## GIPSY SMITH AND 8000 MEN MARCH THROUGH SAN FRANCISCO STREETS

Exhorter Draws Big Crowds to Meetings Last Sunday for First Time-Army of 27,800 Will Be Mobilized Next Summer, It Is Planned, at Klamath Falls, Oregon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—(Spe. own in San Francisco last Sunday. For the first time since the noted English evangelist has been conducting his meetings in San Francisco, there has been shown the needed anthusiasm. In the afternoon the Gypsy led a processton of 8000 men, nearly every man carrying a Bible in his hand, eight ing blocks. He addressed a meeting women at the West Side Christian butch immediately after the ending of the procession and then drove quickly to the Pavillon Rink where, for the first time since he has been in this city, he found the great building packed with humanity.

Marchers Carry Bibles. The great parade arranged by the evangelical churches of San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley started from Union Square at exactly 2 o'clock. At its head were three mounted police-men and following them was a band. The procession proper was headed by Henry J. McCoy, general secretary of the T. M. C. A., who acted as grand marshal. Beside him walked Gypsy

Smith and following came a score of clergymen and the thousands of earnest-faced men bearing Bibles. From Union Square, the procession assed down Stockton to Market street, proceeded up Market street to Gold-Gate avenue and thence to the Pavillon on Sutter street. All along the route, wherever try, or shows ognized, he was applauded and whenever he was applauded he waved his hand in invitation to those who clapped

er cheered to join the procession. Many hundreds did so along the route, possibly as many as 1000. For the entire distance the sidewalks were filled with interested spectators. These gave the procession quiet and re-spectful attention and only once or twice along the route did any remarks of a slurring nature reach those who followed the evangelist.

Klamath to See Army.

United States Government in time of peace, is to be assembled during the Summer months in maneuvers in the California state line. At the great en-campment will be all of the mobile troops of the Regular Army stationed on the Pacific Slope and numbering 7000 men and the organized militia of the Pacific Slope states—California the Pacific Slope states—California, Oregon, Washington, Utah, Colorado and Arizona—comprising a united force of 19,800 men. Cavalry, infantry, sig-nal corps and hospital corps will be at

News of the contemplated mobilization of troops, which will be much more extensive than that made at San Antonio last Summer, came out this week in Army circles. It became known that Brigadler-General Daniel Brush, commanding the department of this state, has reported on the Klamath

Strength to Be Shown.

What purpose the Government has for the mobilization of such a large body of troops, the local Army officers are not disposed to say, beyond ex-plaining the value of army maneuvers on a grand scale, but it has been known for some time past that the War De-partment has been desirous of making a show of armed force on the Pacific Coast, similar to that which was made last Summer along the Mexican border. Numerically the assembled troops in the field will constitute an Army divi-sion and will be under the command of Major-General Arthur Murray. For the purpose of mimic warfare the troops will be divided into a "red" and "blue" Army, each commanded by a Brigadier-General.

Congress passing an appropriation of \$1.250,000 needed to carry out the field work for the entire American Army in the United States and the state guards.

Ishi of Commercial Mind. Deer Creek Indian, is civilized, highly civilized. He has developed the com-mercial instinct until he has torn down all of the false idols of his people and Twenty-seven thousand soldiers, the largest army ever concentrated by the catablished in their stead as a thing style celebration is February 17.

of worship, the standard of currency. He has set a price on what he has to offer the public and he demands his

offer the public and he demands his price.

Those who are associated in the study of Ishi as the connecting link between what we are and what we used to be, were astonished yesterday when the aborigine refused to go on and do his turn" before the Sunday crowds at the museum of anthropology at the Affiliated Colleges until he had been paid in advance for the entertainment. He seems to know that he is the star attraction and he asks compensation accordingly. To Juan Dolores, of Arizona, the Indian assistant of Professor A. E. Kroeber, Ishi explains that he wants money to purchase food and clothes and pretty things. He has not learned that money has other uses and his keepers are apprehensive about results when he finds that he can buy firewater. firewater.

Chinese Celebrate New Year.

Huge lanterns glowed in the streets of the Chinese quarter last Sunday night, innumerable incense sticks lazily sent forth aromatic fumes at the shrines of several thousand ancestors in the family josshouses and the mer-chants and citizens of the celestial quarter relaxed in preparation for a delayed one-day celebration to mark the arrival of January 1, 1912—the first year in the new calendar adopted by

the republican government.

When the edict went forth from Nan-king, the capital of the new government, decreeing the abolition of the old Chinese system of reckoning time, the Chinese system of reckoning time, the Chinese world had properly celebrated the new year several days before. The adoption of the Julian calendar was effected too late to reach all Chinese peoples throughout the world and to remedy the defect, an order was issued designating January 15 as the day on which all modern Chinese shall cele-

brate the arrival of A. D. 1912.

This decision will in no way affect or interfere with the immemorial observance of the 10 days' fete that has

### PRESBYTERIANS IMPROVE CHURCH AT KENILWORTH

Enlarged Edifice Will Be Rededicated Today-First Christian Church Increases Salary of Pastor W. F. Reagor-Debt Is Decreased.

Presbyterian church, at East Thirty-fourth and Gladstone streets, will be rededicated today. The building has been remodeled and enlarged, at a cost of about \$2500. The dedication service was to have been held two weeks ago, but was postponed on account of the had weather.

The time for the service is 3 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. T. H. Walker will preach the dedicatory sermon. Rev. William Parsons and Charles N. Wonacott, of the Y. M. C. A. will also speak. A. E. Davidson, of New York City, will sing a baritone solo. Rev. M. C. Martin paster of the church.

The First Christian Church, at its setting last Sunday morning, decided to increase the salary of the pastor, W. F. Reagor, to \$2700. He has been receiving \$2400 a year. It was decided also to lift the debt on the church this year. It now amounts to \$5000. Next

year plans for enlargement will be car-ried out.

Mr. Reagor says that three years ago. year the receipts of the church have been \$5000, of which \$5000 was spent for current expenses, including the pastor's salary. The indebtedness was reduced during the year \$1500; \$400 was spent toward the expense of the Gipsy Smith movement, and \$1700 went to-ward improvements. The church also here its share of the expense of the National convention of the denomina-

Church trustees elected last Sunday were: H. M. Haller, O. O. Hall and M. B. Meacham; additional elders, C. M. Paul, A. E. Meserve, and J. F. Faust; additional deacons, Carl B. Brown, G. Evert Baker and D. E. Short.

Bishops Hughes, Meulsen and Smith of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who are now attending the parliament of home missions, at San Diego, will be in Portland February 4 and 5, to assist President Fletcher Homan in raising enough money to complete the endowment fund for Williamette University, President Homan returned late inst week from Meadville, Pa, where he attended the conference of college presidents, who meet annually. college presidents, who meet annually, Before they come to Portland the three bishops will go to Fresno, where they will attend the convention in the interest of conserving the moral forces of America. This will be held January 28 and 25. Speakers will be present from throughout the United States.

The clergy of the Episcopal Church will meet in conference with ten lay-men at Bishopcroft, Nineteenth and Elm streets. Tuesday night to consider the plan of starting a mission in Portland, similar to the People's Institute and Men's Resort now conducted by the Presbyterians.

Rev. John Mac Donald began his pastorate at the McMinnville Episcopal Church last Sunday.

J. Merle Davis, late of the Nagasaki, Japan, Y. M. C. A., but who is being sent out by the Portland association to have oversight of the Tokio Y. M. C. A., will speak at the First Congregational Church tonight on 'The Porward Movement in Japan."

Portland District League will hold a sub-district rally at the Astoria Methodist Church March 5 and 10. Members of the Portland cabinet will attend. Miss Mand Hepbarn, superintendent of the Portland Methodist Episcopal Deaconness Home will be the speaker, and will tell of the work the deaconnesses are doing in Portland, and of the plans for work for a deaconness nurse, who is to be supported in part by the Epworth

"The Big Brother Movement" was the subject of a talk by Dr. George Pratt at last Monday night's meeting of the Glad Hand Brotherhood of the Highland Congregational Church, E. T. Hatch spoke on "Impressions of a Trip to South America."

Last Wednesday afternoon Rev. E. Last Wednesday afternoon Rev. E. S. Bollinger was seen carefully using a needle in an effort to outline a hen with red thread on a plece of muslin. The occasion was the "Hen Party" of the Laides" Ald Society of Highland congregational Church. So well did Mr. Bollinger succeed that he was rewarded by the women with penny contributions amounting to 37 cents. The social was held at the home of Mrs. B. C. De Young, 554 Prescott street.

Guild of St. James English Lutheran Church were; Miss Alma Hayseth president; Miss Celeste Albin, vice-president; Miss Julia Brandes, secre-

tary; Miss Charlotte Scharpf, treas-The Sisterhood of the First Christian Church held a reception last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Meserve, 1014 East Stark street.

The Lutheran Theological Seminary conducted in the St. James English Lutheran Church by Professor P. W. H. Frederick, now has five students. It was opened last year under the au-spices of the Pacific Synod of the Lutheran Church. The mission board desires to move it to Seattle next year. and to erect a permanent building for it there. Those taking the four-year seminary course are entitled to credit at the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Chicago, or Mount Airy Seminary, Phil-

Herbert G. Crocker, of the Atkinson Memorial Congregational Church, will speak this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the auditorium of the Y. W. C. A. Next when he took charge of the church, it was \$3000 in debt. During the last year the receipts of the church have the receipts of the church it we will be receipted and the receipts of the church it we will be receipted and the receipts of the church. 6.70 Miss Jean Gray and Miss Maud Kenworthy will give travel talks on the Philippine Islands and India, il-lustrated with stereopticon views.

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Dr. Clarence True Wilson will ad- underwent a serious operation



dress the Methodist preachers' meeting at Taylor-street Methodist Episcopal Church, Third and Taylor streets, tomorrow morning on the theme, "Modern Reform Movement."

A joint meeting of the state and county executive boards of the Christian Endeavor societies was held at the Y. W. C. A. last Wednesday evening. Arrangements were made for a mass meeting of all societies to be held in the First Presbyterian Church, Tuesday, January 20, at 8:15 P. M. Dr. L. R. Dyott, of the First Congregational, and Dr. J. H. Boyd, of the First Presbyterian Church, will speak. The object of the meeting is to arouse enthusiasm for the state convention, to ject of the meeting is to arouse en-thusiasm for the state convention, to be held in the First Methodist Episco-pal Church, at Salem, February 3, 10 and 11. It is expected that 1000 will be present. Each society will be al-lowed to send six registered delegates to Salem, who will represent their re-spective churches and will participate afflicially in all business during the officially in all business during the convention. A much larger number is expected from the city churches. Final arrangements will be completed at an early date. There will be eight sersions and 40 speakers.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Taylor-

work. The club has a membership of 14 and meets twice a month.

Rev. T. S. Winey, pastor of the Waverleigh Heights Congregational Church, will begin a series of evangelistic serv-ices this evening in the new church, at Thirty-third and Elisworth streets Meetings will be held every evening. Saturday excepted, until further notice, and the people of that community are especially invited to attend them.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

W. J. O'Brien, of Camas, is at the

W. Pollak, of Albany, is registered at James Suskins, of Los Angeles, is at

the Cornelius.

Ed Kittle, a miller of Island City, is

D. L. Colvig, a Medford merchant, is at the Cornelius. H. H. Stutts, of Oakland, is regis-

T. H. Holmes, of Fallbridge, is regis.

tered at the Bowers. Mrs. R. Becker, of Hillsboro, is registered at the Oregon.

O. R. Davenport, a lumberman of Bull Run, is at the Perkins.

Henry F. Black, of Seattle, is registered at the Perkins. B. C. Koeple, of Walla Walla, is reg-

istered at the Cornelius.

W. J. Church, Mayor of La Grande, is registered at the Oregon, Mrs. G. E. Burke (Annie Munk), who

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Officers elected at last Monday night's meeting of the Young Ladies' Aid Society of Taylor-street Methodists Church have invited the Ladies' Aid Society of all the Knights of Pythias building at Eleventh and Aider streets, January 27. The following officers were institutions amounting to 37 cents. The social was held at the home of Mrs. H. C. De Young, 354 Prescott street.

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# The Last Call—Come Tomorrow

Two weeks ago we announced and inaugurated our 24th Semi-Annual Clearance Sale. All announcements of Eilers Music House heretofore have been eagerly responded to by piano buyers, and this was no exception. Prices on high-grade pianos and player pianos were made lower than ever before. The consequence has been that never before in the history of this big music house have so many instruments been disposed of in so short a time, and the many excellent bargains still remaining will be positively sold tomorrow—the last day of this noteworthy sale. This announcement is fair warning that after Monday the opportunity now before piano buyers will be gone. Space will not permit or is it necessary to describe the remaining instruments; sufficient to say that at the low prices and easy terms on standard instruments, both new and used, the remaining stock will be soon picked up by shrewd buyers. So come tomorrow, and come as early as possible, as the opportunity may not come soon again that makes it possible for even the humblest home in Portland to possess an excellent piano. Remember, all pianos are in good condition, no matter how low the price. Also twenty-five dollars' worth of music rolls free with all second-hand Autopianos, Pianola Pianos and other player pianos. Remember, also, that most of these pianos can be had on payments of \$1 a week and the best kinds at \$6 and \$8 a month, if you are not prepared to pay all cash. Ask to see the following:

\$350 Bachman & Son, now. \$160 \$350 Behr Bros., oak, now. . \$165 \$975 Chickering Grand, now \$550 \$400 Decker, now ......\$175

\$700 Autopiano, old style...\$285 \$400 Hallet & Davis, now...\$200 \$300 Ludwig, now.......\$198 \$800 Hallet & Davis Grand, \$250 \$425 Marshall & Wendall ... \$210 \$350 Fischer, now .......\$125 \$500 Mason & Hamlin, now \$155 \$450 Hardman, now ....... \$240 \$225 Newman Bros., now ... \$120 \$250 Harrington .......\$ 95 \$500 Weber, new, now .....\$285 \$560 Kimball, now ......\$265









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Vincent's Hospital last Monday, is re-

Frank G. Will, a jeweler of Canby,

is registered at the Carlton.

is registered at the Portland. Dr. Henry P. Gilbert, of Forest Grove

is registered at the Portland W. S. Applegate, a Raymond railroad man, is registered at the Carlton, J. S. Prahl, a lumberman at the Carlton, accompanied by

Mrs. Prahl. Phil Metschan, Sr., will leave this evening for Monterey, Cal., where he

will join his wife and pass the remainder of the Winter. A. G. Jackson, a lumberman of Berlin, is at the Carlton, accompanied by

Mrs. Jackson. A. C. Dixon, manager of the Booth Kelly Lumber Company, at Eugene, is at the Imperial. H. E. Booth, United States Attorney for the district of Utah, is in the city

on private business. Michael O'Brien left for Los Angeles last night, where he and Mrs. O'Brien will pass the Winter.

Frank Patton, cashler of the Astoria

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 .- (Special.)-The

following from Oregon are registered at Chicago hotels: From Portland-At the Congress, E. From Portland—At the Congress, E. M. Cousin; at the La Salle, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Neble, F. M. Lemonn.

From Eugene—At the La Salle, J. E. make their home in Clarkston, Wash, after 2 short honeymoon trip to the

From The Dalles-At the Majestic, Coast. ames M. Fleming.

Lewiston Banker Marries. LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 20 .- (Spe-

Savings Bank, is at the Portland, ac- cial.)-Announcements were made today of the marriage Wednesday evening of J. M. Bonner, assistant cashier of the Lewiston National Bank, to Miss Genevieve Vollmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Vollmer. Mrs. Bonner's father is reputed to be the richest man

