Society News

By Gertrude P. Corbett

COMING as a genuine surprise was the engagement of Miss Eleanor Menefee and Linwood B. Cornell, which was announced at a card party at the home of the bride-elect yesterday. Place cards, which were tiny envelopes held twin hearts bearing the names of Miss Menefee and her fiance. It was a military whist, and was a charming affair, after the buzz of the excitement subsided. Guests were asked for eight tables of the game, and the rooms were adorned artistically with clusters of yellow chrysanthemums and Autumn foliage, augmented by strings of red hearts and the many handsome floral gifts sent to the bride-elect. Mrs. Menefee received with her daughter, and wore a handsome gown of coral-colored charmeuse embellished with lace, and a silver-beaded tunic. Miss Menefee was charming in a pink broadcloth gown with overdrape of filmy lace. She also wore a corsage bouquet of violets. A feature of the afternoon was the group of songs sung by Mrs. Edward Reed. Miss Ada Otten assisted the hostess.

Miss Menefee is a charming and popular belle, and is a graduate of Lincoln High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Menefee, and is connected with a number of Portland families.

Mr. Cornell is also popular in the younger set, and is a former resident of Massachusetts. He was a student of Columbia University, of New York.

The young people will be considerably feted at prenuptial affairs. The wedding day will be some time in January.

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Another surprise of yesterday was the announcement of the engagement of Mr. Cornell's chum—Estes Snedecor, an attorney of this city, to Miss Julia Dearing Searcy, of Tuscaloosa, Ala. The announcement is made by the bride-elect's father, Dr. James T. Searcy, a prominent physician of Alabama. Mr. Snedecor is also of an old Southern family, and the engagement comes from a romance begun in college days. Mr. Snedecor attended the University of Alabama, later graduating from the Michigan University law school. He has been in this city about five years, is a prominent member of the Rotary Club and recently distinguished himself by climbing Mount Hood.

The bride-elect is a relative of the Preston W. Smiths, of this city, and is a charming girl, also attending the University of Alabama. The wedding will be an event of the latter part of December, and the charming Southern belle will be a welcome acquisition to local society.

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Mrs. O. M. Clarke was elected president of the patronesses of the Manufacturers' and Land Products Show at a meeting at the Multnomah Hotel yesterday. Mrs. W. T. Foster is vice-president.

This is the organization of Portland society women which will participate in the opening night ceremonies at the land show, October 26, and also have charge of society night, November 10, when one of the features of the programme will be the Portland Oratorio Society.

The patronesses will act as reception committees for the various events. Mrs. W. D. Scott was selected as chairman of the committee on society night. Mrs. W. F. Turner was made chairman of the committee in charge of the canning demonstration at the exposition, in which clubs of young women will compete.

Mrs. C. C. Chapman is chairman of the committee to assist with the old-fashioned baby show at the Armory October 31. Mrs. O. M. Clarke, president of the patronesses, will be chairman of the committee to receive guests opening night. Mrs. E. T. Hughes, woman commissioner of the land show, is secretary of the organization.

At the next meeting of the patronesses at the Multnomah Hotel, Friday, badges will be distributed and final details completed for the part the patronesses will take in the exposition.

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The Catholic Women's League benefit to be held Monday evening, October 26, at the Baker Theater, is arousing considerable interest in social circles. The league has bought out the house for that evening and many prominent matrons will act as patronesses. There will be several box parties, and delicious homemade candy will be sold by a number of prominent matrons, assisted by a bevy of the younger belles. Tickets can be secured from Frank O'Neil's grocery, 581 Hood street; King & Company, Alder street, and Wascher Bros., Fifteenth and Broadway.

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The marriage of Miss Minnie Wetzel and Mr. M. Schenck, two popular young people of Lebanon, Or., will take place Sunday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. W. A. Wetzel, in Lebanon. After a brief honeymoon they will be at home to their friends in their new cottage on West Grant street, Lebanon.

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A dinner will be served tomorrow by the women of St. Lawrence Parish, Third and Sherman streets, from 12 o'clock noon to 4 P. M., for the benefit of the church. The executive officers of the committee arranging the dinner are: Mrs. James Hyland, chairman; Miss Daisy Fleming, treasurer; Mrs. W. P. Lillis, secretary.

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W. L. Everett Knowles, president of the Mutual Art Association, will give a free exhibition of his original paintings, including "Christ, the Light of the World," "Priscilla, the Puritan Maiden" and "Young America on His Way," as well as a collection of landscapes, etc., in oils and water colors. The exhibition will be afternoons and evenings on October 20 to 26, at Tilford building.

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The "Homemakers'" department of the Rose City Park Club will meet Thursday, October 29, at 10 o'clock to hear a discussion on "The Thanksgiving Dinner," by Miss Bertha E. Jennings, head of department of home administration of the Pacific University. All members of the club are urged to attend.

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The next regular auction bridge and 500 party given by the woman's department of the Rose City Park Club will be Monday at 2:30 P. M. The hostesses are: Mrs. A. Laidlaw, Mrs. C. H. Leadbetter, Mrs. W. A. Lovette, Mrs. J. N. McDonald and Mrs. F. A. Perry.

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One of the pleasant affairs of the week was a five hundred party given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Harry Greene Knott, complimenting Mrs. E. Richmond Sutton, of Astoria. The honors were won by Mrs. F. W. Bay, Mrs. J. Penny and Mrs. Paul Sievers. Additional guests were Mrs. Eliza Nathan Howe, Mrs. F. W. Bay, Mrs. S. D. Penney, Mrs. A. G. Rushlight, Mrs. J. Penny, Mrs. A. R. Smith, Mrs. F. L. Benedict, Mrs. Paul Sievers, Mrs. Robert Craddock, Mrs. Maud Estes, Mrs. Bosselmann and Mrs. Mercer.

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Mademoiselle Marie Louise Alexandre, who has come to Portland recently to make her home, is a charming and interesting Parisienne. She is domiciled at the Hotel Portland, and undoubtedly will become popular in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harlin W. Curtis, who have been residing at the Mallory Hotel, left recently for Dillon, Mont., where Mr. Curtis will locate in business.

CHARMING PARISIENNE WHO HAS COME TO PORTLAND TO LIVE AFTER TOURING UNITED STATES.

Parent Teacher Associations

THE Parent-Teacher Association of the Buckman School adopted a resolution at the meeting Thursday afternoon in opposition to the proposed dental bill that will be voted on in November. It was the unanimous sentiment of the meeting, composed mainly of mothers, that this measure would be a menace and dangerous to the state, and should be defeated at the polls.

This action was taken after the address by Dr. W. Claude Adams on "Relations of the Teeth to Health," who, in connection in his talk, explained this dental bill, showing what its requirements are as compared with the requirements of the present dental laws in this state. Dr. Adams said that should the new dental law be passed it would open the bars to all incompetents in the United States to come to Oregon, file their licenses or certificates and practice without any examination.

In connection with the address, a toothbrush drill was held in the basement by the school children to illustrate the new department that has been started in the Buckman School. Professor Van Tine, principal, said that six grades of the Buckman School daily go through the toothbrush drill. Mrs. P. G. Nealand urged the women present to make a careful study of all the measures on the ballot so they can vote intelligently on them in November.

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Mrs. W. A. Laidlaw, who has served ably as head of the social service department of the Portland Parent-Teacher Association, will leave soon for San Diego, and Mrs. C. W. Hayhurst will head the work. A special meeting of all the workers will be held on next Thursday in room G, Central Library. Mrs. C. R. Hellyer is secretary and Mrs. A. Bonham, treasurer.

Women's Clubs

By Edith Knight Holmes.

MRS. SARAH A. EVANS, who returned on Thursday from Eugene, where she presided over the state convention of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, of which she is president, said, in speaking of the gathering:

"We had a splendid convention. Much was accomplished and the fine feeling of good fellowship and co-operation and the federation spirit reigned throughout."

When told of the school of domestic science that would be conducted under the auspices of Mrs. Vaughn in the old Heilig Theater next week, Mrs. Evans said: "I think that lectures on domestic science and demonstrations of cooking are vitally important. Any opportunity offered housewives to improve their ability in these lines should receive the hearty co-operation of the clubwomen. In my annual report at the state convention I strongly advocated vocational training, and the keeping of the home is a great vocation."

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The Council of Women Voters will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Library. The measures to be voted on at the approaching election will be explained. All women voters are invited.

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The Mount Scott Woman's Christian Temperance Union has elected the following vice-presidents and department superintendents: From Methodist Church, Mrs. Inez Richardson; Evangelical, Mrs. Eva Scheuerman; Baptist, Mrs. D. McKinley; Friends, Mrs. Maggie Carr, and Seventh Day Adventists, Miss Bertha Camp. Superintendents, Evangelistic, Mrs. Esther Fankhauser; literature, Mrs. D. McKinley; systematic giving, Mrs. Sarah Fankhauser; temperance work in Sunday schools, Mrs. J. W. Wilkins; out-of-town mothers' meetings, Mrs. Lillian Clark; Louts mothers' meetings, Mrs. Christina Sommerfeld; health, heredity and medical temperance, Mrs. Inez Richardson; labor and parliamentary usage, Mrs. L. H. Additon; press and medal contests, Miss Edith Train; work among sailors and soldiers, Miss Minnie Chapman; anti-narcotics, Mrs. C. Drake; flower mission, Mrs. Ella Fankhauser; social and red letter day, Mrs. T. Walsh; political science, Mrs. L. H. Additon; purity work, Mrs. Christina Sommerfeld.

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A women's reading club is being formed to meet at the Sellwood Branch Library. The first meeting will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All women interested are invited to attend. All those interested in a drama reading circle are requested to leave their names with the librarian.

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"Romeo and Juliet" will be presented in January by the dramatic department of the Portland Shakespeare Study Club. Mrs. Herbert Garr Reed, who has appeared with great success in several amateur theatricals, will play the part of Romeo. Miss Aileen Brong will be Juliet. The other characters are cast appropriately.

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Miss Grace Lindley, of New York, secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Missions of the Episcopal Church, will arrive in Portland tomorrow morning. During her visit here Miss Lindley will be the guest of Mrs. W. J. Burns. Beginning at 9:45 o'clock tomorrow morning Miss Lindley will lecture to the Sunday-school children of St. David's Church, at 2:30 in the afternoon she will address the junior auxiliary of St. Stephen's Church; Monday at 1 o'clock she will address the study classes of Trinity Parish, and at 3 o'clock Miss Lindley will speak to the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity. A reception of an informal nature will follow. Miss Lindley will leave Monday evening to visit other Coast cities.

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Central W. C. T. U. met on Wednesday afternoon in the headquarters in the Dekum building. Mrs. Hattie Wilson presided. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, when interesting talks and reports will be heard. All women are welcome.

Talks on Domestic Science

By Lilian Tingle.

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—Will you kindly give in The Daily Oregonian recipes for fudge that is smooth and fine-grained, and for "nougat" or "divinity," also any other candy you think suitable for a candy sale? Thanking you. E. G.

CARE in cooking syrup to the proper temperature and skill in recognizing the temperature by "tests," if you have no thermometer, are both very important in candy-making. Anyone who is planning to make a large quantity of candy for a sale and is not in good practice with sugar boiling or not sure of the tests should beg or borrow a thermometer, or get some skilled friend to show "just how" the proper degrees may be recognized by dropping the syrup into cold water.

Fudge—Two cups granulated sugar, ¼ cup glucose or corn syrup, 1½ cups cream, 1 teaspoon vanilla, ½ cup cut-up nuts or candied or dried fruits, or a mixture of nuts and fruit. Stir the cream, sugar and glucose until dissolved; boil to the "soft ball" degree, or 236 degrees Fahrenheit, stirring gently occasionally to prevent the cream from scorching. Let the syrup stand until quite cool, then add the nuts or fruit and the vanilla and beat well until it thickens and grains very slightly. Then turn into a bread pan or baking pan lined with paraffine paper. When set, turn out, take off the paper and cut neatly into squares or "fingers." If chocolate fudge is wanted, add two "squares," or ounces, (or less if preferred) unsweetened chocolate just before the pan is taken from the fire. A pinch of powdered cinnamon or alspice and a few grains of salt tend to "develop" the flavor of the chocolate.

Fudge in which a little glucose is used is generally softer and finer grained than that made from sugar only; but it requires a little longer beating before it thickens.

Divinity—One and one-half cups granulated or light brown sugar, ½ cup glucose or corn syrup, ½ cup water, 1 egg white, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 cup chopped or broken nut meats. Stir the sugar, glucose and water until dissolved, then boil without stirring to the "medium soft ball" (236 to 240 degrees), then pour half the syrup in a fine stream on the stiff-beaten egg whites, beating constantly. Cook the rest of the syrup to the "crack" (290 degrees), being careful not to caramelize it, and pour it upon the egg mixture, beating well. Beat in the nuts and vanilla. Pour into a bread pan lined with parafine paper. When nearly cold turn out of the tin, cut in "fingers" and wrap in thin parafine paper. This sometimes improves in texture by being allowed to stand 24 hours before cutting. Candied fruit or a mixture of nuts and fruits may be used for variety and the mixture varied as to color and flavoring.

Different varieties of fudge and nougat are usually most popular at a candy sale. Both make good "centers" for dipping in chocolate. Both also may be "dropped" in "drops" or "biscuits" instead of being cut in squares, but the drops dry out quicker as a rule.

Snapshots

By Barbara Boyd

Are We Kindred to Snails?

THE Biological Lady was discoursing on the ways of snails. "They carry their houses on their back," she said to her Housekeeper Friend.

"Snails are not the only ones who do that," laughed the other.

"No," said the Biological Lady, peering into a little pool of water. "Hermit crabs will get into snail shells and scurry away with them. And if two or three crabs happen to want the same shell they'll have a pitched battle over it."

"Wonderfully like humans," observed the Housekeeper Friend.

"Eh?" said the Biological Lady.

"You don't need to study snails and crabs to find those traits," commented the Housekeeper Friend. "I know plenty of women who carry their houses on their backs."

The Biological Lady looked at her as if she thought her Housekeeper Friend was losing her mind.

"Lots of women go around bowed under the care of their house. I don't know whether snails are bowed or not. Perhaps they take their house-carrying proposition more lightly. But some women, all the while they are at a club meeting or at church or a matinee are wondering if the cook has burnt the roast, or if she will make the pudding right, or if the children have left all the doors open or are tracking mud in, or making soap bubbles on the parlor carpet. Or if they go away for a Summer vacation they keep worrying for fear burglars will break in, or the house burn down, or the man they hired to water the flowers forget to do it, and so on. Their house is right on their back all the time."

The Biological Lady laughed. "I don't believe snails trouble themselves that way. Their house is simply right handy to curl up in whenever they want to. And the rest of the time I do not believe they think about it."

"That would be the way to accept it," responded the Housekeeper Friend. "Then our homes would be what they are intended to be—a joy and service. But a lot of us make them only a burden, or we are conscious of them only as a burden."

"I guess the snails can teach us something beside structure and habits," reflected the Biological Lady.

"I think they can. And the hermit crabs, too. The way they fight over a shell is really funny. Only it doesn't seem funny but terribly serious when we do it."

"But we don't fight over snail shells," objected the Biological Lady. "There are too many of them all about."

"Yes, we fight over snail shells," replied the Housekeeper Friend, "notwithstanding the fact there are lots of them about. That's the funny and pathetic side of it. We all struggle to live in a certain place in a certain way, notwithstanding the fact there are plenty of beautiful places in the world to live in and any number of ways to live happily. We all fight for some certain position in society. Yet there is a place for everyone where he can enjoy himself and serve others. I really think we fight a great deal more than do the hermit crabs. We all get our minds centered on the one little shell we want, and then we all go for it, and never see the equally good shells lying all about—more than sufficient for us all."

"Nature is certainly interesting," commented the Biological Lady.

"Especially human nature," agreed the Housekeeper Friend. "I think it is more interesting than biology, and the study of it of far more service."

The Biological Lady would not agree to this.

"And if we could once find the laws governing it and the principle back of it," reflected the Housekeeper Friend, "we would have something definite to go on in all our relations with each other."

"But you can't," said the Biological Lady. "That's the reason I prefer to study snails."

"I'll take human nature," laughed the other. "The very uncertainty lends an element of excitement. The very woman who is most bowed down today under the load of her house may toss the whole thing off tomorrow and have nothing more to do with it. You can't imagine a snail doing that."

"Heaven forbid!" said the Biological Lady with horror.

PERSONAL MENTION.

O. V. Allen, of Boise, is at the Oregon.

H. F. Swartz, of New York, is at the Seward.

E. B. Jones, of Coos Bay, is at the Carlton.

C. G. LeMasters, of Amity, is at the Perkins.

A. J. Gerrard, of Seattle, is at the Multnomah.

Robert E. Smith, of Roseburg, is at the Seward.

M. S. Jackson, Seattle attorney, is at the Benson.

W. J. Jamison, of Silver Lake, is at the Perkins.

L. G. Fernsworth, of Banks, is at the Perkins.

A. C. Little, of Raymond, Wash., is at the Imperial.

C. H. Williamson, of Ashland, is at the Cornelius.

James Kyle, Mayor of Stanfield, is at the Imperial.

O. S. Sprague, a Chehalis hotel man, is at the Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Lawson, of Salem, are at the Seward.

E. R. and J. E. Reed, of Ashland, are at the Washington.

A. W. Reed, of South Bend, Wash., is at the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. Carle Abrams, of Salem, are at the Benson.

W. E. Phelan, of Miles City, is registered at the Carlton.

M. P. Boxart and family, of Wendling, are at the Washington.

W. C. Stripp registered at the Oregon from Seattle yesterday.

O. Jorgen Olson, of Yacolt, Wash., is registered at the Seward.

Thomas Durgnan is registered at the Washington from Seattle.

C. L. Ireland, editor of the Moro Observer, is at the Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Murphy, of Ashland, are at the Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carvill, of Minneapolis, are at the Oregon.

The University of Oregon football squad is at the Multnomah.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pendleton, of Roseburg, are at the Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walker, of La Grande, are at the Cornelius.

Judah Boas and Walter Lilienthal, of San Francisco, registered at the Multnomah yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Finch, of San Francisco, are at the Multnomah.

Mrs. J. M. and Miss Ruth Stevenson, of Stevenson, are at the Cornelius.

Mrs. Mark Thomas and Miss Thomas, of White Salmon, are at the Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marks, of Canyon City, are registered at the Imperial.

T. L. Melundy, of the United States Navy, is registered at the Perkins.

F. E. Carroll is registered at the Carlton from Shipherd's Springs, Wash.

Misses Adelen Person and J. Johnson are registered at the Carlton from Glacier National Park.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—(Special.)—D. L. Webster and W. H. Jones, of Portland, registered at the Great Northern Hotel today.

VOLLEY BALL TEAMS FORM

Y. M. C. A. Organizes Business Men for Tournament of Five Weeks.

The business men's volley ball league, recently organized at the Y. M. C. A., will begin its schedule next Monday. Games will be played on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for a period of about five weeks.

Each team will play each other team twice. Each team will score five points for attendance at games, and ten points for a victory. No prizes will be awarded. The league is under the direction of Harry T. Smith, assistant physical director.

The following is the personnel of the four teams now organized:

First team—A. J. Bale, captain; W. H. Lewis, O. M. Smith, W. I. Kalter, R. P. Stanley, A. M. Crocker and R. C. Wright. Second team—J. D. Kenworthy, captain; H. C. Krum, H. J. Cress, M. G. Russi, C. C. Lilly, M. G. McCorkle and Mr. Thompson. Third team—R. R. Brooke, captain; E. H. O'Mara, J. D. Dartoff, F. S. Shull, Robert Tegan, E. F. Dunlap and W. H. Giles. Fourth team—Frank Kerr, captain; E. H. Schultz, Joe Evans, S. C. Lapham, C. W. Whittlesey, L. S. Martin and F. R. Cook.

EXAMINATION BOARD PLAN

Mr. Dieck Would Relieve Pressure of Naming City Officials.

That the civil service board may be enabled to catch up with its work of holding examinations to secure eligibles for positions in the city service now filled by temporary appointees, City Commissioner Dieck has suggested that a board of examiners be selected to conduct the examinations. At present one man, the secretary to the board, handles all the work in addition to his other duties and it has been found an impossibility to keep up with the examination work.

There are now about 30 examinations listed ahead, with no hope of all being held within, possibly, a year. This means that during that time temporary appointees will hold the positions pending the outcome of the examination. This system, it is said, caused much trouble because a temporary appointee just reaches the point where he knows the work when the examination is held. He may not pass and a newly-appointed man must learn the work.

YOUNG ROBBERS CONFESS

Prisoners Say They Obtained $5 Cents From Two Women.

Harry E. Hunt, aged 18, and Avery Brush, alias John Walters, aged 17, arrested by Patrolman Perry Thursday night at Grand avenue and Harrison streets, confessed yesterday morning to plans of wholesale highway robbery. In the possession of the youths were a revolver, strands of wire and a towel, with which victims were to be gagged.

Both admitted to holding up two women and a man, but said that they had been unsuccessful, in that the accosted persons had all fled. They are suspected of attacking and robbing Mary Dunn, of 860 Brooklyn street, and Mrs. Grace Coates, of the Damascus Creamery, at Gladstone and Twenty-sixth streets, last Tuesday night. Only 85 cents was obtained from the two women.

Hunt may face a felony charge, but Brush probably will be taken to the Juvenile Court.

BURGLARIES LAID TO TRIO

Men Arrested at Salem Believed Looters of Many Safes.

Arrested at Salem Thursday night by Sheriff Word, Deputy Otto Kulper and Special Agents P. E. Kelly and B. McShane, of the Southern Pacific Company, Walter Brennen, John O'Neil and James Taylor were brought to the County Jail yesterday, where they are held as suspects in connection with 19 safe robberies that have occurred in the Willamette Valley during recent months.

The robbery of the Aaron Fox safe in a Troutdale store last Summer, a number of similar jobs between Portland and Albany on the Southern Pacific and the recent dynamiting of a saloon safe at Oswego are all laid to the trio just arrested.

With the three when arrested was John Adams, a paroled convict. He was serving a term for burglary in Lane County when released and was returned to the Penitentiary yesterday.

MEN'S CLASS HEARS TALKS

Presbyterian Current Events Club Holds Open Meetings.

Interest is being taken in the lectures which are delivered every Sunday at 12:15 in the main auditorium of the first class. These talks are open to the public, and it is the aim of the committee in charge to have topics of general interest discussed.

James B. Kerr spoke on "The Moral Values in Certain Measures to Be Voted Upon at the November Election" on October 4.

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise spoke on "The Relation of the Jew to the Present Conflict in Europe" last Sunday.

Professor Hodge, of the University of Oregon, will give an illustrated lecture on "Alcohol and Dogs" Sunday, showing the result of experimentations made over a term of years at Harvard University of the effect of alcohol on dogs.

The following Sunday it is expected that an ex-saloonkeeper and two other well-posted authorities will speak on "The Liquor Business From the Viewpoint of the Man on the Inside."

JOINT RULE IS FAVORED

Six of City-County Government Committee Give Views.

The committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to consider the feasibility of consolidation of city and county government within the limits of Multnomah County and to draw up recommendations as to the form of such government and methods in which it is to be brought about, completed and adopted its final report at a meeting yesterday. Six members of the committee favor a recommendation for consolidation. The other two have not yet had an opportunity to look over the report in its final form, but it is understood that their votes will also be affirmative.

The committee was to have presented this report Wednesday but postponed it and will submit it to the Chamber next Wednesday. The committee consists of: W. J. Clemens, J. D. Abbott, Jay Bowerman, A. L. Barbur, W. M. Cook, Roger Sinnott, C. H. Jackson and George Stapleton.

IDEALISM TO BE TOPIC

Dr. C. H. Chapman to Talk at Y. M. C. A. Monday in Auditorium.

The second lecture of the series on "Modern Literature" to be given in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium by Dr. C. H. Chapman will be held next Monday at 8 P. M. The lecture is open to both men and women. The topic will be C. B. Smith's "Social Idealism."

"This lecture will be an analysis and criticism of Mr. Smith's book," said R. C. French, educational work secretary of the Y. M. C. A., yesterday. "Dr. Chapman will trace the evolution of the social gospel, and the influence of the church in widening the conception of social service. The lecture is intended not only as a book analysis, but will endeavor to show the meaning of idealism, as expressed by our best modern literature."

CITY'S EX-EMPLOYE JAILED

Man Discharged for Thefts Found With Stolen Bicycle.

H. C. Allen, former elevator man at police headquarters, who was dismissed recently for petty thefts, was sentenced to 100 days in jail by Municipal Judge Stevenson yesterday morning upon conviction of stealing a bicycle. The bicycle was identified as the property of J. R. Durst, a druggist at East Twenty-fourth and Alberta streets. Allen declared that he found the wheel, but admitted that he made no effort to notify the police of the find.

Allen recently was caught in a petty theft at headquarters and dismissed. New revolvers and police clubs were among the things he was supposed to have stolen.

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BAD OPERATION AVOIDED

By Timely Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Sowers' Own Statement.

Hodgdon, Maine.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your medicine."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Maine.

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.