# YOUNG EXPLORER ON

Seattle Man Essays Perilous Trip on Foot.

HISTORY IS BEING MADE

Captain Harold Noice Conquers Icy Wastes With Dog Team for Sole Company.

SEATTLE. Wash., Dec. 10 .- (Speas its star, "Eratwhile Susan," refused to kiss her intended? No-body until Lew Cody became star of Victoria land for the Canadian government, 24-year-old Captain Harold Noice of Seattle, amed as the world's youngest Arctic explorer and navigator, is believed to be far advanced on a spectacular dash with a dog team for Port Nelson. Hudson bay, His arrival at Port Nelson will mean that he is the first white man in history to make the northwest passage on foot.

This is the news that, passed on by one man to another in the Arctic was greated to bring in visions, of a fashion able governor's osil. "Erstwhile Susan," with Constance Binney in the lead—that is the present attraction at the Liberty theater. Incidently, it was attractive enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon and evening despite enough to invite capacity audiences both yesterday afternoon when it is attractive and in history to make the northwest passage on foot.

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Winnipes Dash is Next.

After resting at Port Neison. Captain Noice will head his dog team southward, probably making a direct line for Winnipes, and from there will come back to Scattle for his first visit home since the summer of 1915. He went north as a member of Captain Louis L. Lane's Arctic trading expedition in that year. That was the season in which Captain Laus the explorer, and young Noice joined the Stefansson expedition, becoming one of the most trusted men in the great explorer's rusted men in the great explorer's party. For the last year he has been "on his own," having his own expedition. His commission from the Canadian government to map the Victoria land shores is regarded as a significant recognition of the young Seattle explorer.

explorer.

Besides the news of her son's plans.

Mrs. Noice this morning received the first shipment of specimens sent out by the youthful explorer. It consisted of a large box filled with native war weapons, whaling implements, cook-ing utensils and dishes of various ing utensile and dishes of various kinds from the remote corners of the Arctic. Other shipments will come out later, the explorer having made a large collection of specimens.

With Thellie With Pride.

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No word has been received since the early fall as to Captain Bernard of the power schooner Teddy Bear who set out three years ago to make the northwest passage by sailing from west to east, thus reversing the from west to east, thus reversing the course followed by Amundsen, the first man in history to sail through the passage. When last heard from Captain Bernard planned to winter east of Kent peninsula. He is frozen

### BOY TRAVELER RETURNED

and Mrs. A. Paullin, 220½ Grand avenue, who was brought back to Portland yesterday after he is said to have taken \$60 from a woman friend of the family and made a trip to Seattle for a dog in the possession of his brother at 211 East Lake avenue. In that city.

Portland police were notified of the boy's disappearance Tuesday, with the result that the boy was sent back yesterday on the morning train.

The ten for white sized A. Krebs castle and Mrs. Fred A. Krebs were to have been hostesses next Saturday, at the home of Mrs. Newcastle, has been postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather.

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again by Detective Captain Circle.

The boy had purchased a fancy strap lead for the dog with some of the money. When he arrived at Soattle his brother would not let him have the dog, he said.

Canadian Buys Oregon Flax.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 10.—(Special.)— The state, through R. B. Goodin, secretary of the board of control, today sold to T. A. G. Gordon of Canada approximately 1000 bushels of flaxseed from the prison plant. The con-sideration was \$6 a bushel for Salem

### A Sister's Advice

Harry Warren hung up his hat and coat and sank into a chair.
"Harry, what's the matter?" his wife asked anxiously.
"I guess the grippe has me again," he answered. "Every bone in my body aches and my head is stopped up. And I bave that trip to make to-morrow." be answered. Every bone in my body aches and my head is stopped up. And I have that trip to make to-morrow."

"I do wish they would take you off the road." Mrs. Warren complained. "You've had one sickness after another just from being out in all kinds of weather."

"Well. I have to make good on the road before I am advanced, grippe or no grippe." Harry retorted.

"Reep grippe away." said Harry's stater. Edith, who came into the room at the end of the conversation.

"Get a twenty-five cent box of Weeks' Break-Up-A-Cold Tablets." she said. "And take them as the directions order. A hot lemonads will help, if you want to take it."

"Cold tablets always make me dul and heavy." Harry said.

"Weeks' don't, they're different." Edith answered. "They increase your resistance to cold and grippe. That is why you should always insist on them. And they contain a vegatable laxative instead of calomel, which is a mercury compound." a mercury compound."

After supper Mrs. Warren bought a
box of Weel's Break-Up-A-Cold Tablets and Harry took them with much grunbling.

Next morning not a trace of the cold was left. At breakfast he said to Edith, "Sis, that hunch of yours about those Weaks' Tablets was the best ever. I sure know what to do now when a cold begins."

## Yes, Girls

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Majestic -- Madge Kennedy,
"Friend Husband."

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Peoples—Olive Thomas, "The
Spite Bride."
Strand—Theda Bara, "La Belle
Russe."
Liberty—Constance Binney,
"Erstwhile Susan."

Star-Sessue Hayakawa, "A Heart in Pawn." Sunset-Mable Normand, "Upstairs." Circle - Marguerite Clark. "Girls."
Globe-Charles Ray, "The Busher."

E Babanetta instead of Susan as its star, "Erstwhile Susan."

When last seen Captain Noice was while Susan" as the Mrs. r. Henrietta Crosman vehicle. It is the Gertrude Atherton, says she prefers victoria land coast and was preparing for his thrilling foot race to Port old Dunkard and released from the slavery of drudgery pretty "Babancia". In all other productions the siep-mother stars, but in this version in a church choir in real life.

Clark style, and has as an added asset youth. Miss Binney's claim is in no manner confined to her personal at-tractiveness. She has an unusually magnetic personality and her dra-matic art is of a type that is rarely

Screen Gossip.

Among the beautiful glaciers of Northern Oregon are ice peaks which seem on fire as the sun plays upon them. "Flaming Ice," the Robert-son-Cole Adventure Scenic, brings out this curious parodox of nature strik-

Those who read Mary Roberts Rhinehart's descriptions of the coun-try around Lake Chelan, in the north-west, wil be interested to know that this is the locale of an author adventure scenic, "The Last Resort."

Who ever heard of a fiancee who refused to kiss her intended? Nobody until Lew Cody became star of "The Beloved Cheater," a photo-

Elinor Hancock, who appears in the picture, "The Tower of Ivory," by Gertrude Atherton, says she prefers

OBBIE BURNS' philosophical House H are Rowan Whealdon, Robobservation that "the aft laid ert Osborn, James Hamilton, Aifred plans o' mice and men gang aft Gehri, William Helms, John Van Et-В plans o' mice and men gang aft ten, Francis Linklater, Arthur House, e' hold good in its application he plans of the fair sex. No betproof of it could be asked than proof of it could be asked than kelly and William Stone. aglee" hold good in its application to the plans of the fair sex. No bet-ter proof of it could be asked than today's social calendar, and unless

Mother Thrills With Pride.

"After his long absence, it is difficult to realize that at last he is on his way home." said Mrs. Noice this morning. "He is a son of whom any mother could be proud."

During his years in the Arctic the Seattle man has made a name for daring, resourcefulness and steadiness, and is now recognized as one of, the leading explorers of the far north.

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hour.

The dance to be given under the auspices of the Paughters of Isabelle at Cathedral hall this evening has been postponed.

The national choral sing, which was to have been held tonight at

in until next summer, when he will resume the voyage toward Hudson buy.

Was to have been held tonight at Central library, has been canceled members and friends at party Saturday evening

His Dog Back.

"I want to get my dogs," said 12year-old Charles Paullin, son of Mr.
and Mrs. A. Paullin, 220 % Grand

day night, December 18.

The programme as originally planned will be given on that date.

The ten for which Mrs. C. C. Newcastle and Mrs. Fred A. Krebs

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Branch Riley, who are visiting for several days in northwest cities, are being delightfully entertained by friends in Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane. Mr. Riley is scheduled to make addresses before the business and professional men of these cities by invitation of the Chambers of Commerce and is on the programme of the convention of the programme of the convention of the programme of the convention of the West Coast Lumberman's association in session today in Seattle.

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will be given next Saturday evening, when the men of House H are to be hosts to the community. According to the precedent set last year the party invitations read: "A college goon for an extensive stay in the oriparty invitations read: "A college party for Reed men and Reed women."

Games and cards will be provided for those who do not dance. Decorations for the house affairs have been notably inexpensive in the past, but lack of elaborateness has been made up by uniqueness of effect. Members of guests had to telephone regrets.

### **BIRDS STARVING IN SNOW**

FEATHERED FRIENDS NEED CRUMBS OF COMFORT.

Game Wardens Urged to Spread Warning of Danger on Account of Food Scarcity.

"Feed the birds," is the message captivity would have been sacrificed in the storm. Reports from the game commission's office. Messages were sent by telegraph to deputy game commission's office. Messages were sent by telegraph to deputy game wardens and newspapers, urging they do all in their means to interest peole in providing the necessary crumbs of comfort for the feathered flocks. "If the storm continues," said State came Warden Shoemaker yesterday,

Through the Oregon Humane soci- ished.

ety school children of Portland are being asked to toss out bits of bread on the ground. A donation of stale bread was received by the organiza-tion yesterday, and this will be dis-

tion yesterday, and this will be dis-trubuted to those who call at the courthouse for it.

Walter Honeyman, representing the Oregon Shooters' club, agreed to turn over the balance of \$50 now in the club's treasury for bird feed.

Mr. Shoomaker considers it partic-ularly fortunate that the game de-partment adopted its new policy of holding China phesants over the holding China pheasants over the winter months for liberation in the spring, otherwise the 3,000 now in

Insanc Man Wanders in Snow. SALEM, Or., Dec. 10 .- (Special.)-Charles Lawrence, 77, wandered away "it will be extremely destructive to bird life." His department goes 50- 50 with all sportsmen's organizations in purchasing feed for the feathered dition of the patient the hospital officials believe that he may have per-

Cummins' Sincerity Assailed by Wisconsin Solon.

PUBLIC BETRAYAL STATED

While Senator Arraigns Measure U. P. Head Declares Legislation May Solve Problem.

WASHINGTON Dec. 10.-Attacking the Cummins railroad bill as a meas

ficials were financially interested in president, will preside supply and construction companies with which the company employing The story of women's hem dealt.

Public in Robbed. And as a result of this, we find,' e concluded, "that stockholders and he public were robbed because of the payment of outrageous prices for supplies. The country must expect to get bad service from any concern

them in an honest attempt to solve

confiscating all in excess of 6 per cent upon such value.

"I deny that our people are in favor of confiscating the net earnings of a railway company saved by it out of reasonable rates established or approved by the government itself." Mr. Lovett said. "Further increases in freight rates undoubtedly are necessary, as the government's own experience with the railroads shows." he said adding that no well-informed person could expect railway wages to be materially reduced under existing conditions.

associations, are urging mothers to study the question and to invent or study the question and to inven

The entertainment and dance announced for last night in Hibernia hall, under the auspices of the Robert Emmet branch, Friends of Irish Freedom, has been postponed on account of the snow storm until Thursday night, December 18.

The Zerolent club will entertain its members and friends at a Christmas ing conditions. The chamber of commerce of the United States in a statement today said unless the government adopted a railroad policy that would enable private corporations to meet expenses and obtain necessary capital "corporation will fail and the government and option of the snow storm until Thursday evening. December 18. originally sical selections. An orchestra and that date. slee club will furnish musical num-

> CORPORAL DANNER BURIED Military Honor Rendered at Van-

couver Funeral. VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 10 .- (Special.)—The military funeral of Cor-poral Harvey A. Danner, United States army, who committed suicide. was held from the Knapp chapel to-day. Rev. A. H. Thompson, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated.

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veral years before going to France and had served 18 years in the army, so would have been able to retire in two years.

PLANT SEEKS LOCATION

Oregon City Club Confers With New Tire Concern.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—The commercial club at its weekly luncheon authorized the appointment of a special committee to confer with the Stuart Puncture Proof Tire and Liner company with reference to securing a site in Oregon City for a manufacturing plant.

The concern was recently organized for the purpose of making an automobile tire and liner, the invention of its president, Dr. C. A. Stuart. The committee consists of T. L. Charman, Arthur Beattle and Ben Hayhurst.

ASTORIA MEN ARRAIGNED

Alleged Murderers Waive Exami-

nation; Jury Action Awaited. ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 10.—(Special.)
-William C. Wilson and Parlia Axel Branner were arraigned before Jus-tice of the Peace Carney this after-noon on an information charging them with the murder of Frank

The defendants waived examination, and were committed to the county jail without bonds to await he action of the circuit court grand jury, which will be convened on Wednesday of next week.

### Women's Activities

acterize the regular monthly meeting of the Oregon federation of women's ship was the ultimate solution of the railroad problem, the Wisconsin senator declared the plan had not been given a fair chance because there had been an organized press and railroad attempt to discredit it. In framing agency, with special reference to holithe bill to meet conditions arising with the end of wartime federal control, Senator LaFollette said the genate interstate commerce commission had not given a full hearing to the army of railway employes, vitally streets of Portland will be presented army of railway employes, vitally streets of Portland will be presented concerned in the future policy of dealing with the great transportation systems."

When the government took over the presidents will respond with a brief when the government took over the presidents will respond with a bright roads. Senator La Follette declared, history of their organization, its purticle whole system was honeycombed with inside graft." Examination of idents and delegates or their airerevery system "from the Pennsylvania nates are asked to be in their places down," he said, would show that of-

The story of women's activities, of club and society meetings for today is, in nearly all cases, this: "Meeting postponed on account of the storm." The Women of Rotary had planned a delightful meeting for yesterday, but they, of course, couldn't get together on account of snow drifts, lack of car service, frozen radiators in machines

to get bad service from any concern infested with graft, and that is one explanation for the condition of the railroads at the time the government took them over."

While Senator La Follette was assaling the Cummins bill, Robert S. Lovett, president of the Union Pacific system, in a statement sent to members of congress, declared the measure "had the merit of ecognizing the facts of the railroad situation and the courage of grappling with them in an honest attempt to solve in the diet. Miss Eyla Walker, rethem in an honest attempt to solve the problem."

Interest Charge Questioned.

Mr. Lovett objected to the section, declaring 5½ per cent on the value of the railroad property as determined by the interstate commerce commission "as a reasonable return" and confiscating all in excess of 6 per cent upon such value.

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Who are using no milk. Mrs. C. W. Hayhurst and Mrs. Frederick Schilke, and past president, respectively, of the Oregon Parent-Teacher associations, are urging mothers to study the question and to invent or

are helping in the Christmas thank

United States in a statement today said unless the government adopted a railroad policy that would enable private corporations to meet expenses and obtain necessary capital "corporate operation will fail and the government will have to resume the burden of operating and probably of owning the roads."

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Club women of the state are among the most loyal in the support of the work for the Red Cross seals sale. The women desire to help the fund that assists those who are in danger of or afflicted with tuberculosis. Mrs Saidie Orr-Dunbar is secretary of the

The bazaar announced by the Church of the Madelains for last night has been postponed one week until next Wednesday night.

## The Price of Pork Chops and Bacon

Here are reasons why the fine. fresh pork tenderloins and pork chops. or savory ham, or crinkly bacon, which you enjoy for breakfast, cost much more per pound than the market quotation on live hogs which you read in the newspaper:

An average hog weighs 220 pounds.

Of this, only 70 per cent (154 pounds) is meat and lard.

So, when we pay 15# a pound for live hogs, we are really paying more than 21¢ a pound for the meat which we will get from these animals, even after taking into account the value of the by-products.

But people show a preference for only one-third of the whole-the pork chops, fancy bacon, and choice cuts from juicy hams.

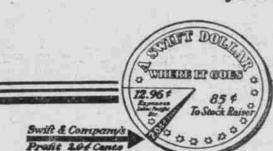
This means that when we are selling Premium bacon at 431/25 per pound wholesale and Premium hams at 30¢, there are other parts for which we get as low as 6¢ or 8¢ per pound. The net result is an average profit to us of less than 1¢ a pound.

The choice cuts are higher because of a demand for them.

Another thing: Only 35 pounds of the entire hog -or about 1/6 th-is usually marketed at once. The rest must be pickled, cured, or smoked. This takes months, and adds to the costs which must be met.

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home at Deer Island. The unit Women Voters, a meeting is called Cross, will be the rues of honor and done a large amount of good for 10:30 A. M. Saturday in the cen- will speak of her work abroad as well has done a large amount of good for 10:30 A. M. Saturday in the cen-work since its organization. At pres-ent it is working for the Children's Home and the Day Nursery and will The Portland Business Women's

The Portland Business Women's the meeting.

take up the furnishing of linens for missionary hospitals.

To give local women an opportunity of the women's protective division of

as of her present service fo the city. Mrs. Laura Kennedy will preside at

to decide whether or not they wish the police department, who has been an Oregon branch of the League for in the overseas service of the Red

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