## IDA TARBELL HIGHLY INTERESTED GUEST

Famous Writer Keenly Alert to All Things and Her Hosts Are Charmed.

SEVERAL FRIENDS ARE MET

Trip Up Highway Is Prevented by Storm, but Finley Moving Pictures Bring Scenery to Visitor-Feast Is Jolly.

BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES. Intensely interesting, because intense ly human in heart and mind, is Ida M. Tarbell, writer, editor, lecturer and woman of unusually fine attainments,

who was Portland's guest yesterday.

Polse, good nature and a sweet dignity are attributes possessed by Miss Tarbell. The adoration of the public and all her many successes have not in the least turned her head. She impresses one as a hard worker keen on presses one as a hard worker, keep the alert and with her heart in all she

the alert and with her heart in all she does.

In the early morning Dr. and Mrs. William Wallace Youngson met Miss Tarbell at the depot and escorted her to the Multnomah, where every comfort had been planned for her. A breakfast in her honor with a few educators and local writers as additional guests was given by Dr. and Mrs. Youngson. It was one of the joillest affairs imaginable. One of the guests was Mrs. T. C. Kurtz, a friend of Miss Tarbell when they were students at Allegheny College. It was "Louise' and "Ida" and "do you remember this and that in Titusville and Reedville?"

Wit and Wisdom Prevail.

Wit and Wisdom Prevail. Then Dr. David Starr Jordan would chip in and recall the time when Miss Tarbell visited Stanford, and Miss Florence Read told the honor guest about Reed College, and Jacob Kanzler waxed eloquent about Portland and the highway and our scenery. Wit and wisdom flew around the board, but we all watched the snow storm out of the

watched the snow storm out of the corners of our eyes.

About the time that everyone had decided, but none had admitted aloud, that the trip out the highway could not be made there came the message from J. B. Yeon confirming the unspoken verdict that Miss Tarbell could not go to the highway. Dr. Youngson and H. L. Pittock, loyal Portlanders but former Pennsylvanians, had planned the trip for her, but the untimely, unruly snow-flakes had upset everything.

William Finley came to the rescue. He offered to bring the highway to Miss Tarbell. And so he did. After she graciously had given several interviews and had posed for the camera men, Miss Tarbell was escorted by her hosts and friends to the Mutual Film Company's office, where a private viewing of the highway, salmon hatchery and Mount Hood and Yellowstone scenery was held.

Miss Tarbell was thrilled She who is DR. JORDAN ALSO SPEAKS

scenery was held.

Miss Tarbell was thrilled. She who is always in command of the best in form of expression declared she could not find words to tell of her admiration of the pictures and she is now determined to come back to Oregon and see it all in the Summer time.

Tariff Commission Too Confining. In the course of the chat with various friends Miss Tarbell touched on many subjects—and all so diversified. Of her refusal to serve on the Tariff Commis

sion she said:
"I felt that I would not do it because the work is very confining. It would publicist; Dr. David Starr Jordan, not be fair to the President or to my-self to accept. If I went into it I would peace, and Edmund Vance Cook, auro heart and soul in the work as is

who is truly great. She even likes re-Miss Tarbell is profoundly interested in the timber and the lumber industries of the Northwest. It is her first visit here, and the big trees and big lumber mills have captured her heart and her

ester Hogue dropped in for a few minutes and she asked him a score of questions about timber.

Apple Orchard Is Owned.

Miss Tarbell has an apple orchard at North Yakima, which she says makes her belong to the West. She bought it just as one might mining stock, but since her visit here she says "It is a link that binds her to this big, out-of-

Her sister, Sarah, has a studio on a farm in Connecticut and the two pass many happy days together. This is another of Miss Tarbell's possessions. But in Titusville, Pa., there is the dearest person of all, a little mother, getting pretty old now, but still interested in all her daughter's activities. Mrs. Joseph Tannier came in from her ranch to see her friend, Ida Tarbell. Mrs. Tannier was one of the Chases, of Titusville. It was a happy required with

Employment bureaus, seasonal oc-cupations, labor conditions were dis-cussed with N. F. Johnson, of the free employment bureau. What Miss Tar-bell didn't ask about wasn't worth asking. She is interested in every phase of life and industry. of life and industry.

And what is she like? Miss Harbell is

tail and rather slender, graceful, at-tractive in personality. Her hair is tinged with gray and her eyes dance merriment or flash with keen in-

SCENIC LECTURE PLEASES Fred H. Kiser Shows Views Before Oregon Camera Club.

The illustrated lecture on Northwest scenery given by Fred H. Kiser at the housewarming entertainment of the Oregon Camera Club, Tuesday evening of last week, met with favor. Mr. Kiser at the gave a short talk on amateur photography, and told how, several years ago, he had learned the rudiments of picture-making in the Oregon Camera Club as a member.

"We cannot shirk the fact that our industries at present, by and large, are not upon a democratic basis."

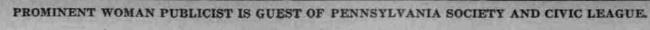
Miss Tarbell, however, pointed out as a hopeful sign in the industrial field the growing tendency on the part of employers to take their workmen into their confidence and to make them participants in the business.

She expressed her belief that scientific evolution and not revolution will

Club as a member.

Lantern slides, all of which were hand-colored by Mr. Kiser, comprising United States.

Chamble Highway scenes along the Columbia Highway, in Glacier National Park, Rainier National Park, etc., as well as a large collection of flowers, delighted the spectators for an hour and three-





Missida M. Tarbell

DR. JORDAN ALSO SPEAKS

His Poems Before Gathering of Many Clubs-Hopeful Signs

is not my profession. Journalism is my regular work."

When asked if she had ever been "just a common reporter," Miss Tarbell said: "That's what I hope I am—just a common reporter, for they are the people who see what is going on and know a story and are able to tell it."

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man the luncheon was given.

Miss Tarbell's address was the chief feature of the day, and in it she touched very definitely upon some of the day and the chief feature of the day are the country to be the country of the chief touched very definitely upon some of the chief touched very definitely upon some of the chief touched very definitely upon the chief touched very definitely upon the chief touched very definitely upon the chief to the chief touched very definitely upon the chief touched the chief touched the chief to the chief touched the chief to the ch the industrial problems that exist in Oregon. seems incongruous," she said.

"that Oregon should have any indus-trial problem; a state so abundantly in oportunities and potentia wealth. But I have come to know of it even in my brief visit here.

Danger Seen in Seasonal Labor. Pennsylvania, my native state, was equally rich in promise and opportunity, and it has reaped a most terrible crop of industrial troubles. It seems to me that it is up to the Pennsylvanians who have come to Oregon to live-and almost feel that Oregon is lated by Pennsylvanians from the number I have met this morning—to prevent the same things from happen-

ing here that happened to us in Penn-

sylvania. "It seems to me that seasonal labor is the danger here. I do not believe that it is possible to have a healthy industrial life in a state where there Tannier was one of the Chases, of Titusville. It was a happy reunion, with ployed only a part of the year. The a chart about the old-time friends, logical result of seasonal employment every one called by his first name.

that you want in your social life. Stable Industries Are Need. "Chambers of Commerce and far-sighted leaders in communities are awakening to the fact that it is folly to invite to their community industries that are unsubstantial or are based upon methods which work inconvenlence in the long run upon the em-

The tendency at present is to build in the community only industries that are stable and tend to produce a steady and substantial industrial organization.

Hope Given to Workers.

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"Scientific management goes on the theory that there is no such a thing as unskilled labor: that there is a best way in which every task, no matter how at Turn Hall. Fourth and Yamhill streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission is free to the dignity of skilled labor and the streets. best way. It takes unskilled labor and lifts it to the dignity of skilled labor.

and restores in the workman the proper pride in his work.

"In so many of our industries there are innumerable lines of work that tend to become mechanical and monotonous. They become blind alleys in which the workers find themselves trapped with no hope of working out to higher or better lines of endeavor.

"Scientific organization of industries alms to open these blind alleys and to give some hope to the workers.

"We cannot claim that we have anything like an industrial democracy where workers have no share in the enterprise except the daily wage that is paid them.

Profit-Sharing Idea Spreads.

Her recent trip through several states and declared that in this trip she had for the first time received the true conception of the spirit of the Nation as a whole.

W. W. Youngson, chairman of the day, introduced Dr. Jordan, who gave a short talk, and then called upon Edmund Vance Cooke, who read one of his poems, and was greeted with a burst of appliance that continued for many minutes.

The poem he read was from his book, "The Uncommon Commoner, and Similar Songs of Democracy," copyrighted, 1913, and published by the bodge Company, of New York.

Poem Is Read by Author.

Profit-Sharing Idea Spreads.

"More and more are industries adopting the plan of sharing the stock in the business with the employes, and more and more the employes are commore and more the employes are coming to a feeling of part ownership in the businesses that tend to produce better co-operation and more hope for

Noticed by Woman.

| workings of the plant tories that she had studied, where the relike its winter-was tories to whom I send this greating forth-was to Miss Tarbell described the definite is workings of the plan in several factories that she had studied, where they

not be fair to the President or to myself to accept. If I went into it I would go heart and soul in the work, as is the only decent way to do. I cannot now give the time to do it right. And, although I am vastly interested, that luncheon of the Civic League at the although I am vastly interested, that will interested that luncheon of the Civic League at the studied, who said the policy is not to make a few millionaires, but to make thousands of happy and prosperous

lants. Now they are coming to ecognize that the industrial employer plants. has the same responsibility to keep the men at work in times of depression that the banker has to keep his bank open in times of financial panic. This is becoming the prevailing attitude of business men and is one of the big hopeful signs of the future."

In closing Miss Tarbell touched upon

POPULAR ACTRESS IS VISIT-ING IN PORTLAND.



An interesting guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, of Overlook Addition, is Miss Marguerite McNuity, one of the best-known younger actresses of the Pacific Coast. Miss McNuity appeared last season in "The Loliard" in support of Marriett Malette, and this season she has been appearing with distinction as ingenue with the Wilkes stock in Seattle and Vancouver,

Miss McNulty, who is not quite 18, is the only daughter of F. T. Bourgeois, recently of 313 East Thirty-third street, who, with Mr. Bourgeois, has now moved to New Orleans. Miss McNulty has posed for posters for Harrison Fisher, Christy and Charles Dana Gibson, and her smiling face has been reproduced often in magazines and newspapers. She will remain in Portland for a fortnight as the guest of Mrs. Haves after which she of Mrs. Hayes, after which she goes to New York to join Miss Malotte in her new Orpheum sketch. Ancien McNulty, a brother of Miss McNulty, is appearing in stock in Salt Lake City.

Poem Is Read by Author. The poem follows:

EACH FOR ALL. EACH FOR ALL.

I like the North. I like its stress
Which makes for strength and sturdines
I like its seasons, marked and clear,
Which hymn the prograss of the year;
Its childlike Spring, which gently wakes,
Its Summer, watched by clear-eyed lakes,
Its Autumn, with its crimson flood.
Its Winter's challenge to the blood.
I like its Winter-weathered oaks,
I like its Winter-weathered folks,
To whom I send this greeting forth—

were.

I like its old historic sites,
I like its ever-new delights,
Its older custom and its air
Of comme it faut and savoir faire.
I like its cities, where the tide
Of human life runs deep and wide
Here sits, as at a contant feast,
The polished, poised and memoried East.

stress, when orders fell off, took the takes its ample time to live. It takes its ample time to live. It is gentleness of the ecognize that the same to coming to the same that the same time to live. I like its people, and their charm of easy welcome, wide and warm. Warm as love's kises on the mouth The South, the loyal, loving South!

I like the West, which seems to keep The all-out-doorness in its sweep. I like the West, which seems to keep
The all-out-doorness in its sweep,
It greets the gray of every dawn
Then turns, and forges further on.
Large is its thought, and large its view,
It proves the old, it tries the new,
It thrives on wheat or thrives on chaff,
It takes its fallures with a laugh,
Renews its strength to try them later,
Succeeds, and turns to something greater.
O, staunch of heart, O, broad of breast,
I like the West, the big, bold West!

The North, the South, the West, the East, No one the most, and none the least, Eut each with its own heart and mind, Each of its own distinctive kind, Yet each a part, and none the whole, But all together form one soul: That soul our country at its best, No North, no Bouth, no East, no West, No yours, no mine, but only ours, Merged in one power our lesser powers, For no one's favor, great or small, But all for each and each for all!

Pive hundred persons participated in the luncheon and about 200 more came and took standing room to hear the address afterward. Miss Tarbell will speak at the ves-per services at Reed College chapel at 4 o'clock today.

#### FOUNDERS' DAY OBSERVED Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity Members

The annual Founders' Day banquet of the Oregon alumni members of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity was held Febru-

Elect New Officers.

The annual election of officers took place at this meeting. Carlos C. Close was elected president; H. Gerard Effinger, vice-president, and Thaddeus Veness, secretary and treasurer Several social events of interest to all Oregon Phi Psis was was determined upon, including one or more social dances at the Irvington Club, as well as an informal family picnic in the

Among those present were: Carlos C. Close, H. Gerard Effinger, Rev. D. D. Youngson, Douglas R. Tate, Stanley Myers, Thaddeus W. Veness, Robert C. Fiske, J. A. Rockwood, L. G. McGaw, Fuller Combs, Barge E. Leonard, A. B. Winfree and H. A. Askwith. Greetings were read from absent members, including Professors W. J. Gilmore and E. T. Reed, of Oregon Agricultural T. Reed, of Oregon Agricultural

### WOMEN LEAD IN RELIEF

Reed Men Far Behind in Pledges for Prison Camp Work.

W. M. Tinker, a representative of the International Y. M. C. A., spoke before the students of Reed College last week made a plea for support of the work

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leviate the suffering of the prisoners.

Mr. Tinker also met the men and women students at private conferences where officers were elected to carry on a subscription campaign. The women students immediately pledged \$\$115.75 and the men \$35.

\$115.75 and the men \$35. Gunther Krause was elected chair-man of the committee which is to solicit further contributions among the of College Offerings. men and George Brown, secretary. Elenor Ewing was elected chairman by the women and Frances Greenberg,

Western Willamette Valley School Members to Gather at Monmouth.

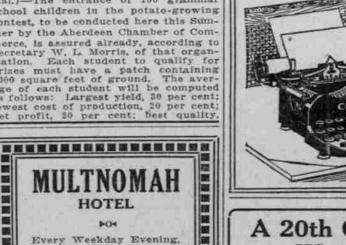
OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Mon outh, Or., Feb. 24,-(Special.)-The Y. W. C. A. conference of the Western Williamette Valley schools, will be held here from next Monday until Wednesday. The schools to be represented are: Reed College, Portland; Pacific university, Forest Grove: Pacific College, Newberg; McMinnville College, McMinnville: Oregon Normal School, and many high schools that have Y. W. C. A. organizations.

The programme for the conference includes lectures by Miss Farnum, dean

of women at Pacific College; Professor Isabelle Grover, of McMinnville Col; lege; Miss Elizabeth Cox, dean of lege; Miss Elizabeth Cox, dean of women at the University of Oregon; Miss Jessica Todd, dean of women at the Oregon Normal School, and Miss Bessie Owens, of Dallas High School.

Potato Contest Popular.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The entrance of 150 grammar school children in the potato-growing contest, to be conducted here this Summer by the Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce, is assured already, according to Secretary W. L. Morris, of that organ-ization. Each student to qualify for prizes must have a patch containing \$600 square feet of ground. The aver-age of each student will be computed as follows: Largest yield, 30 per cent; lowest cost of production, 20 per cent; net profit, 20 per cent; best quality.



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Two plays, one of them a dramatiza-Y. W. C. A. MEET SCHEDULED

Two plays, one of them a dramatization by a Reed College student, will be produced by the freed College Drama Club on the evening of March 23. The first play will be "Joint Owners in Spain," by Alice Brown, Professor Susan A. Bacon will direct it and Elizabeth Haverly will act as stage man.

h Haverly will act as stage man-The second play will be a dramatization of Hardy's short story, "The Three strangers," by Edward Boyrfe, a Reed College senior. Professor Harold Guy Merriam will direct Mr. Boyrlo's play and the young dramatist himself will act as stage manager.

The plays will be produced in the social hall of the men's dormitory and



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NEW YORK N. Y.—Mr. J. C. B. Wait hall, an oil and gas millionaire from Oklahoma, stopping at a well-known hostelry, states in an interview how his life and happiness was saved by reading the following prescription in his paper. He is quoted as saying: "Strange how a little incident changed my entire life. Wealth came to me after years of toil, and naturally as most men I abused its privileges until I became a nervous wreck, with throbbing brain, aches and pains, loss of appetite, engergy and ambition. In fact life seemed not worth living. Hope was dead and pleasure had fied. Then I read a prescription for just such ailment as beset me. My druggist filled it for me. Improvement followed improvement and I continued its use until hale and hearty once more. Judicious living has kept me strong, stronger than before. I kept the prescription and want it published to help others. Here it is: One oz. each of tincture of cadomene compound, compound fluid balmwort, compound essence cardiol and three ounces compound syrup sarsaparilla, mix together, shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at bedtime. My what vim it gives only one such as I can ever realize.

NOTE—Local druggists and physicians commond highly the peculiar virtues of this prescription and any good druggist can fill it.