

### \$1,000,000 IS VOTED TO ORIENT SCHOOLS

#### Announcement Made at Baptist Mission Conference.

### GIFT DECLARED BIG THING

#### Trustees of Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial Fund Get Credit for Donation.

One million dollars has just been voted by the trustees of the Laura Spelman Rockefeller memorial fund to be used in union colleges and medical schools for women of the orient, according to an announcement made yesterday by W. E. Peabody, secretary of the fund, at the Baptist Foreign Mission society, who is one of the principal speakers at the missionary conference of northern Oregon Baptists being held at White Temple.

The gift was characterized by Mrs. Peabody as "the biggest thing that has ever happened in the history of women's higher education in the orient."

Mrs. Peabody is chairman of a special committee representing ten denominations that are supporting women's colleges in India, Ceylon, Lucknow, Madras and Tokio, and the medical schools in Peking and Vellore, India.

### TAXIS BREAK UP HOME

#### WIFE SAYS HUSBAND HAS FAITH IN NO WOMAN.

#### Life of Underworld Revealed by Auto Driving Causes Mate to Misjudge Fair Sex, Plaintiff.

The life of a taxi driver is hard on morals. It makes one a cynic where women are concerned.

At least this is the discovery Max C. Howe, who married a taxi pilot in 1917, set forth in detail in a divorce complaint filed in circuit court yesterday against Clarence Howe.

#### Industrial Club Formed.

#### ECONOMICS UNIT TO OPEN

#### OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Feb. 14.—(Special.)

Formal opening of the new central unit of the home economics building, March 11 and 12, will be marked by a public exhibition of all phases of home economics.

#### SHIP SUITS CUT SHORT

#### Judge Says Fleet Corporation Liability Under \$10,000.

Suits now pending against the emergency fleet corporation in federal district court in Portland were terminated, so far as the local court is concerned, by a decision given by Judge Wolverson yesterday in a suit of the Astoria Marine Iron works.

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### FORESTERS IN SESSION

#### PROBLEMS OF WOODS ARE DISCUSSED BY SUPERVISORS.

#### Questions of Personnel and of Road and Trail Improvement Is Raised at Roundtable.

Problems in the selection of rangers and other personnel of the service were taken up at the first session of the annual meeting of the national forest supervisors of Oregon and Washington at the Multnomah hotel yesterday.

Supervisors now in Portland for the conference are: N. F. MacDuff, Eugene, Cascade forest; H. B. Rankin, Medford, Crater Lake forest; H. L. Dismuth, Bend, Deschutes forest; G. D. Brown, Lakeview, Fremont forest; R. M. Evans, Baker, Minam forest; V. V. Harpham, Prineville, Ochoco; T. H. Sherrard, Portland, Oregon forest; C. C. Hall, Albany, Santiam forest; E. H. MacLean, Grants Pass, Siskiyou forest; R. S. Shellen, Medford, Santiam forest; John W. Kuhns, Pendleton, Umatilla forest; W. P. Ramsay, Roseburg, Umpqua forest; N. J. Billings, Wallowa, Wallowa forest; F. T. Harris, Okanogan, Wash., Chelan forest; F. H. Brundage, Portland, Columbia forest; C. C. Best, Astoria, Clatsop forest; R. L. Fromme, Olympia, Wash., Olympic forest; G. E. Allen, Tacoma, Rainier forest; W. G. Weir, Seattle, Snoqualmie forest; and C. H. Park, Bellingham, Wash., Washington forest.

### MASTER OF PIANO HERE

#### Josef Hofmann to Appear at Heilig Tomorrow Evening.

Hailed as the "master of all pianists," Josef Hofmann, who appears tomorrow evening at the Heilig theater, is the national touring pianist, will give Portlanders an opportunity to judge his art and technique.

The following programme will be given: Schostakovich: B-flat minor (Chopin), Grave; Schostakovich: Scherzo; Marche Funerale; "Birds at Dawn" (Fanny Dill); "Etude de Concert" (V. Starobin); "Carnaval" (Schumann); "Prelude" (Liszt); "Valse Nobe" (Boschini); "Prelude" (Liszt); "L'Allegretto" (Bartok); "Clarinete" (Chopin); "Estrella" (Reconnaissance); "Fantasia" (Schostakovich); "Alegria" (Albeniz); "Promenade" (Debussy); "Marche des Davidbinder" (Liszt); "Pavane" (Schostakovich); "Liszt: Rustic Dance (Gans) (Liszt); "Scriabine"; "Rhapsodie No. 8 (Liszt).

### Y. M. C. A. Convention Held.

NAMPA, Idaho, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The Young Men's Christian association convention, conducted here by Secretary A. B. Young of Portland, Or., closed today. The programmes were interesting, the music fine and the conferences helpful.

### Klickitat Sheepmen Organize.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Sheepmen of Klickitat county recently held a meeting at the courthouse and perfected a local organization which will be known as the Klickitat Woolgrowers' association.

### Industrial Club Formed.

WILLAMINA, Or., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Industrial club work will go hand in hand with the regular school instruction of the boys and girls of Willamina, according to present plans.

### Nerves Shaky?

If you're drinking coffee, quit it and try INSTANT POSTUM

Trial tells—**"There's a Reason"**

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When Dr. A. O. Schmitt, Portland physician, testified on the witness stand in the court of Circuit Judge Gatens yesterday afternoon that his child needed the personal care of a woman not a stranger to the child, which he was able to provide through the employment of a matron, he did not realize that his own words were to be taken by Judge Gatens as the basis for a decision permitting the mother to take the boy from the jurisdiction of the court to Corvallis.

It was an echo of the somewhat sensational divorce suit between Dr. Schmitt and Alta E. Schmitt, which ended last month with the award of the degree to the husband and the child to the wife, with the provision that the boy, Stuart, 3½ years old, was not to be taken from the county. Since that time the mother accepted a position as "house mother" in a girls' dormitory at Oregon Agricultural college and had left the child with friends.

#### Boy Held Neglected.

Dr. Schmitt said on the stand that he was prepared with chief and matron in his residence to give the boy a comfortable and happy home. When he took the child away from the Johns he declared he found the lad in bad shape.

#### Care of Mother Needed.

"Dr. Schmitt is not able personally to look after the boy, no matter how good a home he may give him. The personal attention of a mother is needed. Dr. Schmitt is a man and should be big enough to realize that it is for the best interest of the child that he should be with his mother. If he can afford to pay \$50 or \$75 a month to a chef and matron he should be able to pay more for the care of the child."

#### THE OREGONIAN publishes practically all of the want ads printed in the other three Portland papers, in addition to thousands of exclusive advertisements not printed in any other local paper.

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Because we took over the 1920 surplus of the Santiam Woolen Mills of Stayton, Oregon, we can stage this extraordinary sale.

The blankets are characteristically "Oregon Made," first quality, thoroughly good and serviceable.

Nearly all are pure Oregon wool throughout, a few have part cotton warp, but in every instance the blankets are 75% or more wool. There are white and colored blankets in a variety of patterns and border effects. Single and double. Three-quarter and full lengths. Blankets for bed, outing, camp and beach use, suitable for automobile throws, etc.

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