditions for it to give the matter proper consideration and a fair settlement?"

Mr. Fenton's first remark when he rose to speak, dealt with the referendum bill. "This logrolling Legislature, with its 925 bills," he said, "is the same Legislature that passed the bill which Mr. Parkison is asking for \$250 for attorney's fees for his activities in a previous referendum against the University of Oregon. And it was that same Legislature that disallowed Mr. Parkison's bill before the present referendum movement against the University of Oregon was instituted. The bill established 41 years ago, and there has been no thought of consolidation until Mr. Parkison began to take an interest in higher education. The only interest advanced by the other side is that they want no more money spent in the dim future they can put into wheels and move it into an agricultural college."

Consolidation Move Opposed. Mr. Fenton cited other states' experiments in higher education and showed that the sentiment has been almost uniformly against consolidation. The greatness of the Oregon Agricultural College and of the University of Oregon, he declared, depends upon their being kept separate. In every place where consolidation has been tried, he held, it has proved disastrous to the agricultural branches of education. "Although the legal profession may be somewhat in disrepute," he said pointedly, "by reason of the character men upon the board of regents of the university who have risen to comparatively good standing in that profession. It is estimated that if one pays taxes on \$1000, the appropriation for the State University will cost less than 18 cents. I am prepared to pay Mr. Parkison's taxes and the taxes of any one else who conscientiously feels that even in the interest of supporting Oregon State University he can't bear to part with that 18 cents."

Ad Club Suspends Rules. The already suspended motion of R. W. Raymond, suspended the prevailing rule of the club which forbids participation in political matters and voted unanimously in indorsement of the University. Just before the motion was put, Mr. Parkison arose and, securing the recognition of the chair, took his parting sarcastic shot. "I wish to second that motion," he said with bitter irony, "considering the fact that you have had so much deliberation on the matter, and I feel that you are all so very well informed upon it."

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SYMPHONY SALE IS HELD

First Concert to Be Sunday With Rehearsal for Schools Friday. Keen interest was manifested in the subscribers' seat sale for the Symphony Orchestra season held yesterday, many of the subscribers being represented by messenger boys who lined up at 6 A. M. ready to secure advantageous holdings for their customers. Among the season's boxholders will be Dr. C. A. J. Mackenzie, Mrs. W. B. Ayer, Miss Henrietta Pailing and Mr. and Mrs. M. Christensen. Today the orchestra and holders will purchase seats at the Hellig box office. The sale will open at 10 o'clock. On Friday morning the tickets will go on sale for a symphony concert which will take place Sunday at 3 o'clock.

School students are manifesting eagerness to hear the first of the series of the symphony which the Symphony will give at the Gipsy Smith auditorium Friday morning. Between 4000 and 5000 school children will be admitted, the plan being brought about through the cooperation of the City Commission and the orchestra, the latter presenting the same programme as given at the concert in the form of a final rehearsal at which Professor Goodrich will give a brief explanatory lecture, telling of the instruments making up a symphony orchestra and their relation to the whole and of the aims of the composers represented on the programme, the orchestra playing separate parts and themes to illustrate his points. The programme is one of unusual scope and the educational character of the talk will be along the broad lines of the educational mission in the community.

BUDGET TRIM NEARS END

Estimates Now Within \$70,000 of Desired Limit. At a meeting of the city budget committee today the final estimates of expenses of all city departments for 1914 will be completed preparatory to the completion of a complete report on the budget. At the meeting an attempt will be made to cut out \$70,000 more from the estimates as they stand to get the appropriations down to the level of 7.7 mills will suffice for 1914. Chief Deputy City Auditor Grutz is preparing a statement of the budget as revised by the committee. The budget system, which list will be made a part of the budget. When this work is finished it will be possible to determine just what the overhead expenses of the departments will be during the year. With this settled it is said the remainder of the budget-making will be completed today. At a meeting of the City Commission today it is expected the salary revision affecting all city employees will be passed finally in ordinance form.

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The women who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will tell you that it freed them from pain—helped them over painful periods in their life—and saved them many a day of anguish and misery. This tonic, in liquid form, was devised over 40 years ago for the womanly system, by R. V. Pierce, M. D., and has been sold ever since by dealers in medicine to the benefit of many thousand women.

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Rex Palmer, Portland's "September Morn" Babe, Who Never Wears Clothes Night or Day.

D. Wood, of Cottage Grove; Mrs. Gleason and daughter and E. H. Shepard, of Hood River.

MANY PURCHASE PRAISE

EMPLOYMENT RECOMMENDATIONS COST \$1 EACH.

Railroad Officials in California Are Debauded and Investigation Is Under Way.

A novel form of fraud has developed in California in a system of selling forged certificates of satisfactory former employment on railroads. So many cases have come to light where railroads have been deceived by forged papers, apparently signed by Pennsylvania railroad officers, that the company has undertaken an exhaustive investigation.

ALBERT M. KNAPP BURIED

Prominent Knight Templar Laid to Rest With Masonic Rites.

With the Masonic ritual funeral services were held over the body of Albert Moore Knapp, past grand commander of the Knights Templars of Oregon, in the Masonic Temple at 2 P. M. yesterday. Mr. Knapp died from carcinoma Sunday at his home, 323 East Seventh street. He was 61 years old. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Henrietta E. Knapp, and a son and daughter, B. K. and Luella M. Knapp, both living in this city.

GRANTS PASS TO GREET BOYS.

The annual conference will be held in this city commencing Friday and continuing until Sunday evening. These conferences are given and assisted by the Y. M. C. A. There will be between 75 and 100 delegates present to be entertained during the three days' session. A special banquet has been planned to be given by the business men. Subscriptions for the purpose have been solicited and success is insured.

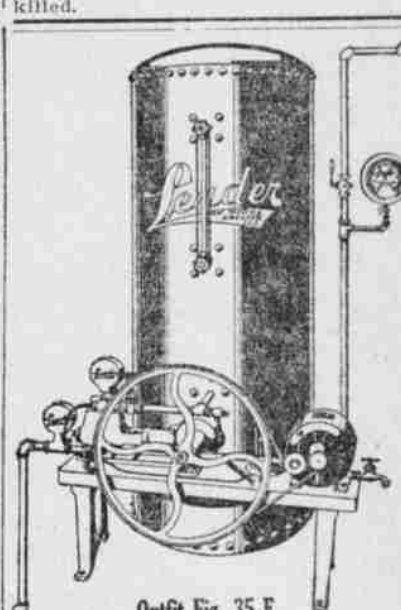
PERSONAL MENTION.

L. R. Stinson, of Salem, is at the Imperial. S. D. Smith, of Montesano, is at the Carlton. Mrs. Sylvia Sharp, of Boise, is at the Carlton. M. J. Gordon, of Tacoma, is at the Cornwell. H. M. Crooks, of Albany, is at the Cornwell. E. W. Patton, of Hillsdale, is at the Washington. E. B. Sherwin, of Spokane, is at the Multnomah. A. R. Reimick, of Kelso, is registered at the Imperial. G. B. Wilson, a merchant of Centralia, is at the Imperial. A. M. Bolter is registered at the Imperial from El Paso, Texas. Mrs. T. Forstrom, of Astoria, is registered at the Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, of Gearhart, are at the Oregon. J. M. Dugan, a building contractor, of Tacoma, is at the Oregon. Frank G. Taylor, an insurance man of Seattle, is at the Portland. H. B. Harding is registered at the Carlton from El Paso, Texas. J. G. Richardson, of Pendleton, is registered at the Washington. G. E. Charland and H. B. Seagor, of Salt Lake, are at the Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brookman, of Astoria, are at the Cornwell. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hewlett, of San Francisco, are at the Washington. Harry Varion and E. Ray, of London, British golf experts, and A. H. Findlay,



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Whinlock Loggers Killed. KELOSO, Wash., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Ed Krause, a hoodlumper at the Taylor logging camp of the Venness Mill Company, of Whinlock, was caught by shifting log Saturday morning and killed.



SUBURBAN HOME Water Supply

The outfit above is just the thing for the owner of a suburban home of medium size upon the lines of the electric company. The first cost is so low that it will appeal to you at once. The pressure becomes so high it is also extremely light. The system is entirely automatic, pumping when the pressure becomes low and cutting out when replenished. This outfit is on display in our store. Remember we have outfits of all sizes for all requirements, electric and gasoline.

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Well-Known Portland Lady Who Has Tried Plant Juice Tells What She Thinks of It.

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This is a practical power washer, does the work in five slides without damage to material. Operates on the power from any electric lamp socket and is absolutely safe in the hands of any woman, no matter how timid. Will pay for itself in less than one year. Now on display in our salesroom. Come over and see it.