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FRANKLIN HIGH BUSY SCHOOL

Dr. Chapman Resigns Music Supervisorship; Faculty and Students Enjoy Picnics; Domestic Science Club Formed.

Dr. Fredrick Chapman, who was supervisor of music in the Grammar Schools and Franklin High School, resigned his position some time ago. He intends to go to Boston, his former home, and continue his work there. He says that Boston is a larger city which pays more attention to every branch of education and will afford him much better opportunity to carry on his work. His resignation leaves an opening for the appointment of a new supervisor. At present W. H. Boyer is musical supervisor in the three largest High Schools on a salary of \$1800. The new supervisor will probably cover both the grammar and high schools at a salary of about \$2250. The musicians club of Portland has taken the stand for the salary paid. Portland schools should have a man with more than ordinary executive powers and should be capable of passing an examination and also receive the approval of the Federation of Music Clubs.

Mr. Hoskin, of the science department took his class to Bryant station last Saturday, on the upper end of Oswego lake. Among the discoveries they made, was the fact that the highest point of land between Oswego lake and the Tualatin river is only one hundred feet above sea level. On examination of the country around the west end of the lake they found evidence of a large stream having run between the town and the depot where at present there is a swamp. The composition of the soil showed that the stream had been silted up by the Willamette when it changed its course.

Miss Juliann Roller, instructor of latin at Franklin, displayed a latin exhibit, Monday afternoon. This consisted of eighty large cards showing the relation of Latin to all phases of daily life. Miss Roller explained the exhibit which was very interesting and instructive.

Knowing that Franklin couldn't have too many clubs, a new one was recently organized by girls of the domestic science and domestic art departments. Fern Kieffer is the president; Stella Stafford the vice-president; Jean Mitchell, secretary and Helen Homuth the treasurer. The club will meet each month. The purpose of the club is to visit places which show work along the line of their studies, on a larger scale. Their first turn was to the Hotel Portland, where they visited the kitchen, the refrigerator room, and a bedroom suite. Before leaving they were served with ice cream and cake, in the grille, by the hotel management.

Franklin High School beats all for picnics. Even the dignified faculty went so far as to indulge in a real picnic last Friday. They took the Arlington Heights car to the end of the line. This not being enough they walked about a mile farther on when suddenly some of the men-folks became faint from lack of food. Then camp was pitched and lunch was spread. A fire was built and a pack of hounds roasted. In other words, they had "hot dog" a la cinders. Some hot coffee was prepared for those who could not drink in the scenery, and everything went off in fine shape. A ball game was played in which Miss Koch acted as back stop most of the time. The party broke up about 8 o'clock after a very enjoyable afternoon.

Lents Man is Missing

Cyrus B. Potter, a resident of Lents, has been missing since May 15, and his wife has asked the Portland police to assist in the search for him. The last time he was seen, he was looking for work in Portland. The police have found no further trace of him.

His description follows: Height 5 feet 11 inches; weight 185 pounds; age 55 years; hair gray.

New Day Observed

"Father's Day" will be observed at the Evangelical Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. The pastor has a special message for the fathers. Come fathers and bring the mothers and children. All are cordially invited.

Daily Mails

Mails at the Lents postoffice arrive and depart daily, except Sunday, as follows:

Arrive	Depart
6:00 A. M.	7:30 A. M.
12:50 P. M.	12:30 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	5:30 P. M.

MT. SCOTT SCHOOLS WILL HEAR LECTURES

War veterans will visit all Mt. Scott schools at 1 o'clock next Friday afternoon. Several veterans will go to each school so the rooms may all be visited. Arleta school will be visited by J. S. Hamilton, W. R. Biddle, Samuel Arbutuckle, S. D. Cole, J. J. Graves, O. F. Harris, S. W. McLean, Emory Farady, Joseph Rodgers, and John A. Young.

The school at Creston will be visited by H. I. Worden, Thomas Bodley, Walter Hobbs, J. W. Jones, Ardin Lyman, J. H. Robb, Spencer Wiley, David Croys, L. P. Hanna, D. C. Lounsbury, and D. L. Tracy.

Lents will have Chas. Campbell, Chas. Hinslow, C. Wyckoff, George Dorlier, E. D. Smith, L. Rosell, C. C. Wiley, E. Hamlin, F. Stakely, and John Walrod assigned to give them addresses.

And Woodmere school will listen to R. C. Markee, F. M. Callicatti, Lewis Thompson, James Ray, H. H. Blaney, S. P. Lester, O. T. Blood, A. W. Miller, L. R. Train, and Geo. Burlington.

SCHOOL DEDICATION AND COMMENCEMENT

Gilbert School District will be on the map again Friday evening in a Commencement exercise and in addition the affair will in a sense be a dedication of their new school building as it will be the first time the new school auditorium is used. An excellent program has been planned and the entire public is invited. The main address of the evening will be by Judge Gatens. County Superintendent Armstrong will be present and give a class address.

The program in full is given and it promises to be of unusual excellence.

Violin Solo, selected, Marie Chapman; Invocation, Rev. Moore; History of the School, Mamie C. Hogue; Piano Solo, selected, Gordon Soule; Dedication Address, Judge Gatens; Vocal Solo, selected, Miss Minnie Nemerowski; "Success" Robin Reed; Music, selected, Brooklyn Grammar School Orchestra; Class History, Fred LaMear; Music, selected, Gilbert Band; "Class Prophecy" Hilda McTaggart; Piano Solo, Gordon Soule; Beyond the Bay Lies the Ocean, class oration, Hazel Burse; Violin Solo, Marie Chapman; Class Address, Supt. A. P. Armstrong; Music, Brooklyn Grammar School Orchestra; Presentation of Diplomas, (chairman of Board) Mr. Furey; Music, selected, Gilbert Band; "Mother Goose," Miss Brackett's pupils; Music, "Home Sweet Home," Gilbert Band.

Some Cleaning Hints

Kerosene is a great time saver if used in cleaning sinks, bowls and bath tubs. A cloth wet in kerosene will quickly remove the gummy deposit without scratching the enamel.

The long handled paint brush will reach many places which without it are inaccessible. The half-inch stiff bristle brush will remove the dust from the handle and corners of cream pitchers, sugar bowls, vases and fancy dishes. These brushes are good to have for the machine drawer as well as for the kitchen sink.

The small wooden backed brushes which can be purchased for five cents each, or six for a quarter, make the cleaning of vegetables, of the sink, and of pots and pans much easier.

Whiting makes an excellent and inexpensive polish for silver. It may be used with alcohol or water. The former dries more quickly. A paste is made and applied to the silver. When dry the paste is rubbed off with a soft dry cloth and the silver washed in hot soap-suds.

Salt and vinegar, about equal parts, if allowed to stand an hour or two in the water pitcher or carafe, will loosen the lime deposit often found on these articles, so it can be easily removed.

When the burners of the gas stove become clogged and sticky, remove and place in a strong solution of sal soda. After boiling a few minutes, raise and go over the burners with a stiff brush. Be careful not to put the hands in the sal soda solution. This same treatment is excellent for the burners of kerosene lamps.

Mrs. Boardman Loses Son

Mrs. N. Boardman was called to North Platte, Neb., on the 14th by the illness of her son, Miles Boardman. He died the 20th and Mrs. J. E. Updyke left that evening to be present at the funeral.

WHAT'RE THE ROOSTERS YE'LLIN' FOR? WHY, YA GINK, THEY THINK IT'S A CHICKEN HAWK!



—Rehse in New York World.

OREGON HENS LEAD IN SIXTH MONTH OF CONTEST

The sixth report of the world egg-laying contest at the Panama-Pacific Exposition shows that the O. A. C. Leghorns led with 208 eggs and the Crosses were second with 188. The Barred Rock dropped back one place in the race.

For the term record at this, the middle point of the race, the Canada pen of Adams' White Wyandottes is still in the lead with 773 eggs, while the O. A. C. Leghorns are in second place and have all but overhauled their splendid competitors. Last month the Leghorns were 47 eggs behind their rivals, this month they are but five behind. The O. A. C. crosses are third with 712 eggs, having advanced from fifth place last month. The O. A. C. Barred Rock are now fifth in the terms records with 694.

There are 80 pens in the contest. The lowest record is 127 eggs for the six months, made by a San Francisco flock. The O. A. C. Leghorns and crosses are now ahead of any other pens from the United States or England.

The encouraging thing about the O. A. C. flock is that the three pens stand close together right near the top. They were bred by the same selective method and results show beyond question that the breeding has been good.

The highest individual record is that of the New York Leghorn with 111 eggs for the six months. Two O. A. C. crosses are tied for second with 107 eggs each. The third highest is an O. A. C. Leghorn with 105 eggs, and another Oregon Leghorn is sixth with 95 eggs.

Church Gives Entertainment

One of the best programs of the season was rendered at the Laurelwood Methodist Church a week ago Tuesday evening, and it is reproduced in full:

Organ Selection, Mrs. Woolworth; Lullaby Drill; Tenor Solo, Mr. Clarence Heath; The Dolls' School, Elmera Sloan; Song, Master Donald Miller; Song, Fern and Norman Mahan; Reading, "The Susceptible Parson," Marjorie Haley; Solo, Elizabeth Farrell; Reading, "Arthusia's Beaus," Norman Mahan; Rose Song and Drill; Male Chorus; Reading, "The Minister's Sermon," Mrs. Etta Woolery; Japanese Song and Drill; Reading, "No Sects in Heaven," Miss Stella Wilson; Song, "Doan yo cry ma honey," Young Ladies' Chorus; Song, "Dolls for Sale," Fern Mahan; Club Swinging; Solo, Mrs. Gladys Noel; Rose Drill; Song, Male Chorus; Song, "Hush, here comes the Dream Man."

The lullaby drill was by eighteen tiny tots and was one of the prettiest drills imaginable. Most of those taking part were very small children and they did remarkably well. Especially good were Fern and Norman Mahan, Elizabeth Farrell, Elmera Sloan and little Donald Miller. The Young Ladies' Chorus and Male Chorus answered to several encores. The audience would have been very willing to have had every number repeated could they have been so humored.

EDITORS WHO APPROVE OF THE SLAUGHTER

The press of the country is severe in its condemnation of Germany for murdering men, women and children on the high seas. President Wilson has been urged to take action against those newspapers which have approved the barbarous and diabolical act of Germany in destroying American lives on the high seas. As the United States Government has the right to suppress any paper that deliberately "incites arson, murder or assassination" and that is what those editors are doing who approve the sinking of the Lusitania, and some of them almost gloat over it as did the editors in Berlin, Vienna and other places. Dr. Dernburg is over here trying to explain the beauties of German "Kultur" alias German savagery and German barbarism and to explain to us how beautiful and worthy it is of emulation. Dr. Dernburg has been freely making comments, and they are nothing less than "threats" of what Germany is going to do in the future. President Wilson should lose no time in notifying him that his presence is exceeding objectionable in this country.

FEED AND CARE OF CHICK DURING ITS FIRST WEEK

The chicks are just out. What are their needs now?

A gentle and careful mother hen having excellent health and no lice. (Thorough dusting with a good lice powder while sitting and just before hatching will kill the lice.)

A dry, airy brood coop which is rat and rain proof.

Quietness the first day, no food. Sharp, dry sand on floor of coop and fountain of water handy. (Mother hen may have some whole wheat or corn.)

Starting food—Bran mixed crumbly with raw egg; or bread squeezed dry out of milk.

Grain mixture—1 pint cracked wheat, 1 pint cracked corn, (Oreg. Sta. Bul.), from second day but not too much at any one time.

A fifteen minute meal of starting food at early morning feed, and at noon. A ten minute meal of grain mixture at 4 p. m.

An active life from second day, on grass run. Hen always shut in coop while chicks run in and out at will in good weather, to be shut in with hen at night.

To be examined twice for lice on head and throat.

To be sparingly greased with lard on head and throat when lice appear.

Their coop cleaned and moved frequently and kept free from mites by use of coal oil.

Their grain scattered on clean ground, and mash and water in frequently cleaned dishes.

Grit, charcoal and cracked bone in separate dishes.

A change in the feeding the second week.—C. C. Lamb, Extension Poultryman, O. A. C.

LENTS MAN MAKES IM- PORTANT IMPROVEMENT

It remains for a Lents man to make one of the most important improvements in Automobile gear that has so far been offered. F. W. Tussey is the inventor of the new device, which is a change in the front axle, which is bent forward at each end and the wheel turns on a hinged thimble that stands to the rear of the point of attachment. The result of the arrangement is that the machine has a tendency to go in a straight line. The change does not make the steering any more difficult. On the other hand there is a tendency to relieve the motorman on straight roads. If left to itself the machine will correct its curves and travel in straight lines without the aid of the driver.

The improvement has interested all the automobile men who have seen it, and it promises to be a welcome improvement.

BUSINESS MEETING OF LENTS FEDERATION

At a meeting of the Young Peoples' Federation of Lents, held in the Friends' Church Tuesday evening, May the 18th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, J. Sanger Fox (re-elected); Vice President, M. H. Black; Secretary and Treasurer, Edwin Norene (re-elected); Publicity Manager, Eva Bischoff. The following committees were appointed: Advertising Committee, Eva Bischoff, chairman; Public Meetings Committee, Emil Swanson, chairman pro tem; Social Committee, M. H. Black, chairman.

The proposition of a Fourth of July picnic of the Federation was discussed but nothing has been fully decided upon as yet. Watch this paper for further information along this line.

The Young Peoples' Federation consists of the united young peoples' societies of the Baptist, Methodist, and Evangelical churches of Lents. During the past year there have been a number of meetings of this Federation which have helped greatly to strengthen the feeling of unity and fellowship which exists between the four societies. This is our aim. We feel that by a united effort, we, as young people of Lents, can accomplish much more good in this community.

Lents Association Elects

The Lents Parent-Teacher Association elected officers at its Friday meeting. Mrs. Maude Darnall was elected President; Mrs. Otto Katzky, Vice-president; Miss Stella Smith, Secretary, and Mrs. A. F. Hershner, Treasurer.

Prof. Rebec of the University was present and delivered an excellent lecture which was appreciated by all.

Dr. Sommers of the school board was also present and made a short talk on the work of the school board.

The tables and other utensils for the lunch room have been provided and the gas connections will be made within a few days.

The school has invested in a new typewriter, as a convenience in issuing matters relative to school work. This was bought out of the proceeds of the recent entertainments.

The graduating classes are preparing an entertainment for the afternoon and evening of the 4th of June. The entire class of 36 will participate in "Madame Jarley's Wax Works." The proceeds of this affair will be used in providing curtains for the auditorium stage.

The monthly session of the Senior Bible Class of the Lents M. E. Church, owing to the interview of Rev. Boyd Moore with the pastors of the other denominations, will be held in the Friends' Church which has been kindly donated for the occasion, next Friday evening, May 28.

The following will take part, giving their views of their respective denominations regarding the doctrine of sanctification. 1. What is it? 2. When is given? 3. What does it do?

Methodist, Rev. I. K. Gillihan and Rev. Cravin; Baptist, Rev. J. M. Nelson; Friends, Rev. Mrs. Riley; Evangelical, Rev. Hornchuch; Presbyterian, Rev. Amos. All Bible students are cordially invited to be present.

M. N. Repp, Chairman of Lookout Committee, E. E. Rutan, president.

April wheat shipments from Portland amounted to 916,915 bushels.

Bandon has sold \$14,000 bonds for a new school house.

CITY ELECTION NEXT BIG EVENT

Water Meters, Sunday Closing of Grocery Stores, Garbage Collection, and Annexations, Live Issues.

Besides the election of two Commissioners Portland voters will be called upon to decide on eleven measures, most of which might just have well been left off the ballot. The one that is creating the most interest just now is the water meter measure. According to this measure Commissioner Daly wants to install 5,000 meters at prices that look pretty reasonable compared with the prices paid by Mt. Scott residents a couple of years ago. It cost us not less than ten dollars each. Just what Mr. Daly wants is not clear. One of the city papers says it is 5,000 meters; another says 43,000 meters and at about \$4.50 each.

It is evident to any one that the installation of meters will develop a tendency to economize in the use of water, especially in large concerns. It is not the intention to supply water for useless waste. The man who has a meter will be reminded at the end of the quarter, when his bill comes in, that he might have saved something on it if he had turned the faucet when he got the necessary water. Thousands of people all over the city daily waste as much water as the need for family purposes. Other thousands are using much more water than they pay for. The meter will equalize this waste, or reduce it to a minimum.

Experience of a good many people who use meters is that their water costs much less than it did before installing them. The writer holds two bills before him now. One is for \$1.50 for water on a minimum basis at an office with one faucet. The other is for a family connection, eight faucets and toilet, with meter, \$2.10. Previously to the installation of the meter it was costing \$1.25 to \$1.75 per month, and \$2.25 in the summer season. The meter will save its cost in a couple of seasons, to either the city or the citizen. If the water supply is economized it will provide ample for double the population.

Below is a complete list of all the measures to be voted on at the coming election:

Referendum ordinance providing for metering of all water services.

Referendum ordinance providing for Sunday closing of grocery stores.

Initiative ordinance, by Commission, amending Bancroft bonding act to make installments for street improvements payable semi-annually.

Initiative ordinance, by Commission, granting pensions to C. D. Shane and W. H. Whitcomb, disabled firemen.

Initiative measure, by Commission, changing charter provision regarding re-appointment of employees temporarily laid off.

Initiative measure, by Commission, proposing municipal garbage collection system to operate at expense of taxpayers.

Initiative measure giving Commission power to turn dog pound over to Humane Society.

Charter amendment giving Commission power to handle seven East Side grade crossing eliminations as one project.

Initiative ordinance, by Commission, providing limited regulation of jitneys.

Annexation of Linnton to Portland. Charter amendment to annex St. Johns to Portland.

Initiative measure giving Council power to build fire stops on water-front at cost of abutting property owners.

Woodmere School Activities.

Woodmere is to have a summer school this year. The customary summer school classes will be organized. Teachers have already been assigned. This will be the only summer school for the entire Mt. Scott district. Lents, Arleta, Hoffman, and Creston will all send to Woodmere. It is hoped that a large attendance will be secured. Prof. Dickson will direct the work and Miss Hickey and Miss Schroyer will assist.

The Woodmere schools will give another entertainment on Friday evening. It will be given under the direction of the Parent Teacher Association and will be a descriptive picture show of Hawaiian scenery to be given by Rev. Smith of Sunnyside M. E. Church. It will be free and everyone is invited.

Regents of the State Normal school will build and equip a \$50,000 training school, all of Oregon materials and manufacture.