

CHURCH ADVANCES PLANS FOR UNION

United Evangelical Conference Pledges Co-operation to Bring Result.

LARGE COLLEGE INDORSED

Presiding Elder in Address Warns Members That Moving-Picture Shows Are Becoming Competitor of Churches.

Federation at once and organic union with the Evangelical Association as soon as it can be brought about...

Co-operation Pledged: "We are glad to note that we are in full accord with the action of our commission on the question of federation and organic union of these two bodies..."

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL ORATORS DEFEAT LINCOLN PUPILS IN PORTLAND'S FIRST INTER-SCHOLASTIC DECLAMATION CONTEST.



Washington High School defeated Lincoln High School Friday night in the first interscholastic debate ever held in the city. The subject of debate was: "Resolved, that the general plan of government adopted by Des Moines should be adopted by the City of Portland."

HISTORIC CANE IS FOUND

MINISTER'S ATTACK ON MASONS IS RECALLED

Gift of Late Amory Holbrook Unearthed in Removing Shelving of Old Building.

A gold-mounted ebony cane, encased in a chamois skin covering and in almost as good condition as when presented to Amory Holbrook more than 33 years ago...

The inscription recalls an interesting bit of early history in Portland. According to George H. Himes, secretary of the State Historical Society, a Congregational minister had attacked Free Masonry from the pulpit and the bitter references coming from such a source created considerable ill feeling in the city.

SCHOOL PROBE TO BEGIN

COMMITTEE OF 50 READY TO HEAR COMPLAINTS.

Charges and Objections to Be Received and Referred to Various Subcommittees.

\$150 A MONTH FOR WIDOW

Allowance Made to Mrs. Meyers, Pending Settlement of Estate.

Until the estate of the late Joseph Meyers, involving more than \$100,000 above indebtedness, is finally settled in court, his widow will receive an allowance of \$150 a month...

Dentist Mellish Is Arrested.

F. C. Mellish, a dentist, was arrested yesterday by Constable Weinberger, on a charge of practicing his profession without a license.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends for the beautiful floral offerings and acts of kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement in the loss of a kind, loving husband and father.

NEW OREGON VIEWS TO BE MADE.

New views of the Oregon Trunk country will be presented to the public through the medium of advertising matter now in course of preparation...

New York Society to Meet.

The New York State Society of Oregon will hold its regular monthly meeting next Tuesday evening, at Christensen's hall, Eleventh and Yamhill streets.

Rescue Society to Hold Convention.

A three-day session of the Pacific Coast Rescue and Protective Society, in third annual convention, will be held at the People's Institute, Fourth and Burnside streets, beginning next Tuesday.

Workers of British Columbia, Washington, Oregon and California, will be taken up.

Among those who will take part in the programme are Dr. Jonah B. Wise, Judge L. R. Webster, Judge W. N. Gatens, W. G. McLaren and others. Delegates will be present from all Pacific Coast states.

Judiciary—L. E. Latourette, H. C. Platt, C. Ben Riesland.

Fiscal affairs—R. D. Merchant, J. R. Tomlinson, O. A. Hughes. Buildings—J. Albert Currey, O. M. Clark, L. S. Daus.

School supplies—W. C. North, William McKenna, B. C. Jones. The executive committee is composed of the chairman of each of the standing committees. The committee on complaints will meet each Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in room 211, lumbermen's building, Fifth and Stark streets.

FREE EXCURSION! This Sunday to ERROL HEIGHTS On the Cazadero Line Get Free Tickets at Our Office or from our Representative at corner First and Alder Streets

Have you ever been out to the southeast part of the city where the new Reed Institute is to be and where millions are to be expended in improvements in the near future? It is a beautiful trip out past the Golf Links and the Institute to Errol Heights. You will enjoy the ride, the magnificent view and the few hours spent in the open.

Cars Leave First and Alder St. At 9:45 A. M. At 10:45 A. M. At 11:45 A. M. At 12:45 P. M. At 1:45 P. M. At 2:45 P. M. At 3:45 P. M.

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"LATONIA ACRES" Illustration of a woman in a long dress and hat standing in a field with children and a dog. Text: Little Farms for City Men

Little Farms for City Men The richest of soil, all under cultivation, some of it having fruit trees and bearing berry bushes. Sold in Acre, Half-Acre and Quarter-Acre Tracts Make Your Own Terms of Payment THE SPANTON CO. Realty Operators 269 Oak St., Lewis Bldg.

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FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT, BI SHOP FOUKKE, OF HARRISBURG, PA.; REV. C. C. POLING, PRESIDING ELDER; REV. A. A. WINTER, ACTING PRESIDENT; BILLY LADD; REV. D. M. METZGER, OF DALLAS COLLEGE; REV. G. L. LOVELL, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF CONFERENCE; REV. C. P. GATES, STATISTICAL SECRETARY. SECOND ROW, REV. J. BOWERSOX, OKLEY GREEN CHURCH; M. J. BALLENTINE, TEACHER, DALLAS COLLEGE; REV. V. URBINO, REV. A. W. TRATS, REV. H. H. FARNHAM, REV. H. L. PRATT, REV. S. H. WOOD.