# Gertrude P. Corbett

ciety's interest this week, events tumbling over each other mornings, afternoons and evenings. Yesterday the Alpha Delta Alumnae were honored at luncheon at Hazelwood. Later in the afternoon Miss Agnes Brace was hostess for the sorority at

This afternoon Miss Helen Werlein will be hostess for the Delta Gammas at a formal card party. The rooms of the Werlein residence will be decked with palme, poinsettias and Christmas green

One of the prettiest bridge teas was that given Tuesday afternoon by Miss Margaret Raeder at the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Warner, in Irvington, guests being asked for four tables of



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and guests may be invited. The secretary will demand that all guests unmask at the door for identification. At \$120 o'clock the grand march will form and during the march the costumes will be judged. Yesterday afternown the women of the club gave a children's party, in which games and music formed the chief diversion.

The United Artisans of the city will celebrate New Year's eve at the Masonic Temple. A special programme of music and readings has been arranged by Supreme Master Artisan H. S. Hudson as follows: Miss Margery Maxwell, son as follows: or much, and the rest of the time grumbling gruffly about exceptible by Hollister and Parsons. The Artisans' orchestra will furnish the music for dancing. L. B. Reeder will act as chairman of the evening.

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By Edith Hinight Holmes:

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fast features will be general expression is a good wish for the year that so soon will be here. Beginning on Monday, however, the women's organizations once more will take up their activities. The Portland Women's Union will open the week with a board meeting on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This has been a year of much although the new building is not yet under way, substantial progress has been made and the organization has been a power for helpfulness.

The Council of Jewish Women will meet on Wednesday, January 6, when an attractive programme will be given. An artistic treat in store for the members is the reading of "The Witching Hour," which will be presented by Misso and special features will be followed by the social hour at which the hospitality.

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Mrs. A announced dinner. Mr. A. Said, "Cou me by the arm and took me by the arm and escorted me to the dining town and seemed to try to be pleasant in every way. Mrs. A. said, "You were so late in getting home that every to tag another of the guests. As a new one is tagged, he joins hands with those on its tagged, he joins hands with those on its tagged, he joins hands with those on its tagged, he joins hands with those of late arm and escorted me to the dining to a meet in the corm and seemed to try to be pleasant in every way. Mrs. A. said, "You were so late in getting home that every thing is cold and not fit to eat." Although the new laws cold as an leeberg, Mrs. A. tried to pass it off by saying pleasant things and trying to keep Mrs. A. from scolding so, but it was of no use. They have a pleasant and beautiful to eat." Although the new laws cold as an leeberg, Mrs. A. tried to pass it off by saying pleasant things and trying to keep Mrs. A. from scolding so, but it was of no use. They have a pleasant and beautiful to eat. Although the new later and trying to keep Mrs. A. spelling or pronunciation bee is altituded to the testing of the very best, and I thought if a woman cannot be happy

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side and march about the room while the plane plays. The moment the music ceases, they are to hunt for hidden nuts; the instant the music starts up again they must stop hunting and march. The couple finding the most nuts will be given a prize. Of course, any nuts can be used, or anything else for that matter; but my friend is going to hide chestnuts and then later on in the evening have the guests roast them in a corn popper over the open grate fire.

ALL ASKED TO UNITE

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WEDNESDAY MEETING DAY

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For a sit-down diversion she has a game called "The Bells of the New Year." For this she has provided cards and pencils, the cards having attached to them little gilt bells. She asks a series of conundrums, the answers to which either begin or end with the syllable "bel." For instance, she will ask, "Name a noisy bell," the answer being "bellow." Give a war-like bell." The reply is "belligerent." One can think of plenty of such questions, taking into consideration names of citles and people and flowers which begin or end with bel or bell.

Another amusement that promises Action Taken on Suggestion of President of Rotary Club and Head of Admen-W. W. Cotton Urges One Aim for Whole State.

end with bel or bell.

Another amusement that promises lots of fun is the carrying of Christmas packages around the room on a teaspoon. She has taken little favors and wrapped them until the bundle is quite large, the outer wrapping being bright holly paper. Each guest is to carry one of these packages the length of the room on a teaspoon. If he succeeds the package is his.

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She has planned several other pleasant ways to help pass the evening, and her programme certainly promises a delightful affair. Refreshments will be served sufficiently early to be well over by the time the New Year draws. At each place will be a little tin horn, and the New Year will be welcomed in by a chorus from these horns, the usual greetings and the chatter that follows an evening when one has thoroughly enjoyed himself.

The city so that their work will be more effective during 1915—to turn over a new leaf and resolve to work together as a unit—is the avowed object of a general gathering of the various clubs next Wednesday noon in the main dining-room of the Commercial Club.

The meeting was called at the suggestion of President J. C. English, of the Rotary Club, and President Charles F. Berg, of the Ad Club. Representatives of the Chamber of Commercial Club. Commercial Club. Rotary Club, Ad Club, Progressive Business Men's Association, East Side Business Men's Club and the Realty Board will assemble. the city so that their work will be more

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Complaints Out Against Commission Men Without State Licenses.

Furthering the plan to put the 1913 law regulating commission merchants to a definite test, complaints were issued yesterday against the Pearson Page Company and McEwen and Kosky for operating as commission merchants without having procured state licenses.

Last week, B. H. Levy and J. J. Cole were arrested on this charge, and the prosecution of the four firms has been placed in the hands of Deputy District Attorney Mowry. Levy and Cole plan to take their cases to the Surgeon P. Mulder, tenor; Dom J. Zan and Andrew B. Caughey, baritod will be backled by the other comp.

to take their cases to the Supreme Court, and their defense, it is under-stood, will be backed by the other commission men. Demurrers to the com-plaints, declaring the law unconstitu-tional, have been filed.

"SWAP" ENDS IN COURT Two Days in Jail and Trade Back Is spised" was marked by true contralto cific train on his way to his native healthy, active and vigorous and you tonal quality. Mr. Mulder has gained state, while E. C. Ericson, a scaler, will have no more trouble with individue now is that of a clear, sparkling with the companies him as far as Minneapolis, gestion, backache, headache and convoice now is that of a clear, sparkling tenor and shows beauty of tonal production. Mr. Zan sang with impressive interpretation, winning credit especially in singing "The Trumpet Shall Sound." Mr. Caughey also sang with ability.

As for the finely drilled chorus it Moore his liberty for two days and resulted in District Judge Jones yesterday ordering him to trade back with T. V. Matson, who had signed a com-

T. V. Matson, who had signed a complaint charging Moore with larceny.

Matson said his chain was a gold one worth \$40. He agreed to trade with Moore, and said Moore declared his chain also to be gold. Then he discovered it was brass and he had Moore arrested. This was Monday, and Moore has been in jail since then.

"We used to trade marbles and tops at school," remarked Judge Jones, "and the fellow who 'hollered' about a swap was regarded as nearly as bad as

swap was regarded as nearly as bad as the fellow who cheated." MARKET TO HAVE SURPLUS Enterprise Able to Pay Expenses,

LICENSE TRANSFER GIVEN Council Straightens Tangle From Meet Cost of Steel Sheds.

To straighten out a tangle, resulting from the refusal of the City Council to grant a liquor license renewal for a saloon conducted by Viviano & Rosselini at 30 North Sixth street, the Council yesterday permitted a transfer of a license from R. B. Urfer, at 89 Grand avenue to the North Sixth address. The Council refused a renewal of license to the Viviano & Rosselini concern because the license held was in the name of the actual owners.

The license under which Viviano & Rosselini have operated for several months past was sold them by Otto Klein and was never duly transferred.

That Portland's public market on Yamhili street not only will be able to contribute liberal to the Winter and the receipt have belt to contribute liberal to the fund to reimburse the city. For the cost of erecting steel umbrella sioner Bigelow, based upon business done in the market during December. It is shown that so far in December the receipts have been about \$300, while the expenses have been only \$165, leaving a surplus of about \$135.

It is expected that every month during the Winter will show a surplus. The steel sheds cost the city \$3430. There is a surplus in the market fund of \$1000. That Portland's public market on

THOMAS KAY SEEKS JOB PUPILS TO BE "AT HOME"

Penalty for Watch Chain Deal.

"Swapping" watch chains cost Claire

Refusal of Renewal to Saloon.

Ex-Policeman and ex-Detective Asks Rose City Park Sunday School to Entertain in New Church. Reappointment to Force. The Rose City Park Methodist Sun-

Thomas Kay, ex-policeman and ex-detective sergeant, wants to get back on the police force. He filed applica-tion yesterday with the Municipal Civil eighth street North and Alamada on

Service Board for reinstatement on the eligible list for patrolmen.

Mr. Kay received his first appointment in the police department May 8, 1993.

During his six months' probation period following reappointment in 1912 be served as a detective sergeant assigned plain-clothes work with the "moral squad," but was discharged under the Rushlight administration.

lighth street North and Alamada on Friday, January 1.

The different departments will entertain. The Beginners are on the programme at 2 o'clock, the primary pupils at 3, the Juniors at 4 and the Intermediate girls at 5. All others come at 8 o'clock at night, when there will be parties, one for the young people and one for adults. Refreshments will be played.

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REASSESSMENT ORDERED FOR TANNER CREEK SEWER.

Old Plan Goes to Discard on Advice of Legal Bureau-Opinion Defines Who Should Bear Cost.

sessments on sewer projects on the basis of actual benefits to each piece of property, instead of on the basis of land area, the city's legal bureau yesterday advised the Council to discard the assessment plan as worked out for the Canyon road extension of the Tanner Creek trunk sewer and the sever and the se the Canyon road extension of the Tan-ner Creek trunk sewer and arrange a new assessment system. The reassess-

property outside the city. At the time the sewer was built it was 'thought that the Mount Zion district was a part of the city. Since then the State Su-preme Court has nullified the vote by which this district became a part. Property owners contended that the sewer was made larger and more expensive to drain Mount Zion.

Mr. Latourette rules that if the sewer was made larger than was actually

sopranos; Mrs. Lulu Dahl Miller, contralto; Joseph P. Mulder, tenor; Dom J. Zan and Andrew B. Caughey, baritones. Edgar E. Coursen was pipe organist and he played with skill and traditional interpretation.

Mrs. Albert and Mrs. Pullin sang with clear, brilliant tone. "For I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" was splendidly sung with fine appreciation of spirituality. Mrs. Miller was in excellent voice, and her singing of "He Was Despised" was marked by true contralto. United States Forest Service, in the Beck building, are quite descried these days, as three of the chief figures of the service here have left for the East good blood on the skin means that

relatives and boyhood friends. A. E. appear. Then you must remember that Cohoon, Supervisor, who is a North Carolinan, is aboard a Northern Pa-

All are on indefinite leave, but are expected to be back at their posts before the end of January.

FORESTRY EXPERT COMING Chief Engineer Merrill to Direct Road Work in Reserves.

O. C. Merrill, chief engineer of the United States Forest Service, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., is scheduled to arrive in Portland early wrapping and malling only.—Adv.

next week. Next year's work of road-building within Oregon's National forests and reserves will be under Mr.
Merrill's personal direction.
Mr. Merrill, accompanied by district
officials, plans an extensive tour
through the state to inspect the work
done during the past year and to direct highway building planned for
1915. It is understood that the Government expects to devote more than

ernment expects to devote more than usual attention to the construction and maintenance of rosds running through its Pacific Coast reserves during the Ruling that the City Auditor is re-uired under the charter to fix as-

ST. JOHNS, Or., Dec. 30.—(Special.)
—Mayor Vincent declared today that
the price for the five acres in the
Gatton tract, held at \$1600 an acre, ment was ordered.

In a lengthy opinion by Chief Deputy
City Attorney Latourette, it is held that
the area of land owned by an individual
assessed for the cost of a sewer project
must not be the basis of fixing the assessments. The basis must be the ac-Sessments. The basis must be the actual benefit of the sewer.

In the opinion, Mr. Latourette passes upon the question of the property owners bearing the cost of a part of the sewer constructed for the benefit of the purchase.

Council so regarded the price, but St. Johns had been without a cemetery and it seemed the best offer made. Mayor Vincent said he did not know that any effort would be made to call off the purchase.

THE YELLOW PERIL

Japanese Warnings.

The Japanese early sought for the ruth, and their earliest knowledge was the principle that their strength

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