Miss Rankin, Montana Representative, Impersonated for More Than Hour.

Many Leave, Unaware of Joke by Wife of Pennsylvania Members; Closing Session Is Noisy Pa-

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- A hoax the crowded galleries in the dying hours of Congress today overshadowed the singing, cheering and speech-making that mark the end of every session. It all centered about interest in Miss Jeanette Rankin, of Montana, the first woman ever elected to the United States Congress, who will take her seat in the next House. She was expected to be here today, but did not arrive, and Mrs. George W. Edmonds, the wife of Representative Edmonds, of Pennsylvania, received the thunderous ovation that awaited Miss Rankin.

So well did Mrs. Edmonds play her role that hundreds of persons who shock hands with her in an impromptu reception which she held following anthe crowded galleries in the dying reception which she held following an-nouncement from the floor of the pres-ence of Miss Rankin, went away un-

Hoax Is Arranged.

aware of her real identity.

Representative Britten, of Illinois, by pre-arrangement with Mrs. Edmonds, perpetrated the hoax.

Half an hour after Speaker Clark had adjourned the session and the voices of members and visitors had begun to show signs of throatiness owing to the fervor with which they had sung the high notes of "Dixie" and the low notes of "The Old Oaken Bucket," Mr. Britten passed word to Representative Gallivan, who sprang to the top of a Gallivan, who sprang to the top of a table in front of the speaker's stand, announced that the first Congress-woman was present and named Representative Britten to escort her to the

The scene which followed was flat-tering to Miss Rankin. From every part of the chamber members and their wives and children—the floor being open to families by this time—rushed over to greet the "Congresswoman." Without the slightest sign of em-barrassment. Mrs. Edmonds began shaking hands with smiles and thanks. Soon a long line formed in front of

Soon a long line formed in front of the Speaker's stand and the galleries urned their entire attention to the demonstration.
Old attaches of the House said the jollification today outdid in fervor any hey had ever witnessed in many years.

It lasted more than an hour.

Speaker Clark's gavel dropped promptly at noon, members of the floor and the press gallery who previously had been supplied with books of old-fashioned songs burst into "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

Women Unfurl Flags.

tisanship that was evident when he of the party escaped with slight infirst came to Congress 24 years ago juries. Miss Jelley was a sister of Mrs. had been almost abolished in the House. Osborn and Mrs. Crocker.

ENGINEERS TO GATHER WORKERS CONDEMN LANE COLONEL REGARDS SOME PROPOSI-

W. J. DAVIS, JR., OF SAN FRANCISCO WILL BE SPEAKER.

Helical Genra as Applied to Merchant and Warships to Be Described

and Hustrated by Sildes.

A joint meeting of the Portland sections, American Institute of Electrical Engineers and National Electric Light Association will be held in the assembly hall of Multnomah Hotel tomorrow evening. The meeting will be in charge of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

W. J. Davis, Jr., of San Francisco. Pacific Coast engineer of the General Electric Company, will address the meeting on "Steam Turbines and Reduction Gears for Ship Propulsion." The lecture will include a description of the principal features of the flexible helical gears as developed by the General Electric Company for ship propulsion work, the application of these gears to cargo ships, destroyers, scout cruisers, etc., with performance data: by Family of Six.

his stand against the armed neutrality bill ad support of President Wilson in the National crisis, was dispatched last night to Harry Lane, United States Senator from Oregon. The tologram was signed by 43 employee sand it was without the knowledge of any of the proprietary or directing heads of The Oregonian. The telegram read:

"Your part in defeating the armed neutrality bill, bringing humiliation upon the country and imperiling its safety as well as bringing comfort to its enemies, brands you as unfit to represent the state of Oregon in the Senate of the flexible helical gears as developed by the General Electric Company for ship propulsion work, the application of these gears to cargo ships, destroyers, scout cruisers, etc., with performance data:

by Family of Six. eral Slectric Company for ship propul-sion work, the application of these gears to cargo ships, destroyers, scout cruisers, etc., with performance data; the electric drive as applied to battleships and battle cruisers; distribution of driving power on large vessels; gen-

east of Bouchavesnes, an attack gave the British terrain on a front of 1200 yards and 173 prisoners, according to

dan already in their possession, the Russians are keeping up their offensive against the Turks in Persia. Eighty miles northwest of Hamadan they have captured the villages of Bijar and Khanikal!

The loss of a British torpedo-boat de-stroyer with all hands is reported by the British Admiralty. The vessel went down in the North Sea and is believed to have struck a mine. Berlin, in a statement regarding ves-

sels sunk by submarines, mentions the sending to the bottom in the Mediter-HUNDREDS SHAKE HANDS of 34,494 tons. It is added that some of the troops on board were lost. The largest vessel previously sunk was the steamer Lusitania of 30,396 tons.

> A Cabinet crisis has arisen in China owing to the President having refused to approve the decision of the Cabinet that China should follow the United States and sever relations with Ger-

WITH MEMORIAL.

Efforts in Behalf of Structure and His Achievement.

Roadmaster Yeon was commended Board who motored to Crown Point

yesterday for an informal inspection of the memorial building and comfort station which is half completed. About 50 realtors and guests were pleased with the character and magni-tude of the project and indorsed it en-thusiastically.

After showing the visitors through the building, Roadmaster Yeon related the history of the project and explained that the structure in its present stage has cost approximately \$22,000, with the prospect that about \$28,000 more will be required to complete that part the building that is to extend above he surface of the ground. He pointed ut that the memorial windows are not included in the county appropriation, but that they will be paid for by private subscriptions.

Edgar M. Lazarus, the architect in charge of the plans, explained how the

original plans, calling for materials of less permanent quality, were altered to provide for the marble walls, terrazzo floors and other details of the Class A construction. Judge Thomas C. Burke, Collector of Customs, commended Mr. Yeon in his

MR. AND MRS. OSBORN IN ACCI-DENT IN OAKLAND.

Electric Train Strikes Automobile Co taining Party of Five, Mrs. Osborn's Sister Killed.

OAKLAND, Cal., March 4.—(Special)—One woman was killed and five Mrs. J. Charles Linthicum, wife of Representative Linthicum, of Maryland. arese in the gallery and unfurled a huge silken flag, one end of which was gathered up by Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the Speaker. A storm of applause followed.

followed.

In the farewell speeches preceding the final adjournment, Democratic-Leader Kitchin and others declared that the House had done its work this session and blamed the Senate for any embarrassment which the Government may suffer through work not done.

Amid wild applause Senator Clark

San Francisco, was instantly killed. The machine, which was entirely demolished, was driven by R. T. Crocker, of Berkeley, a clerk employed by the Ellery Manufacturing Company of San Francisco. With him were also his wife and son, Philip, and Mr. and Mrs.

Sanitarium.

Had decovery that the Angel is so much wedded cuts the Gordian knot generally, and particularly for Roe.

A unique characterization goes to the credit of George Taylor as Dr. Plank. Ellery Manufacturing Company of San Francisco. With him were also his wife and son, Philip, and Mr. and Mrs.

George Webster contributes comedy as a lamb who is fleeced by the Angel.

Senator Is Told He Is Unfit to Rep resent Oregonians.

A telegram voluntarily drawn and signed by mechanical and editorial staff members of The Oregonian, exressing indignation and humiliation at

by Family of Six.

Software the second propose of large veasols general design of developed for destroyers and second trailers, and his wife description of some of the construction features of the listest design of the sasociation, at the dinner to be given Thursday night at the Multinormal Hotal.

Be Received Hereafter.

SALEM, Or. March 4.—(Special.)—The sasociation is allowed extend to the sasociation as the dinner to be given Thursday night at the Multinormal Hotal.

Mrs. Betty Borson Severs was a near reliative of B. E. and I. E. Anderson are being made by the state Sanitarium for an attendance of at least 180. The proposed of the company, with the severs of the war.

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SALEM, Or., March 4.—(Special.)—
When a salary increase from \$1000 to \$1100 a year was granted by the State Board of Control Saturday to the or-chardist of the Oregon State Hospital Farm, it brought out the fact that a number of other employes at state institutions are planning to ask for increases, and indications pointed to disappointment for some of them.

The bookkeeper at the School for Feeble-Minded will ask an increase from \$30 per month to \$100 per menth, and a number of others will come forward, it is stated. Apparently there

"The Blue Envelope" Is Full of Breezy Comedy.

LAUGHS NUMBER THOUSAND

max Is Reached With Hysteria of Wild Mirth

John Dos Albert McGovern George R. Taylor ... Henry Norman

First Attendant ... Raymond Johnson Angelica, called "Angel". Ruth Gates Mrs. Doe Eleanor Parker Mary Ackers Marguerite McNulty

construction of the Vista House by a might well be named the "House of delegation of the Portland Realty a Thousand Doors," with a thousand exciting things going on behind each door. It has also a thousand situations and a thousand laughs.

It has the merit of a continued con-

dition of hilarity, and culminates in a rip-roaring third act with the audience in an hysteria of mirth.

It will certainly come under the head of the Baker Theater season's

Albert McGovern has a role after the liking of his admirers, as John Doe, who makes his entrance in a bruised and dilapidated state after an encounter with a squad of policemen. He has tried to keep an appointment with an anonymous woman and has becom messed up in a taxicab smashup. Ruth Gates Plays Admirably.

In making his escape from the po-lice, he jumps into a cab, which is also taken possession of by an attractive young woman, who, during the course of the play, proves to be a most indiscriminately married and engaged

sirl is known, a most fascinating adventuress. Both the Angel and John Doe are driven to the beauty parlors conducted by a Dr. Maurice, played by Harold Holland. Here it develops that the Angel is Doe's anonymous inamorata, and is also the extendille with the Angel and the control of the co rata, and is also the erstwhile wife of

Doe's pal, Richard Ros.
This role is given humorous high lights by Charles Compton.
Marguerite McNulty plays the role of Roe's fiancee.

When the Angel discovers that Doe already has a wife she makes capital out of the fervid letters sent her by Doe. These letters are in a blue envelope which becomes the bone of contention to the end of the play, when it is discovered that the it is discovered that the Angel is the wife of Coogan, a retired champion fist fighter, now a professor in Dr. DR. W. G. MOORE DEAD Plank's sanitarium

Angel Is Found Out. Coogan is played with robust comedy by Henry Norman.

The discovery that the Angel is so much wedded cuts the Gordian knot

Preparedness Issue No More Open to Discussion Than Right of Judges to Receive Bribes.

NEW YORK, March 4. - Theodore his stand against the armed neutrality Roosevelt has declined an invitation bill and support of President Wil- of representatives of the Congress of

Benedict Arnold."

Industrial Courses to Be Described COLOMBIA NOT IN PLOT Formal Denial Made in Answer to

ed on the Germans in several counterattacks.

In the Meuse district the Germans in attacks proceeded by the State Hospital Form it brought out the fact that a north of Elx, in an attack preceded by a heavy bombardment, succeeded in entering French trenches, but were driven out in a counter-attack. Reciprocal bombardments, especially severe east of the Meuse in the Bols Caurieres section, have taken place.

Along the Russian front and in Rouman in fighting of moment is taking place. In the Austro-Italian theater

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For Appendicitis From Which

Recovery Seemed Certain.

mon here in the latter part of Novem-

Held Thursday Night.

by Speakers at Chamber.

new field.

IOSEPH DU BOIS DIES AT 85; Death at Stockton Follows Operation

will be given by representatives of various departments of the associa-

Resident of Vancouver Found to Have Passed Away as He Slept. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 4 .--

embarrassment which the Government may suffer through work not done.

Amid wild applause Senator Clark called Representative Cannon, his Republican predecessor, to the rostrum, and asked him to preside.

Speaker Clark made a speech, saying this Congress was the best behaved one he had ever seen; that the acute parties that was evident when he had ever seen; that the acute parties that was evident when he first came to Congress 24 years ago ties and been almost abolished in the House.

FACINFERS TO CATHER

With him were also his Mer, and Mrs. and an attendant and william Lee as a policeman complete the cast.

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ber, and left a day or so later for his new field.

A prominent Presbyterian said, when notified of Dr. Moore's death: "The denomination has lost a good man who will be greatly missed."

Dr. Moore's successor, Dr. Ward W. MacHenry, was called recently from Raker, Or.

TRAFFIC MEN ARE TO DINE

tee are: Frank E. Smith, Mrs. G. J. Frankel, Mrs. C. B. Simmons, E. J. Jaeger, C. F. Berg, L. M. Lepper, Ferdinand Reed, William P. Strandbourg and C. P. Howard. Portland Association's Affair to Be and C. P. Howard.

MISSION SESSIONS OPEN INTERNED VESSELS IN SANTA RO-Cooper, of The Dalles.

The work of the Portland Traffic and The work of the Portland Traffic and Transportation Association in the bet-tering of traffic conditions in the Northwest will be reviewed by a num-ber of men experienced in the work of the association, at the dinner to be given Thursday night at the Mult-nomah Hotel.

One 34,494-Ton Ship Carrying 500

BERLIN, March 1 (By wireless to Sayville, N. Y., March 4.)—An armed transport steamer of 34,484 tons with

munity in the future. "The Y. M. C. A. as an industry builder and what it means to the Portland Business Man" is the subject of the talks which

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LIFE-TERMERS GET AWAY IN

Visitor Is Robbed of Cash,

SEATTLE, Wash., March 4 .- After

Dr. William Graham Moore was pastor of the Mount Tabor Presbyterian Church of Portland more than five years. He came here from Le Mars, where he served as pastor of an important church for six years. When news of his death reached his former congregation last night a special meeting was called and resolutions of regret and sympathy were adopted. Dr. Moore left a wife and three children, Gladys, Wallace and Walter. Miss Gladys was a student at Washington High School. Many Portland friends will send messages of condolence.

Dr. William Graham Moore was pastor of the Episcopal Church in Centralia; Joseph and Daniel Dushos, rector of the Episcopal Church in Centralia; Joseph and Daniel Dushos, awaiting trial on the charge of murder dering Harry Agee, another negro; Frank Coatz, alias W. A. Myers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder dering Harry Agee, another negro; Frank Coatz, alias W. A. Myers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the dering Harry Agee, another negro; Frank Coatz, alias W. A. Myers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawyers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawyers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawyers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawyers, convicted of larceny, sentenced under the habitual criminal act to life, and awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawyers, convected to lawying the lawy in Centralia; Joseph and Daniel Dushous, awaiting trial on the charge of murder lawying the lawy in Centralia; Joseph and Daniel Dushous, awaiting tria ing transfer to state's prison; J. F. Dusky, awaiting sentence for robbing the State Bank of Renton.

The five prisoners attacked Jailor A. J. Start as he was taking to a cell Soudas and Coatz, who had been at the corridor to see visiting friends. The fallor ran to the office, pursued by the prisoners, one of whom, Soudas, had a revolver, and another, Dusky, a butch-of governors of the Portland Rose Festival for 1917 will be nominated to-night.

In the office the jailor was overpowtival for 1917 will be nominated to-night.

Twenty-four candidates for the board of governors of the Portland Rose Festival for 1917 will be nominated tonight at the meeting of the special nominating committee at the Chamber of Commerce, called together by President J. E. Werlein, of the Rose Festival Auxiliary, to meet at 7:30.

The 24 names will be presented before the auxiliary at its meeting Friday night, March 16, and out of the list a board of 12 governors will be selected.

The was caught in California a few months ago.

The was a member of the Mose Festival Auxiliary at its meeting Friday night, March 16, and out of the list a board of 12 governors will be selected.

TWO TROOP VESSELS SUNK where in the Pacific.
Sallors from the vessels who have been employed in this vicinity for some time began returning to Santa Rosalia

month ago. The edge of the offshore gale came through Portland in the morning and banged signs about a bit, turned win-brellas inside out and sent hats bowling along the street.

Telephone Broadway 12600

The rainfall was .18 of an inch. This makes the total since September 1, 1918, just 18.24 inches, a deficiency of 14.15

There were 18 minutes of sunshine yesterday out of a possible 11 hours.

The forecast for today is more rain, with probable high winds.

ORION KINERSLY'S BODY IS TO BE CREMATED.

Late Portland and The Dalles Man Is Long in Steamboat Service Under Late Captain Ainsworth.

The funeral of Orion Kinersly, wellnown steamboat man and druggist of this city and The Dalles, whose death

Mr. Kinersly was a member of the Elks and Woodmen of the World The Dailes.

He is survived by two sons and

when Germany announced intention to resume unrestricted submarine warfare and it was estimated tonight that ar least 200 have returned to their ships. H. F. Clara Defeats J. M. Endicott

by Vote of 374 to 302.

Rain Gives City Relief From Accumulation of Snow.

CAMAS, Wash., March 4.—(Special.)

In one of the hottest school fights in the history of Camas, H. F. Clark, the non-partisan candidate. Saturday defeated J. M. Endicott, a Socialist, for school director. Clark was carried to victory with 374 votes, while Endicott had 302 followers.

Seldom does a town election get out more than 400 voters.