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The Christmas edition of the Portland Spectator is the best of many "best" Christmas editions which Portland's leading hebdomadal publication has issued. We know that Hugh Hulme, the punctilious Chesterfield (in dress for himself and his magazine) will excuse this use of "best" during this happy holiday season. All the nice things which have been said about the several preceding Christmas editions of The Spectator can be added to describe this one issue.

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WEEKLY PROGRAM

Thursday, December 24
"CALL OF COURAGE"
with Art Acord,
a blue streak western.
Comedy and
International News.

Friday, December 25
Betty Bronson in
"THE GOLDEN
PRINCESS"
with Neil Hamilton,
Rockliffe Fellows and
Phyllis Haver.
The story of a girl who
found love and gold in the
hills of California.
And a comedy.

Saturday, December 26
Buck Jones in
"HEARTS AND SPURS."
And a comedy.

Sun.-Mon., December 27-28
"THE SCARLET WEST"
with Robert Frazer and
Clara Bow.
It's a stirring record of one
of the most dramatic periods
in American history.
And a comedy.

Tuesday, December 29
"THE BRIDGE OF
SIGHTS"
with Dorothy Mackaill,
Creighton Hale,
Richard Tucker and
Ralph Lewis.
A story of temptation, error,
punishment and heroic
sacrifice.
And a comedy.

Wednesday, December 30
"IF I MARRY AGAIN"
featuring Doris Kenyon and
a five-star cast—
Anna Q. Nilsson,
Lloyd Hughes,
Myrtle Sideman,
Hobart Bosworth and
Frank Mayo.
And a comedy.

Thursday, December 31
Evelyn Brent in
"THREE WISE CROOKS."
Comedy and
International News.

The freight and passenger motor vehicles would knock out the automobile license law. That is poor business for them if they have any idea that they care for paved highways upon which to operate their vehicles. They get more out of the highways than any other class and should be willing to pay a liberal fee for the maintenance of such highways.

Under a Salem date line it was stated in a recent issue of The Oregonian that Governor Pierce had pardoned a moonshiner under the condition that the released moonshiner is to pay \$50 a month until the fine originally assessed against him is liquidated. "Liquidated" is a suggestive word to use in this case.

In no other age have men and women taken up so many fads to prolong life. The women don't want to die until they have shown men that they will wear whatever they doggone please, and the men are not willing to leave until they have seen how far the women will go.

The difference between a great many who go to shows Sunday evenings and a great many who go to church the same evenings is that the first cheerfully pungle up a two-bit piece, while the second regretfully let go of a nickel.

Church News

Methodist Church.—John A. Linn, Pastor.—Sunday school at 9:45; preaching service at 11; Epworth league at 6:30; preaching service at 7:30. Midweek prayer hour, 7:30 Thursday. A welcome at every service.

Presbyterian Church.—Duncan P. Cameron, minister.—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; public worship at 11 a. m.; Endeavor at 5:30; evening Sunday, December 27; Forenoon address, "Personal Problems in Religion." Evening address, third in series of modern religious cults, "Can We Talk With the Dead? or a Real Spirit Seance."

Christian Church, the "home-like" church.—A. J. Adams, minister. Sunday school at 9:45; sermon at 11. Christian Endeavor at 6:30, evening service at 7:30.

Christian Science Society—corner of Jefferson avenue and Second street. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Free Methodist church—Corner of Monroe avenue and south Fifth street—Chester Smith, pastor. Sunday school at 10, forenoon services at 11, evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting at 7:30 Thursday evenings.

Seventh Day Adventist Church—West Main street. Services every Saturday. Sabbath school at 10, church service at 11; prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

First church of Nazarene—Eleventh and Adams, Harold E. Botte, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45, forenoon service at 11, evening service at 8. Prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evenings.

Glad Tidings Mission—Tenth and Adams streets, G. F. Shackelford, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45; forenoon worship at 11; young people's meeting at 7; evening service at 8; week-day services, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings at 8.

Baptist church—Chapel car, one block north of S. P. depot—J. C. Orr, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock, services at 11 o'clock and 7:45. B. Y. P. U. services at 7:00 P. M.

Here's One Writer Has
Good Word for Spider

The predaceous habits of spiders make them most useful to man. Our selfish interests should preserve and protect them, except where they annoy the housewife by building dust-catching and unsightly webs in doors. Even then they might be given a place. All forms are diligent producers of their kind, and were it not for their numerous enemies there would be enough spiders to alter considerably the overproduction of noxious insects. In comparison to the insect there are few spiders, both of species and of individuals. Considering the number of eggs spiders lay and the protective care they give their eggs, this seems surprising. But when we observe the ceaseless activity of birds, shrews, toads, snakes, lizards, robberflies, certain parasitic insects and, most particularly, mud dauber and digger wasps, it is more surprising that spiders exist at all.

Dogs Seldom Mad

When dogs bite people in the summer time, they're seldom "mad," except in the sense in which normal human beings often get mad. They're surly and grouchy, perhaps, because they are affected by the heat like human folk, and have less ability to help themselves.

Suppose, on a hot, sultry day, when you were fairly stewing in the heat, and the flies were biting you, you couldn't find a cool spot to lie down and, worse than that, couldn't find a bit of cool water to drink. And suppose every person you approached hopefully was surly and ill-natured and gave you a kick or an ugly look instead of something to moderate the heat. Wouldn't you feel like snapping at somebody's calves?

Dogs probably don't run amuck in hot weather any more than people do, though with more provocation.—Kokoma Titus

Rubber stamps. The Sentinel.

Society

Mrs. T. C. Wheeler was hostess Tuesday to the LaComus Club at its annual Christmas meeting. A 1 o'clock luncheon was held at Bartell hotel. A large basket filled with pretty holly was the attractive centerpiece of the table and twigs of holly were scattered over the table. Place cards bearing a design in keeping with the Christmas season were used and dainty red and green baskets filled with Christmas candies were the favors. Following the luncheon the guests assembled at the Wheeler home, where a beautifully trimmed tree, on which had been placed the club exchange gifts, awaited them. As an additional surprise the hostess presented each member with a dainty coat hanger. A pleasant social hour followed. Mrs. W. W. McFarland of Eugene, who is a member, was present.

The M. P. G. club held its meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Woods. A gaily trimmed tree, on which was a gift for each member, stood in one corner of the room. The gift exchange was followed by a pleasant social hour. A delicious two-course luncheon was served. Miss Marling beautifully decorated with Christmas trimmings. In the center of the table a pretty holly wreath lay and in its center a red taper stood in a low candle stick. The favors were ivory lemon forks, gifts to the members from the hostesses.

A wedding of interest to the bride's many friends here was that of Miss Elizabeth Dorothea Miller, of Coquille, to A. C. Anderson, of Marshfield, which was held Saturday in Portland at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. J. J. Jackson. Mr. Anderson is an employee of the Southern Pacific company and Miss Miller had been employed in the Southern Pacific station at Coquille. She attended high school here last year. The couple are making their home in Marshfield.

Mrs. G. C. Dyott was hostess Tuesday evening to the Toujours Ppote club at its annual Christmas meeting. A gaily trimmed Christmas tree and holly and mistletoe were the cheerful room decorations. The gift exchange was held and the remaining hours were pleasantly spent socially. A dainty buffet luncheon was served. Miss Margaret Galloway was an additional guest.

Mrs. W. A. Garoutte will have as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Callahan and two sons of Portland; the Eugene Matlock family of Marshfield; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bussey and baby of this city. Mrs. Callahan and Mrs. Matlock are sisters of Mrs. Garoutte.

The Research club will hold its next meeting Tuesday, January 5, at the home of Mrs. A. W. Swanson. The discussion will be on the life of Winston Churchill and on his book, "Choniston." Mrs. William Baker will lead the study.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Godard will observe their sixtieth anniversary tomorrow, Christmas day. They will be guests at the home of their son, S. L. Godard.

A marriage license has been issued to Edward Earl Fullmer and Georgia Eloise Margan. They are to be married here Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Stewart will entertain the Tuesday Bridge club next week at its regular 1 o'clock luncheon.

The O. L. H. club will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Miller.

The Royal Neighbors held their annual Christmas party last evening following their regular lodge meeting. Gifts were exchanged.

The little tots of the primary grade of the Methodist Sunday school entertained their parents and friends yesterday afternoon in the Sunday school room. A brightly lighted and gaily trimmed Christmas tree, soft colored lights, together with Christmas garlands and

greens filled the room with Christmas cheer. An hour's entertaining program was put on by the tots. Greatly to the delight of the kiddies, Santa Claus arrived following the program and distributed gifts of candies.

Breaking It to the Minister.

The rector of a country church was in his study hard at work on his sermon for the coming Sunday, when a visitor was announced. She was a big muscular person, and when the minister had brought forward a chair she flopped into it and opened up bluntly: "You're Minister Smith, ain't you?" "I am." "You remember marrying a couple of strangers at your church a couple of months ago?" "What were their names?" "Walter Perkins and Elizabeth Jenkins," said the woman, "and I'm Elizabeth." "Are you indeed? I thought I remembered your face when you came in, but—" "Yes," continued the visitor, "I'm her all right, and I thought I ought to drop in and let you know Walter has escaped!"

Saves Recount.

Chinese elections are now settled by bullets, not ballots. The advantage of this system is that recounts are not necessary.

No Plainclothes Women.

Criminologist says women do not make good detectives. Of course not! Plainclothes women! Why, the very idea!

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Robert Lesley Leaming, administrator with will annexed, of the estate of Elnorah Guering, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon, in and for Lane county, his final report and account as such administrator and that January 5, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the county court room thereof has been by said Court fixed as the time and place for hearing objections to said report and for the final settlement of said estate of the said deceased.

ROBERT LESLEY LEAMING, Administrator with will annexed of the estate of Elnorah Guering, deceased.

H. J. Shinn, Attorney for estate. n26d24c(T)

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Songs Used For
Christ's Birthday

Carols Stately, Vulgar, Tender
Telling of Coming of Christ
Child Born in the Manger.

(Continued from first page.)

The best that can be; So well doth the weather And our stomachs agree.

There are many carols of this type and some indeed bordering on coarseness and vulgarity. It probably would be true to say that puritanism practically killed carol making and carol singing of this kind.

The English sacred carols are far more numerous than the secular, but in the main they follow the two types mentioned.

One writer says, "In literary value the carols range from gems of religious inspiration to joggling tavern ditties. Out of something like two hundred carols there are very few that lack some beauty or quaintness or charm; and there are perhaps twenty or more that may be counted among the best songs, that spring perfect out of the human heart."

English carols to the Virgin are pre-reformation. Here is one:

I sing of a maiden
That is makeless (matchless),
King of all Kings
To her son she ches (chose)
He came all so still
Where his mother was,
As dew in April
That falleth on the grass,
He came all so still
To his mother's bower
As dew in April
That falleth on the flower.
He came all so still
Where his mother lay,
As dew in April
That falleth on the spray.
Mother and maiden
Was never none but she;
Well may such a lady
God's mother be."

In the carols of the divine mystery there is an effort to state the wonderful benefits that accrue to mankind by the advent of Christ. It was not sin as a personal matter that seemed to concern the writers, but sin as some evil influence magically cured by the nativity.

It was dark, it was dim,
For men that lived in great sin,
Lucifer was all within,
Till on the Christmas day.

There was weeping, there was woe
For every Man to hell can go;
It was little merry tho,
Till on the Christmas day.

But since Jesus has come into the world, and mankind has been mysteriously redeemed, all may be extremely happy. Back of all these carols there is the feeling that the childhood and life of Jesus has something to tell us of the eternal truth of God.

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and a Joyful and Prosperous
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