COMING EVENTS First Annual Oregon State Corn Show, Port-land, November 13 to February 27, 1921. Western Winter show, Oregon Poultry and Pet ock association. The Auditorium, Portland,

Stock association. The Auditorium, Portland, December 13 to 18. State Health Officers, Portland, December State Teachers' association, Portland, December 29, 30, 31. T. P. A. state association, Portland, December 31.

Retail Hardware and Implement dealers, Port-land, January 25 to 28.

Oregon Retail Morchants' association, Marsh-field, February.

Pacific Coast Society of Orthodonists, Febru-ary 16 to 18.

Brotherbook of American Version, state con-Brotherhood of American Yeomen, state con-clare, Eugene, April, 1921.

O. U. W., grand lodge, April, third Tues-

Foresters of America, grand court, Portland, May 22 to 23.
Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Portland, May 10. Knights of Columbus, state council, Portland, W. hall, Eleventh and Alder streets.

State Dental society, 1921.

Rotarians Promise Big Time - The Christmas celebration of the Portland Rotary club will attract, it is said, on the part of the club's members and their wives. The program will be given in the Arcadian Garden of the Multnoman hotel at noon. In other years the children of a local institution have been plan this year is said to eclipse in

To Discuss Bine Sunday-Evangelist Louis K. Dickson will speak Sunday special musical program has been ar- ductor. ranged, under the leadership of Pro-

the Lebanon Chamber of Commerce, carols, which has been disbanded, a new or-Frank C. Wood as secretary, according and James P. Clancey will represent ber 28 and 29.

Shephard's Auto Bus Lines-Portland-Multnomah Falls division-Leave Portland 9:30 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 4 p. m.; arrive Multnomah, 11:15 al m., 12:15 p. m., 5:45 p. m. Leave Multnomah, 7:45 a. m., 1 p. m., 4:15 p. m.; arrive Portland 9:30 Portland 11:15 p. m., Buses leave St. Charles hotel, Front and Morrison. Phone Marshall 4381 .- Adv.

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morning. The Rev. C. J. Ledin, pastor. Wash.; W. E. Pierce, J. W. Wylie, Boise, will preach on "Views of Life at the Idaho; A. G. Olsen, Wilder, Idaho; Rob-Manger." Music will be furnished by ert H. Pfeil, Mullan, Idaho. the male chorus a d choir. The Sunday school will have its program at 7

p. m., December 26. chestra and other specialties will fea-Nominations will be received for

the office of district tgustee. Christmas Stories Fenture-Christmas stories will be told to the children on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the children's room 'at the Central library. The decorations will show how Christ-mas is celebrated in other lands—the wooden shoe filled with wheat, the burning candle, the silver star, and other old-world customs. Miss Beatrice Doty will tell the stories.

Alaska Society Indorses Exposition-The Alaska Society at its recent meeting indersed the proposed Atlantic-Pa-cific Highways and Electrical exposition to be held in Portland in 1925 and credited F. E. Beach with being the "father of the exposition." The society also sent a letter to Governor Riggs of Alaska, requesting his cooperation.

Time Given to Shop-Because of the extremely crowded condition of the stores in the evenings, all employes of the city hall will be allowed four hours off during working hours in which to do their Christmas shopping next week, it was announced Saturday. Employes will take the time at which they can best be spared from their work.

Shephard's Auto Bus Lines-Portland, Astoria' and Seaside division — Leave Portland 10 a. m., 1:30 p. m.; arrive Astoria 4 p. m., 7 p. m., Leave Astoria, 10 a. m., 1:30 p. m.; arrive Portland, 4 p. m., 7 p. m. Buses leave St. Charles hotel, Front and Morrison. Telephone Marshall 4381 .- Adv.

Rate Case Benefits-John H. Lothrop of the Portland Traffic and Transportation association will discuss "The Rate Case and Its Effect on Portland's Future" at the members' forum meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Mon-

Shephard's Auto Bus Lines-Portland-Hood River division-Leave Portland 9:30 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 2:45 p. m. Arrive Hood River 12:30 p. m., 2 p. m., 6 p. m. Buses leave St. Charles hotel, Front

and Morrison. Phone Marshall 4381 .-

Steamer Iralda for St. Helens and Rainier, daily at 2:30 p. m., foot of Alder street. Sundays, St. Helens only. 1:30 p. m -- Adv.

Commissioners Inspect Big Firm-Commissioners Barbur, Bigelow, Pier and Mann devoted several hours to a tour of inspection through Montgomery Ward & Co.'s new merchandising establishment at Twenty-sixth and Wil-

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### entertained by the Rotarians, but the Symphony Orchestra magnitude all past efforts. Entertainment features include musical numbers Will Give Popular of chloroform, then perhaps a moment

Portland's first opportunity to hear 7:45 o'clock in Women of high grade music by the Portland sym-Woodcraft hall, Tenth and Taylor streets, on the subject, "What About phony orchestra at popular prices will Enforced Sunday Rest? Has Christ come through a series of concerts to be Delegated Such Authority to Men? held on Sunday afternoon in The Audi-Shall the Liberty Bought by the Blood torium, with the complete orchestra dog, both typical of your much vaunted of our Foresthers Be Restricted?" A under the direction of Carl Denton, con- human sympathy.

The first of this series will be held fessor I. C. Colcord, including stories of the origin of old hymns, Seats are In addition to the orchestra a group of prominent Portland singers, appear- for a day, but why in the name of a Lebanon Commercial Club-Replacing ing in vestments, will sing Christmas | merciful God can't they look a little fur-

to advice received by the State Cham- \$2.50 each, is brisk. A season ticket en- dumb animals? Listen: ber of Commerce. Wood also informs titles the holder to the choice seats in the state chamber that A. M. Reeves The Auditorium at all of the concerts. Woman turned the from living just the new organization at the annual long been successful in its symphony breaking over. She became my wife meeting of the state chamber, Decem- work. However, the prices necessary to and then I bent every effort to make a defray the expenses of the symptonies success of a profession I had trained for are out of the reach of many people earlier in life, to justify her love and who enjoy good music. Because of this confidence. We were inseparable, workof the symphony to cooperate with the was assured us; in fact, we were enhigh grade music to Portland residents heights of our joint ambition-when the at low cost, the popular concerts were crash came. A. m., 2:45 p. m., 6 p. m. Saturday and arranged. The prices of admission for Sunday, leave Multnomah 6 p. m.; leave the symphony popular concerts will range from 75 cents for the most choice seats to 15 cents for seats in the upper

balcony. Season tickets can be procured at any St. Helens division-Leave Portland 7:30 of the music stores, or by directing a

#### Hot Lake Arrivals

Hot Lake, Or., Dec. 18 .- Recent arrivals at Hot Lake sanatorium are: T. Masters, Mrs. Robert McGaughy, Mrs. Front and Morrison. Phone Marshall William Freeman, Daker, Oc., Eront and Morrison. Phone Marshall Michael, Weiser, Idaho; N. Christinson, D. L. Buck. Special Swedish Services-In keeping man, G. R. and Mrs. S. G. Ruckman, with an old Swedish custom, an early Alicel, Or.; Miss Dora Hutchinson, morning service will be held at the Union, Or .; Mr. and Mrs. Colon Eber-Swedish tabernacle, Seventeenth and hard, LaGrande, Or.; J. W. McElrain, Swedish tabernacie. Schock Christmas Asotin, Wash.; Gus Lybucker, Anatone,

#### Elks Want Lodge

Dance by Kiwanis—An informal din-ner dance will be given by members of the Portland Kiwanis alpha at 5.23.

Albany, Or., Dec 18.—Albany lodge No. 356, B. P. O. E., has been asked to indorse the petition of 50 or more the Portland Kiwanis club at 6:30 Corvallis Elks for the establishment of o'clock Tuesday evening in the crystal a new lodge at Corvallis independent room of the Benson hotel. Olsen's or- of the Albany lodge. The request was presented to the local lodge by a deletare the program. Short talks of vital gation of 30 Corvallis Elks. As yet interest will be given by a few speak-

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Jack Ebell of pleasant personality, former successful business man, day and due to the activity of a profesactive in government work during ment of funds which I was then worksisting human derelicts in their struggle toward rehabilitation - at present engaged in a highly respectable though not overly lucrative profession in the City of Roses. Rather an enviable record one would think, yet Ebell envies the stray dogs consigned to the Humane society's kennels for a brief period and then, if

not claimed, mercifully put to death. Ebell-that is not his real name- for me to admit my guilt and take what envies the stray dogs, "not because they are fed, but because they are mercifully DESERTED BY WIFE taken out of a world of heart-breaking. soul-maddening, hopeless strife; away from the sordid seifishness and littleness of a selfish humanity," he told a Journal reporter.

ENVIES DOGS "I suppose you think me cowardly to talk this way and still hang on in this mortal coil, but you are wrong there," Ebell said. "I believe human life is God-given and no one has the right to take it; not even one's own life.

"But as for dogs, most fortunate members of a lower specie of the ani-Manager Frank McGettigan will present several Orpheum stars.

Concerts on Sundays tary pain dart—then finis! Ah, God, what a happy state! An eternity free from useless longings, hopeless struggiing, slowly dying ambitions and unanswered prayers! Finding he had a sympathetic hearer,

Ebell, as the reporter promised to call him, continued:

"Do you know your paper recently the complete orchestra dog, both typical of your much vaunted TELLS WHY

"Few-men or women would deny a hungry man or animal food or shelter ther, probe a little deeper and help one The remaining concerts of the series another in bigger ways? God! the ganization to be known as the Lebanon will be given at the rate of one a month Commercial club has been formed, with during January, February and April. Nazarene sort would save humanity! The sale of season tickets offered for Do you know why I envy those soul-less

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and sole possession of her boy, born stated grounds for divorce were that I convict. had served a prison term for embezzlementioned in the suit. I did not contest. She did not need to go to court; I had

felt justifled in her procedure. HELD BACK BY PAST

"I was called from my wife's side one world war-with \$5 and the haunting sional rival, arrested for the embezzlewould soon be back-believing my wife ity. I tried to enlist in overseas service. and then-I said I only wanted to be let alone Ex-convicts were not wanted, the reuntil I could make practical restitution cruiting officers informed me; still if I by repaying the money I had unlawfully taken from another. I could have would falsely swear I had never been in prison they would accept me. I didn't avoided conviction through legal subterenlist, I went to work in a civil capacfuge, but I had learned from my wife a ity for the government-a job it seemed fundamental principle that I could not few wanted.

Then, following the armistice, began "My wife had long known of the affair a long soul-racking moving from comand was then assisting me in my efforts munity to community. Somehow the to make good the amount. We talked it people would learn that I was an exover, however, and agreed that as a convict, and their 'holier-than-thou' atmatter of principle the right thing was titude forced me to give up position after position, constantly moving on. After two years, in another state, I met another noble woman,

"I did so; I served more than two FEEL SAFE NOW "She knew of my past and sacrificed

"I never heard from my wife from the me secure an even start with humanity. day I entered that hell-on-earth until Her's has been a hopeless sacrifice. It long after I departed from it under all was no use; from some mysterious the horrible ignomy and disheartening source the knowledge that I was an exhandicap the appellation 'ex-convict' convict was common by the time I could

brings one. She later sued for divorce prove my ability in my profession, and we had to move on, away from a huwhile his father was in prison. Her manity which had no place for an ex-

"Finally we moved far beyond the ment; my fight to make amends was not heretofore seeming boundless zone of human hate. We haven't had to move for some time now, nor is it likely that we thought she knew that. Still, she surely will ever again; but we will spend the rest of our days with our noses to the grindstone, paying the debts incurred in "Coming out of prison during the is no other way; each week the rent and food bill is paid, the remainder goes on taunts of the prison officials that I debts. Our clothes will be made over and over by my noble helpmeet until dead and longing to be useful to human- there is nothing to hold them together,

> CAN'T "SHUFFLE OFF" "With a couple of hundred dollars to enable me to devote a few weeks to my own profession, I could be earning a splendid income again, and my wife could again take her place in that society from which her noble sacrifice has excluded her. My death would automatically place my wife in her former position, but she prefers to fight it out

> with me; so I can't do that, "So, you see, I can't well 'shuffle off,' nor could I, with my references from the prison officials, expect human aid to get a fair start-and so we will continue the struggle until an all-wise Providence ends it all.

"Do you know, I think I'll look up the position, friends and relatives to help spot where these most fortunate canines are buried; I would like to sit there and enjoy the peaceful atmosphere that must

Ebell hastened away. He had to go purchase a money order, he said.

## Practical Gifts

In the constant search for practical in gifts, one is perhaps inclined to overlook the useful and thus defeat his own purpose. Here is a carefully selected list of gift suggestions that are used every hour in the day-every day in the year. Why not fill in that blank space on your Christmas list with one of them?

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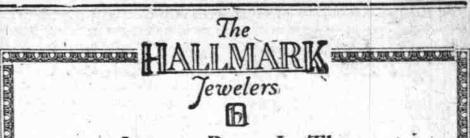
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