

## 2 NOTED SPEAKERS TO LECTURE HERE

Sir Gilbert Parker and E. A. Powell Coming.

### EACH KNOWN AS WRITER

Englishman Novelist and American Correspondent in Several Wars.

Two distinguished lecturers are to visit Portland within the next future, one being Sir Gilbert Parker, author of "The Right of Way" and other famous novels of world-wide circulation. The other is Major E. Alexander Powell, veteran war correspondent and author of "Asia at the Crossroads."

The latter will be the first to make his appearance. He is booked to speak at the Portland Lyceum course at the Lincoln high school auditorium the night of October 25. The Portland lecture of Major Powell is one of the number he is making on a tour of western states. Major Powell has seen years of service on the fighting lines in many foreign wars and during the world war he served with distinction as a combatant.

**Books to Be Discussed.** Sir Gilbert Parker's lecture will deal with books. It is fittingly named "Books and the Man." The internationally known author is also widely known as a publicist and statesman. He is a member of the English parliament.

He is in America on a trans-continental tour under the auspices of the International Lyceum and Chautauque association and is scheduled to speak in 11 cities of the United States. Portland will hear the notable the night of November 2, when he will appear at the Hellig theater. One of the objects of the lecture tour is to strengthen the friendship between England and the United States.

Sir Gilbert Parker is perhaps best known as the author of "The Right of Way," although his novels all of them popular with the reading public, run into the round dozens in number. His latest book, "Carman's Polly" is just off the press and is proving one of the literary sensations of the fall.

**Political Life Important.** Sir Gilbert is also a prominent figure in English and in world politics. He has been a member of parliament for many years and has also figured largely on special commissions and important embassies during the war, and he bears a definite message to America. He is said to be as clever a speaker as he is a writer.

His lecture will be filled with bits of wit, humor and pathos that will have a wide appeal. A view of the stupendous events that are now taking place in England the speaker will undoubtedly have some illuminating views to impart to America. Although he has made his home in England for many years, Sir Gilbert is by birth a Canadian, and received his education at Trinity college in Toronto. Following his graduation he spent a number of years traveling in the east, in Europe, Asia, Egypt and the South Sea Islands. Later he organized an expedition into the wilds of northern Canada. All of this time he was writing and gathering a fund of first-hand knowledge for his novels which were to follow. It was his public career in 1900, when he was elected to parliament from Garveret, serving in that capacity until 1918. For two and a half years during the war he had charge of American publicity, and is now a member of the government overseas committee.

His Portland appearance will be under the auspices of Ellison-White.

**Powell in Near East.** Major Powell has lately returned from an extensive tour of investigation throughout Anatolia, Syria, Palestine, northern Arabia and, indeed, all the lands where the name of Mustafa Kemal today is a byword, on the one hand of devotion, on the other of terror.

He said just after his return to America: "The only solution of the near eastern question which, in my opinion, can give any guarantee of lasting peace is that troubled region is the liquidation of the Dardanelles under a mixed commission on which such nations as Spain, Holland, Norway and Sweden are represented; the cession to Jugo-Slavia of Salonika, which is that country's logical outlet on the Aegean; the granting to Bulgaria of a much-needed outlet on the Aegean; the formation of a buffer state between the southern frontier of Bulgaria and the Enos-Midia line, and the restoration to Turkey of the territory up to that line (territory inhabited by the overwhelming Moslem population); and the undisputed retention by the Turks of an unfortified Constantinople and of the whole of Anatolia, which is their homeland."

**His Is Denied.**

"I am not at this moment dominantly pro-Turk or dominantly pro-Greek—dominantly in favor of anything save a settlement of the whole wretched business before it is too late to settle any part of it. This plea for peaceful settlement comes from a man who ran away from college to join the British forces fighting in Africa and whose life ever since has been chiefly spent on the fighting lines as correspondent in many wars and as active combatant in the American expeditionary force service in France, where he won with distinction his rank of major."

**BEACH HOTEL TO CLOSE**

Hostelry at Seaside to Shut Up on November 1.

The Seaside hotel will be closed from November 1 until April 1, it was announced yesterday by Gilbert O. Madison, manager. In previous years it has been the custom to keep the hotel open during the winter, but Mr. Madison said the expense connected with running the place during the dull season made such action prohibitive, and the hotel will go into the hands of a caretaker the first of the month.

**Fire Does \$2000 Damage.**

Damage estimated at between \$2000 and \$3000 resulted from a blaze in the blacksmith shop of the Pacific Car & Foundry company, 218 East Sixth street North, early Saturday morning. Half of the one-story brick building, which housed the shop, was gutted and machinery valued at perhaps half the total loss destroyed. The fire was believed to have started from an overheated furnace.

**Train Hits Wood Wagon.**

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 21.—(Special.)—John Crown, aged 16, sustained a leg fracture and head cuts this morning when a wood wagon struck by a Northern Pacific train in this city. Two other boys in the wagon escaped by jumping. Wood was thrown a distance of several hundred feet. The team, uninjured, ran away. Crown was taken to a local hospital.

**375 Scholarship Offered.**

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 21.—(Special.)—R. G. Fowler, Lewis county agent, announced today that

## 180,000 DIGGERS KILLED

\$90,000 IS SAVED FARMERS OF LANE COUNTY.

6000 Pounds of Poisoned Barley Used As Rodent Control Under Agriculturalist.

### COP WHIPS TWO PUGS

Drunk and Disorderly Fighters Are Put Under Arrest.

B. G. Smith is a policeman. Billy Ryan and "Oakland Jimmie" Lewis are prizefighters. Both are good in their line. Smith would probably last not more than a minute in the ring with either one. But law enforcement, not prizefighting, is Smith's business, and when Lewis and Ryan broke the law Friday night Smith went through his tricks. At Broadway and Washington the policeman found the two drunk and noisy and in mean humor. They resisted arrest. Followed ten minutes, at the end of which Smith an-

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Sir Gilbert Parker Major E. Alexander Powell

appeared at the police station at Second and Oak streets with the two fighters in tow. Smith says he felt relief gaped, for Smith is the smallest man on the force. Ryan is to fight at a Woodmen of the World smoker Friday night. Smith says he's going up to take a few lessons in the many art of self-defense.

### LUMBER PROPERTY SOLD

Saddle Mountain Logging Company Changes Hands.

Properties of the Saddle Mountain Logging company, including a stand of 200,000,000 feet of timber and about 25 miles of logging railroad, were taken over yesterday by the Eastern & Western Lumber company of this city on an option which the local company has held since last summer.

The amount involved in the transaction was not given out. However, part of it was said to be an assumption of obligations due Portland banks from Max H. Houser, who had controlling interest in the properties.

### KLAMATH FALLS IS HOST

San Francisco Business Men Seek to Extend Retail Trade.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 21.—(Special.)—A delegation of San Francisco business men, seeking to extend the retail trade area of San Francisco, arrived on a special train this afternoon for a 25-hour visit with Klamath Falls business men.

The visitors are here at the invitation of the chamber of commerce and are being entertained by the chamber and the merchants' bureau. They visited the local stores tonight until closing time and then held an informal smoker, at which speeches were made by members of the caravan.

### ELECTIONS and HORSE RACES

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This outfit consists of a two-inch continuous post Simmons Bed, guaranteed all-steel spring and a 4-pouge cotton felt mattress. \$27.75

### Gadsbys' Sell for Less

Solid Oak Rocker \$7.85

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54-inch Buffet, \$84.50  
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as illustrated, \$162.50

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Night Table, \$8.50  
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Large Dresser, \$24.50  
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Night Table, \$8.50

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A range with abundant capacity that takes up but little room in the kitchen.

Broiler closet can be converted into another Gas Baking Oven in a jiffy.

Gas valves are handy, but out of the way and not accidentally turned off or on.

Gas kindler in fire box starts the coal fire in a jiffy.

Gas oven and broiler just the right height and extends far enough forward to eliminate reaching.

Gas and coal sections entirely independent of each other—both can be used at the same time.

Cooking burner in broiler is great for boiling cabbage, onions, etc. Odor goes up flue.

Gas oven and broiler vent connects into smoke pipe back of range out of sight.

White porcelain pan under cooking burners easily removed and cleaned.

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5x12 Tapestry Rugs, \$32.00  
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