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SISTERS OF ISRAEL BENEVOLENT SOCIETY ELECT.—At the annual meeting of the Sisters of Israel Benevolent Society Wednesday the following were elected to office: Mrs. A. Fishman, president; Mrs. L. Sweet, vice-president; Mrs. George Rubenstein, secretary; Mrs. H. Goldstein, treasurer; and the following trustees were elected: Mrs. James H. Abrahamson, John Dellar, D. Nemersovsky, N. Mosseshaon and M. Ostrow.

ALTA SOCIETY ELECT.—Ladies of the Altar Society of the St. Mary's Parish, have elected the following officers for the year: President, Mrs. J. P. Kirby; vice-president, Mrs. G. Casimir; secretary, Mrs. Power; treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Smith. The first event in the new year will be held on the evening of January 13.

THURSDAY SOCIETY, 735 Morgan bldg., Sunday at 8; talk by Mrs. Alice Weiser, on "Practical Psychology."—Adv.

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"GOLD OF SOLOMON" TOPIC Florence Crawford to Begin Lecture Series at Hotel Benson Today.

In the Tyrolean room of the Hotel Benson this afternoon at 2 o'clock Florence Crawford will give the first of a series of eight lectures on wealth.

ATTRACTION VISITOR FROM THE DALLES IS ENTERTAINED IN PORTLAND. Miss Ruby Cue, daughter of Henry Cue, publisher of The Dalles Optimist, has been visiting in Portland for the holiday season and has been entertained at numerous dinners, luncheons and theater parties. She was the guest of Miss Jessie Zachary, formerly of The Dalles, now residing at 220 Weld street.

THE TOPIC IS TO BE "THE GOLD OF SOLOMON" and will be a study of those ideas constituting the inner wisdom which attracts riches. Mrs. Elizabeth Bond will speak, accompanied by Mrs. Grace Stratton.

SECRETARY WILL SPEAK J. W. Palmer to Be Aided in Y. M. C. A. Services by Vested Choir.

James W. Palmer, a Young Men's Christian Association secretary, soon to leave for California to take up evangelistic work, will speak at the 3:15 meeting today on "A Job for 1915."

Forty girls from the vested choir of the Anabel Presbyterian Church under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Tripp will have charge of the musical features of the program.

MEMBERS OF THE TECHNICAL CLUB OF JEFFERSON HIGH SCHOOL MAKE MERRY AT SEMI-ANNUAL HIGH JINKS.



The semi-yearly high jinks of the Technical Club of Jefferson High School was enjoyed recently with an interesting programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental selections by Professor Hopkin Jenkins, Miss Lillian Bowen and Halfred Young.

GUARD CHANGE AIM

Captain F. P. Tibbetts Writes Views to Mr. Gardner.

BETTER TRAINING IS URGED Oregon Man Suggests Paying Militia and Selection of Two High Officers for Each Regiment From Regular Army.

Nationalization of the country as the effective second line of defense is advocated in a letter just mailed by Captain Frank P. Tibbetts, Captain of the Oregon National Guard, to Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, an old friend, who wrote him asking for suggestions at the time the recent military agitation came up in Congress.

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DON'T FORGET That we will make you a suit for \$10 down and balance \$5 a month. Unique and comfortable clothing, 309 Stark, between 5th and 6th.—Adv.

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ELECTION IS PROTESTED GOVERNOR ASKED TO ORDER MILITARY COURT OF INQUIRY. Actions of Major L. A. Bowman When Company F Chose Captain Libbey Basis for Charge.

Charges of irregularity in connection with the recent election of Captain Libbey of F Company, Third Regiment, Oregon National Guard, are now on file with Governor West, and with them is a defense of the election signed by members of another faction of the National Guard.

Charging that the recent election was unfair, due to the actions of Major L. A. Bowman, Sergeant Donald M. Taylor has asked for a court of inquiry. The defense is signed by 22 members of the company, in which they say that the election was satisfactory in every way; that no statements which Major Bowman may have made in any way influenced the election.

Students Coached for Play. Ellen Jackson and John Clemenson are taking leading parts in the play, "The American Citizen," to be given by the February, 1915, class of Washington High School, on January 15 and 16 in the school auditorium. The cast is being coached by Francis D. Curtis, former coach at Eugene, and includes Ellen Jackson, John Clemenson, Ruth Williams, Carol Day, Marie Kohn, Winifred Joyce, Julian Marshall, Markie Loughlin, Gustav Voigt, Laura Moore, Charles Stoltz, George Cook and Waldo Grenfell.

SHERIDAN MILL RESUMES Damage Done by Frost Is Repaired and Crews Are Busy.

SHERIDAN, Or., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The Sheridan Timber Company has resumed operations after a forced shutdown of two weeks, due to the cold snap. The pond at the upper mill, ten miles above Sheridan, froze, tying up the logs, and all the logging camp help and mill hands in Sheridan were laid off. A portion of the company's big flume was broken by ice, but this has been repaired.

CARD OF THANKS. I wish to extend thanks to the many friends for their kindness during the illness and death of my cousin, E. Henry Wenne, also for the many beautiful floral offerings. ADV. KARI, ADLER.

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