PORTLAND CLUBWOMEN WHO ARE POPULAR IN LITERARY



MissVessie Hommond

Women's Social Service Club, of Oak Grove, is one of the live organizations of the state that has accomplished a vast amount of good work during the year. This club will meet today with Mrs. Kerpey Dunham at Courtney station. Mrs. Marjoria Donaca will speak on "What is the Home Fort'; Mrs. E. J. Alexander will "Home Administration," and Mrs. Winifred Skulason will have as her subject "Saving and Efficiency."

The Christmas spirit will prevail today at the meeting of the Political Science Club, an organization that has notice on a firm hasis and is active in study and in philanthropic work. Dr. C. H. Chapman will give the address. The meeting will be in the Library.

Mrs. P. J. Bonnon,

BY MRS F.A.WALKER

The Locust Tree and the Oak.

Then the great oak, which had once

CALENDAR FOR TODAY.

Clubs.

Social Service Club, of Oak Grove and Milwaukie, with Mra, Dunham, Courtney station. Women's Political Science Club, Library, 2:10 o'clock.

Library, 7:20 o'clock.

Holladay Parent-Teacher Association, 2:45 o'clock, Mrs. F. S.,

Myera, speaker.

Delphian Drama Club, tonight,

724 Northwestern Bank building.

Parent-Teacher Associations—
Tey committee, in Central buildling; good literature committees,
in book stores.

Muts benefit—Ice Hippodrome
tonight.

DAVIES ANDRE

Today and tomorrow will be great days for the toy department of the Farent-Teacher Association in the Cen-tral building. Mrs. C. W. Hayburst is enaforman of the committee in charges, eating meeting last Friday night in the Torse will be distributed to the various families reported by the friendly visiting cammittees of the many districts ing cammittees of the many districts have been denoted by families who are in good circumstances and whose children are lired of the toys or have entercown them.

THE SANDMAN STORY BY MRS F.AWALKER. outgrown them.

The Lents Parent-Teacher Circle held

The Lents Parent-Teacher Circle held the regular manshily metaling on Friday. Mine Fisher, of the Library, gave a most interesting and instructive talk on "Books for Children. The report of the social service committee showed he pairs of shoes heeded to descerving families. Also on December 14 a charity benefit srogramme was given at the Tanger Theater, in which many of the school children took part.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Annient Order of Hibernains at their hast needs ing elected the following officers for the coming year: Freeidest, Kins. Bits about Hogan; wice-president, Mrs. Mary Limerick; recording accretary, Miss Margaret, Miss Mary Frances McCarthy (re-elected): financial secretary. Miss Margaret Whitmey; sentined Miss Ners O'clannell, and musteinn. Miss Violet Grayson. The installation will be held during January.

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clara San Zeok and Mrs. J. E. Marshall, of lows. At the next meeting, January 7, the hostess will be Mrs. E. P. Mann, Illi Belmont street. Business meeting and rollcall, "New Year's Maxima."

Miss Virginia Drake, a member of the Seaside Wassan's Club, has written a charming little norm entitled "The Lagent of the Kinni-Kinniz," and has deducated it to her club. The kinniz, and the stand the increase it was quite a highest defining it the efficial club emblem of the Seaside Wessan's Club.

Mollaway Parent-Tancher Association "Maybe not," sang out the young oak "Maybe not," sang out the young oak

Central Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the headquarters on Eleventh street. Mrs. T. N. Diamond, superintendent of evangelistic workwill be in charas of the programme. Hew. M. H. H. Johns, an evangelist, will give an address on "The Relation Between Temperance and Evangelistic Work." Mrs. J. C. Stott. president of was a lot of was just a silly thing en-shout. It was just a silly thing en-cumbering the ground. But it will make a fine fire for the kitchen stove." After a while two more men came with a big saw. This is a fine oak," said the farmer, "and we will make it into timber for masts of ships. It grows stall straight and strong with-out a flaw."

Then the great oak, which had once Work." Mrs. J. C. Stott, president of St. Johns Union, will speak briefly. Mrs. E. M. Oberg will give a reading. A musical programme arranged by Beatrice Eichenlaub will be given by Glen Shelly and Vern Isom, planist and violinist.

been a tiny acorn, was glad-glad it had kept on growing, glad it was to The recent sale of Red Cross scals brought out the talents of many of the clubwomen and members of Parent-Teacher associations, who made a success as "sales women." Among those who sold scals at the stockyards during the stock stock above were Mrs. W. A. ing the stock show were Mrs. W. A. Palmer, Miss Elisis Bernard, Miss Himes, Mrs. T. C. Benson, Mrs. W. A. Willis, Mrs. Claude Sevier, Mrs. Arthur Rohecky, Miss Hassi Driscall and Mrs. Norris B. Stone.

Mrs. P. J. Bannon, a Portland club-woman, who is the daughter of a pio-neer, is one of the bright women law-yers of the state. She is interested in the Oregon Ploneer Association, and has done some claver writing. Miss Jessie Hammond is one of the promi-nent members of the State Woman's Press Club. The club hald an inter-Mrs. P. J. Bannon, a Portland club

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Women's Dress Skirts of silk, satin or serge, special, \$5. Women's and Misses' Dainty Dancing Dresses at \$17.48. Women's Crepe de Chine Ki onos, worth to \$12.50, at \$6,98,

Corduroy Kimonos at \$2.98. Special sale of Dainty Crepe de Chine Waists at \$5. Special sale of Fancy Waists in chiffon, silk and lace, many

beautiful styles, \$3.45. Women's Silk Petticoats of fine grade taffeta and messaline silks, all colors, at \$3.29. Women's Angora Wool Ribbed Sweaters and Sport Coats, \$5. Women's "Beacon" Blanket Bathrobes in latest patterns and

olors, \$5 grades, \$3.98. Beacon Blanket Bathrobes, worth \$7.50, special, \$5.95. Dainty Boudoir Caps in endless assortment of styles, in silks, laces, nets, 50c, 98c. Women's Knitted Setsand Scarf - for skating, etc.

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Men's Underwear,

Men's Handkerchiefs,

the Search Wessar's Club. Heliaway Parent-Tauther Association will meet today at 2-th celock in the school assembly half. Mrs. F. H. Wars will give a "fanta Glana" talk, which she will lituatrate with bright, new talk from old Santa's pack. Sewaral of the clubwomen and Parent-Teacher Association members who are taking an interest in good literature for children will be stationed in the various book stores and book departments today. Central Wessara Christian Temper Central Wessara Christian Temper Table Lipens, Women's and Children's Xmas Hosiery. Christmas Handkerchiefs. Christmas Handkerchiefs. Christmas Handkerchiefs. Table Lipens, Table Lipens, Table Lipens, Table Lipens, The other officers and reporters are the of use in the world. It would be provided in the same and source of the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same and storms, over the farmer came into the woods with an ax. Central Wessard of the clubwomen and Parent for the provided and the serial section. The other officers for next the same except for the 25 additional mass that would be assisted the same except for the 25 additional mass that would not assist and help the boats speed over the same except for the 25 additional mass. The would not assist and reporters are the friends will have a new set of officers for next the same except for the 25 additional mass. The would not assist and reporters are the friends and surface and same for the world. It would be called the same and severed o

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"This old locust never was any good," he excitaimed. "All it did was to have a few blossoms and then there was a lot of dead limbs dropping all about. It was just a silly thing encumbering the ground. But it will make a fine fire for the kitchen stove."

After a while two blossoms and then there was glad and proud that at last, when it had done its best, it was of use in the world.

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Of \$888 samples of milk collected during 1915 by the city milk inspection bureau, \$5.87 per cent contained under 10,000 bacteria to the cubic centimeter, a showing which no other city in the United States can make, according to Dr. D. W. Mack, chief of the bureau. The city ordinance permits milk to be passed containing 200,000 bacteria to the cubic centimeter.

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