

# Club Activities BY VELLA WINNER



Mrs. W. A. Laidlaw, retiring chairman of the Social Service committee of the Portland Parent-Teacher association, who gave her annual report at the Congress of Mothers' luncheon yesterday.

**Congress of Mothers Luncheon.**  
Covers were laid for 250 in the crystal room of the Hotel Benson yesterday, the occasion being the luncheon given by the Portland Parent-Teacher associations as a fitting close to the most successful convention ever held by the Oregon Congress of Mothers. The session throughout has been characterized by a strict adherence to the scheduled program, parliamentary rule, dignity and businesslike management prevailing, and the luncheon yesterday closed the three days' convention which brought to the city delegates from a score or more of the smaller towns, which, with the Portland delegates, brought the attendance up into the hundreds at each session.

The luncheon yesterday was prefaced by a double vocal number by Mrs. Fred L. Olson, who sang with rare sweetness and charm "Mighty Lak" a "Rose" (Carrie Jacob's Bond). Mrs. Olson was accompanied by Miss Claire Oakes and violin obligatos were played by D. P. Naason.

L. R. Alderman, city superintendent of schools, was the first speaker. He dwelt upon the effort being made to fit the school to the need of the community, and the need of the individual child. He mentioned the introduction of the foreign languages into the night schools, there now being an enrollment of 5000. The speaker declared that adult education is a new phase of psychology which is being successfully worked out in Portland, where many gray haired men and women are attending the night school. He declared that those who do not love children should be raising chickens; and he left with his audience this slogan: "Let us live with our children."

Mrs. F. S. Myers, through whose

completed at the Girls' Trade school, laying special stress on the democracy and practicality of the school.

Mrs. W. J. Hawkins, converted head of "New Work" deploring the common use of the words naughty child, wilful child, thoughtless child, bad boy, wayward girl. She declared herself a strong advocate of the "back to the home movement, yet in the nature of things there are many homes that simply cannot supply the demands for the child, and for these the school, the public playground, the public swimming pool and the public park should provide. Miss Lillian Tingle spoke interestingly and entertainingly on school lunches, telling what is best suited to satisfy and sustain the growing child. She made a plea also for the right sort of breakfasts and a wholesome, nourishing dinner. The luncheon was presided over by Mrs. Martin Wagner.

**Ockley Green Halloween Party.**  
The assembly hall of Ockley Green school was last night converted into a typical Halloween bower by means of autumn leaves, jack o'lanterns, orange crepe paper, black cats and other emblems calculated to send the shivers up and down one's spinal column.

Mrs. McGovern gave a vocal number and responded to an insistent encore Mrs. Sullivan's class gave a recitation "A Dumbbell Drill" by a class of children. Mrs. Lewis Rhull gave two pleasing readings. A social time followed, during which Halloween games and music were enjoyed. Homemade doughnuts and cider were served from tables decorated in chrysanthemums.

Too much cannot be said in commending the women of the association for the splendid way in which they responded toward making the party a success, the attendance being very large and the entire evening proving a very jolly one. Mrs. C. M. Nye was chairman of the committee on arrangements and she was assisted by Mrs. O. V. Williams and Mrs. James Duncan.

**Shakespeare Club Party.**  
The members of the Portland Shakespeare club and their husbands were entertained in a delightful manner Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Downer. Beautiful autumn leaves were used for decorations and there were also many Halloween features introduced in ornamenting the house. Reports from the state federation were given by Mrs. E. P. Freble and Mrs. Julia C. LeBarre.

The witches' scene from "Macbeth" was given by Mrs. E. P. Freble, Mrs. Helen Miller Sten and Mrs. Allen Todd in a manner that won hearty applause. The evening closed with a social hour and the serving of typical Halloween refreshments.

**Self Culture Club Meets.**  
The Self Culture club met with Mrs. Ella B. Jones in the Russell building Friday evening. Mrs. R. R. Rohr was in charge of a pleasing program of gram, Miss Jones furnished the music and the games were superintended by Mrs. Charles Ager.

**Halloween Party Tonight.**  
The Irvington Park club will hold an old fashioned Halloween party this evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Booth. Members are requested to bring lunch for two. Coffee will be served free.

**Irving E. Vining, the well known boys' expert, who was here from Ashland for the convention, spoke informally, commending the Oregon women on their splendidly developed individuality, on their fearlessness and their cooperation. He made a plea that more attention be paid to character building, to the inculcating the ideas that make for boys and girls of fine moral development as well as mental attainments. He emphasized the need for more and better trained teachers with special reference to the great need of reopening the state normal school at Ashland. Oregon is not turning out one-third of the teachers necessary for her own use.**

**Home Marie then gave two delightful baritone solos, with Miss Oakes at the piano. Mrs. W. A. Laidlaw made an extended report on the very efficient work of the social service committee. Mrs. A. Alexander told of some of the good things that are being ac-**

# Little Stories for Bedtime BY W. BATHORNTON W. BURGESS

## Sammy Jay Learns About Old Man Coyote's Home.

No matter where your home may be, it is to the north or south or east or west.

Of all the places on the earth it is to the west that I would like to live. Of course it is. It is very right and proper that it should be. Peter Rabbit says that he would think much of any one who didn't think his own home the very best place in the world. Just because it is home, you love it. And you love all its surroundings, even when they are not at all beautiful. And so when it happens that you move your home to some other place you think of the place you have left, and there is a great deal of love and affection for it in your thoughts. That is just the way it was with Old Man Coyote. He was living on the Green Meadows, and he was very well satisfied there, but once in a while his thoughts would go back to his old home, the home where he had learned a great deal of the cleverness which made him the smartest and most feared of all the Green Meadow people. He never had mentioned that old home until now. Sammy Jay had said that he would like to hear about it, and somehow Old Man Coyote felt just like telling about it.

"It was in the west; the great, wide, wonderful west," said he, with a far-away look in his eyes.

"Is it as great and wide as the Green Meadows?" asked Sammy Jay.

Old Man Coyote looked at Sammy for the splendid way in which they responded toward making the party a success, the attendance being very large and the entire evening proving a very jolly one. Mrs. C. M. Nye was chairman of the committee on arrangements and she was assisted by Mrs. O. V. Williams and Mrs. James Duncan.

Sammy had it on the tip of his tongue to say that he didn't believe a word of this, because no sky could be bluer than the one over them that very minute, no grass could be greener than that of the Green Meadows, and no air could be sweeter than that which he breathed. But just in time he remembered that Old Man Coyote was talking of his old home, and that that made a difference. Sammy was smart enough to know that these things might seem so much better to Old Man Coyote just because they concerned his old home. So Sammy held his tongue and listened while Old Man Coyote went on.

## QUESTIONABLE ACT OF BOOTH AND RAILROAD CHARGED BY MINISTER

Gobbling Up of Fine Timber Land in Callapooia Valley, Is Accusation Made.

J. E. Lister, minister of the Christian church of Sunnyside, Wash., says that eight citizens of Eugene, when they learned of a section of valuable timber land that was open for settlement, and endeavored to file on timber claims for the purpose of securing homes, were blocked by the Booth-Kelly Lumber company and the Southern Pacific company. This was at the time that R. A. Booth's brother, J. H. Booth, was receiver of the land office at Roseburg.

"Eight respectable citizens of Eugene learned that township 14, range 7 east, was open for settlement," writes Rev. Mr. Lister. "Some of the number employed a cruiser and visited the township. They reported to the others that all was good to look at; that the land was covered with the finest yellow pine and would measure on the stump 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet to the quarter section; and the land good for farming and stock."

"Following this report they all visited the land again; paid their filing fees to the commissioner at Eugene; employed their cruiser again and started to survey eight quarter sections, believing the whole township open."

"A dark cloud veiled the horizon of their hope, for they discovered little cabins on every quarter and the names of the builders tacked on the cabin with the same kind of commissioner's receipt as we held also posted to view, but not a soul living in any of the cabins."

"At the gateway of the valley of the Callapooia, up which we had followed 35 miles, a settler of many years told us when we camped in his yard, 'there is no use for you men to try to get any land up there! The Booth-Kelly Lumber company and the Southern Pacific have sent men up there and have placed men on every quarter as dummies. The company will buy all that timbered land for a song. They intend to build a railroad and take all that timber out.'

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**Roosevelt Urges Military Training**

Former President hints of Plans Once Made by Two Nations to Prey on United States.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 31.—Colonel Roosevelt said he had seen two nations' plans to capture New York and San Francisco to extort ransoms for war purposes, and urged universal military training of Americans.

"I hope the time will come when this country will provide that every man may have to practice in marksmanship and some military training. It is also my earnest hope that we shall finally achieve international status by which there shall be a posse comitatus, when we can combine to coerce any recalcitrant power; but I have seen the utter worthlessness of scraps of paper and other treaties that may be swept aside like dust in a windy street. A fight never was won by parrying; you've got to hit and not hit soft. The American people owe it to themselves to make their hand safeguard their head."

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# WOMAN'S SPHERE IN POLITICS IS LAUDED BY DR. C. J. SMITH



Democratic Candidate for Governor Praises Women's Stand on Moral Questions

## APPLAUSE GIVEN SPEAKER

New Electors Complimented on Work Already Done for Betterment of Humanity in General.

Dr. C. J. Smith was enthusiastically received at a woman's neighborhood meeting held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. M. Wing, 1123 East Flanders street. The candidate for governor talked briefly on "Woman's Sphere in Politics," declaring that women always have taken first place in forwarding moral and humanitarian measures.

"The Oregon 'system,'" said Dr. Smith, "was not completed until the state granted woman suffrage in 1912. Now women can use not only their personal influence, but their votes as well, in promoting the great moral and humanitarian policies in which they are especially interested."

"It was my observation in the legislature that women have a peculiar sphere in politics."

**Faith in Women's Vote.**  
"When improvement of the Columbia river, building of the Celilo canal or extension of the jetties at the Columbia's mouth is proposed the people behind the project are members of commercial clubs, bankers and business men."

"When there is something to be done for the deaf and dumb, when a juvenile court is to be established, mothers' pensions granted or laws passed for the regulation of child labor, it is not the men as a rule, but the leading women of Oregon who are especially interested. It is the women who are backing these measures and securing their enactment."

"Experience has taught me to have the greatest faith in the women's vote. It will always be cast for the uplift of humanity."

Dr. Smith complimented the women on what they have already done and the efficiency they have shown as citizens and electors. He referred especially to the schools, calling attention to the fact that women for a number of years have had the ballot in school matters.

**Stand is Reaffirmed.**  
"What has been the result?" he asked. "During the past seven years the schools have increased 400 per cent in efficiency, and it is no disparagement of the men to say that branches of government under their sole control have not increased in efficiency in a like degree."

Dr. Smith reaffirmed his stand for law enforcement and received great applause from the women for this portion of his address.

"I have been in many parts of the state during this campaign," he said, "and I yet have to find the first woman to question my stand on enforcement of the laws. Some men have cautioned me against this issue, but not a woman has even hinted that

## MANY ATTEND FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. Caroline Selling, mother of Ben Selling, was held yesterday morning at the family residence, 434 Main street. Rabbi Jonah E. Wise conducted the services, which were largely attended. Interment will be in Beth Israel. The pall bearers were: Joseph Simon, S. W. Herman, D. Solis Cohen, A. G. Jacobs, Isadore Jacobs and Felix Kahn.

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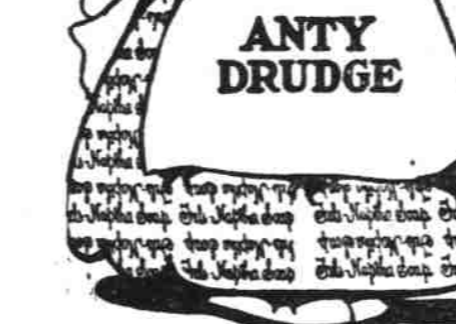


It isn't pleasant for a man to come home night after night, tired out, and find a weary wife, late meals and leftover work. It isn't pleasant for a woman to work all day until she is ready to drop, and then have supper to get and the dishes to clear away, when she is only able to get to bed.

## Anty Drudge Helps Mr. Grouch

Mr. Grouch—"Anty Drudge, can't you tell my wife some way she can get her work done by the time I come home from work? I am sick and tired of having to wait for my supper and of hearing her complain, too. Other women must be better managers, I guess."

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# Deputy County Clerk Shows "Some" Speed

Deputy County Clerk "Bill" Soule Helps Two Hearts to Beat As One in Record Time.

Deputy County Clerk "Bill" Soule is a worthy assistant to Cupid. He assisted the youthful divinity to such an extent Thursday that Newton Albert Crawford, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Miss Effie Bannon were married within 12 minutes from the time they applied for a wedding license. This is believed to be a record.

Crawford appeared with his bride-to-be and Dr. David Nelson as a witness for the license. Dr. Nelson informed Soule that the couple desired to be married at once. While "Cupid" Cochran was issuing the license Soule scurried to Judge Gatens' chambers, and with the aid of Walter Boone, baseball player and ballier of Judge Gatens' court, arranged for the ceremony. When the couple appeared the papers incidental to the ceremony had been prepared and the judge which made them man and wife were spoken by Judge Gatens. Soule was at his desk again 12 minutes after he was called to assist.

## Spencer Charges Desertion.

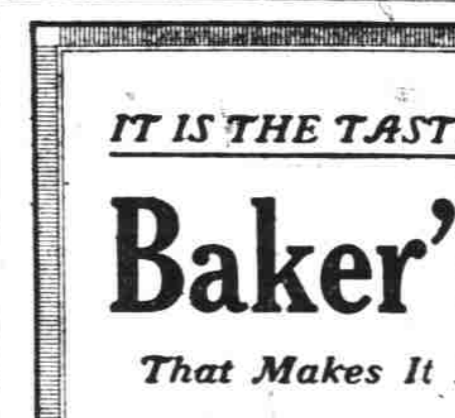
Albany, Or., Oct. 31.—(Married November 10, 1893, at Rockport, Mo., 8.) Spencer now asks a divorce from Essie May Spencer on the grounds of desertion.

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## TOMORROW