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ARE YOU A BOOSTER OR A KNOCKER?

One An Asset To A Community. The Other A Liability—Get Your Number.

A representative called on T. J. Kreuder the other day and found out that he's a rattling good fellow, and ought to be in the harness for the up-building of this community, or perhaps we ought to say, that if he were in the harness it would be for the up-building of this community. Mr. Kreuder lives on the Powell Valley Road and runs a ten acre garden right next the Creston School. Here he raises carrots and collars, boys and beans, cows and corn, scenery and succotash without any apparent complications. Mr. Kreuder has a large horse-collar factory in which he is more or less active at all times according to the state of the leather market. His garden is tended as a sort of a side-line, more for the sake of his health and the family table than anything else, but it is a model of its kind. Besides these various activities and the making of a beautiful home from among the brush which formerly covered this place, Mr. Kreuder finds time to devote a good deal of time and thought to the affairs of the Lents Grange of which he has been the Master for many years. He is a member of the Grange Stock Company which owns the building, and the business of the Lents Mercantile Company. The other directors have been kind enough to put on to his shoulders the active direction of the store. Mr. Kreuder paid a very fine tribute to Messrs Katsky Bros. stating that their store, and their steady courageous attitude towards business at all times had done much to make Lents such a stable business centre. He claims that even if a firm is his competitor it is to his interest if the firm succeeds, for whenever any firm is making a success of business, the community thereby becomes more prosperous and a good reflex action will be felt by all businesses. He feels that there is abundant room for all the grocery stores here now, and that as the Boy at Home Campaign becomes more successful and more people trade at home, the prospects will be even brighter. Mr. Kreuder put into words the whole need of a community spirit, the necessity for loyalty, co-operation, forbearance with one another's failings, and the optimistic looking on the bright side of things. He mentioned the stores of John Donaldson and L. E. Wiley as being also his competitors, but towards whom he had only the kindest feelings. He stated that if the Lents Mercantile Company did not give people good service, reasonable prices, and reliable goods they would not merit the patronage of the people, but was confident that they could and would establish for themselves a place without in any way harming, but on the contrary helping the rest of the business life of the community.

THE "AERONAUTS" GIVE SURPRISE PARTY

The "Aeronauts" of the Friends Sunday School gave a delightful surprise party in honor of Carroll Tamplin, one of their number, at his home on 82nd St., Tuesday evening. A very pleasant evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments were served. The following were present: Kenneth, Carroll and Madge Tamplin, Mabel and Carl Kadolph, Evelyn Hyland, Evelyn Smith, Doris and Wilda Mann, Theodora Dunbar, Albert Boatright, Myron Richardson, Goldie Carr, and Emel Swanson, teacher of the class.

REBEKAH RELIEF COM. TO GIVE CARD PARTY

Attention of Mt. Scott Rebekahs and their friends is called to their semi-monthly card party which will be given in Odd Fellows Temple, First and Alder Sts. on Tuesday afternoon of next week, Oct. 2nd. A brief business session of the Relief Committee will be held at 1:30, the card party to be held at 2:30. Two prizes will be given. The relief work carried on by the Rebekahs of the city is of a character which should appeal to all members and these parties should be well patronized. A good time is assured in addition to the amount of good that is hoped to accomplish by this means. A charge of 10 cts. is asked. All Rebekahs are asked to attend and bring a friend.

FORMER LENTS SCHOOL BOY WRITES THE HERALD

Cascade, Idaho, Sept. 5, 1917.
Editor of Herald:—We are getting along fine here in the woods. Three of the fellows were out fishing this p. m. and brought in 135 trout ranging in length from 5 to 12 inches. Sunday one man caught a trout that all agreed was 18 inches. We have had other fresh meat too; for a sheepherder near by recently gave us half a sheep. When the deer season opens we are going to have some venison. We see deer tracks all around and occasionally a deer or two. Monday evening as we were coming to camp we saw bear tracks about a mile from camp but as yet have not seen the bear. Some baked duck made us a fine supper recently.

It is very easy for people to get lost here. Several of the crew have gotten lost at various times and turned up at the forest rangers station. When the last bunch arrived there the ranger said he had often wondered why we had two crews but at last he had found out—one full crew was lost all the time so we had to have two in order to get any work done.

JOHN BARLEYCORN IN TOILS OF LAW

Holly Lodge ON Foster Road Near Lents Yielded Its Toll Of Booze and Arrests.

John Barleycorn is traveling a rocky road in Portland these days. He is being driven from pillar to post and the indications are that the genius of those who seek to evade the law will soon become exhausted and they will be driven from their last hiding place. It has very nearly reached that point now when booze is shipped into Tillamook marked as clams and sent from San Francisco. It was like sending "coals to Newcastle" and aroused suspicion at once.

On Sunday morning 30 persons were arrested in joint raids in and about Portland and 60 quarts of liquor were confiscated.

GIVE THE SOLDIERS YOUR BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

Books are wanted for the Soldiers' libraries. Bring your best ones to the Central Library or to any of the branches.

Our young men are sacrificing their education, business, professional training and home life to serve their country. They need books and current magazines for study, recreation and diversion in lonely moments.

YEAGER THEATRE OCT. 4th and 5th

Three Performances to be Given For Soldiers Library Fund. Tickets Now On Sale.

Lents district will do its part in assisting in the raising of the Oregon quota of the Million Dollar Library Fund for the Soldiers and Sailors of America and France. A meeting was held at the library in Lents Thursday afternoon of last week as arranged by Miss Winnifred McLucas, the librarian, and a committee appointed to initiate plans for the raising of the funds. Mrs. Otto Katsky, Mrs. Maud Darnall and Mrs. Dr. Hess, all of Lents, and Miss Swanson, of the Woodmere school, which forms a part of the district to be covered by this committee, were appointed and already have their plans well in hand.

HOME INDUSTRY LEAGUE PRESENTED TO P. T. A.

Albert G. Clark, manager of the Home Industry League, of the Chamber of Commerce, gave a very interesting address before the Lents Parent-Teacher Association last Friday afternoon at their regular meeting held in the Assembly Hall of the school. Mr. Clark took for his subject, "Our Home Industries." In the course of his address he gave conclusive evidence of the great loss to the state resulting from the shipping of so much of the raw material produced here East for manufacture and then importing the finished product for retail trade. We have the water power and everything necessary to enable us to manufacture our own raw material and conserve to the state the money paid out for its manufacture. He urged the ladies, upon whom rested almost entirely the responsibility of buying for the home, to take pains to inquire for Oregon made products and stimulate as far as lay in their power the home industries which we already have. His remarks scintillated with epigrams and trite sayings which gave added emphasis to the facts stated.

The meeting of the Red Cross was in progress in the sewing room at the same time, the ladies adjourning with their knitting and other work to the Assembly hall for the purpose of listening to Mr. Clark's address.

PIONEER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

Mary Conway, of Foster Road, died Tuesday morning at the age of 86 years. She was born in Monahan, Ireland in 1832, came to America and settled on Conway Homestead in 1871, where she lived the remainder of her life. She leaves one brother, Philip Murphy, of San Francisco, and three children, Mrs. Gentry, Mrs. Clark and Jacob Conway. Funeral services were held at St. Peters church, Lents this, (Thursday) morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Franklin Team Wins Game.

The Franklin High School football eleven have certainly started in the year with flying colors. In the opening game of the season which was played Tuesday afternoon on the Multnomah field, they won a game with the High School of Commerce by a score of 64 to 0. This game was the opening game of the Inter-scholastic league. "Pudge" Brown was the star player of the Franklin team and led his eleven to victory. The game was played in a masterly fashion from start to finish with several spectacular feats which were as neat as any one would want to see.

WEDDING BELLS AT MILLARD AVENUE

A recent social event of local interest was the wedding of Miss Lois Burch and Mr. Allen Black, which took place at the little Millard Ave. Presbyterian church last Wednesday evening, Sept. 12th. The ceremony was read by Rev. Wm. Harvey Amos, pastor of the church, under a beautiful wedding bell made personally by Mrs. Orley Gilbert, a close friend of the bride. The church was very artistically decorated by Messrs McLoney, Jordan, Crum and Jeffrey in a bower of green under which the bridal party stood. Before the ceremony a very beautiful song was rendered by Miss Edith Tharey.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white tulle with pearl beads. She carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and wore a veil with a lace cap trimmed with orange blossoms. The Matrons of honor, Mrs. Geo. Neilson (Claire Burch, sister of the bride,) wore a handsome gown of lavender silk trimmed in silver lace, and Miss Marcita Howard wore pink georgette crepe over messaline. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Arthur Johnson. The little flower girls were little Roberta Burch and Jewel Clutcheff, cousin to the bride. The ushers were Misses Marguerite Burch and Vivian Culver.

The young couple left immediately for their new home at the Roselyn apartments at No. 110, N. 21 St., Portland, Ore.

COUNTY FAIR PROVES FINANCIAL SUCCESS

It is estimated that the receipts of the Multnomah County Fair were nearly \$3,200. They would undoubtedly have been larger but for the heavy rains of Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. It is quite certain that after all expenses have been met there will be a neat surplus left. The premiums are being paid by the appropriation made by the last Legislature and this money cannot be diverted to any other cause.

NO PLACE LIKE HOME Lents Tourist Longs For Rain And Soft Water.

If the charms of Oregon wane, just take a trip to some more favored clime. The longer the absence the stronger becomes the lure of the Beaver State. This is the experience of Mrs. R. E. Thomas, of Woodmere who is visiting relatives and friends in Southern California. Letters received by friends announce that she is having a delightful time, but will be glad to get home once more to "rain" and "soft water." Everything in that land of sunshine she writes is looking gray and dry.

One of the pleasant coincidences of the trip has been the meeting of a sister Rebekah from Scranton, Pa., who resides on the same street as her brother, which was like a visit at her old home. Last letters received were written from Sawtelle, at which place she had visited the National Soldiers' Home, having over thirty-six hundred inmates. It is a wonderful institution providing the comforts of a home to these men who have served their country so well in the past. Mrs. Thomas expects to be home by the first of the month.

Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. J. Henderson, of 94th St., was given a very pleasant surprise on Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday. A number of her friends were invited in to tea by her daughter, Miss Margaret, and the evening greatly enjoyed. Later the guests were taken home in the new Ford, which brought to a most delightful climax the evening's pleasure.

NEWSITEMS FROM DOWN THE LINE

Chronicle of Weekly Events in Arleta And Kern Park Varied And Full Of Interesting Doings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson have moved to their new home at 62nd Ave. and 77th St. S. E. Mrs. Johnson is a daughter of Mr. D. W. Gardner, 6536 80th St. Mr. Johnson left the last of the week for the Bremerton Navy Yards, where he expects to work during the winter.

The reception given to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Black and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neilson was a very successful social event. Many friends were present, extending hearty congratulations to the contracting parties. The brides were the recipients of many beautiful gifts bestowed by loving friends and acquaintances. A musical program was rendered. Punch and cake were served by the young ladies of the Millard Ave. Church.

Little Annie Vail was taken quite ill in Sunday School Sunday morning. She is still confined to her bed, but is much improved.

Mrs. G. E. Reed, of 78th St. and 67th Ave., has received several letters from her eldest son, James, who is at Camp Green. The boys enjoyed the trip immensely. The first thing he did upon his arrival was to attend the Christian Endeavor service, taking three of the boys with him. They visited all the places of interest and were much pleased with their visit to the cotton mills where they witnessed the weaving of all kinds of cotton material. He sent a "Hello" to all his friends at home, and said that he was feeling fine. Much of the spare time of the boys he said was spent at the library where the best of reading was to be found and which was greatly enjoyed by the boys.

Mildred, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zehring is very ill with pneumonia at her home on 45th Ave. and 76th St.

Mrs. Florence Fletcher has been ill for the past few weeks. Her friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Pound is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Orley Pound Gilbert, at their home, 4928 71st St.

Messrs. Gilbert, Crum, Jordan, Hollingworth and McKenzie went black-berrying one day during the past week. For further information ask Mrs. Crum and Mrs. Gilbert.

Little Nanette Younge spent the week end with her cousin, Miss Marian Usher, 7626 62nd Ave.

Miss Myrtle Campbell leaves on Saturday for Eugene, where she will enter the University of Oregon. She is in her sophomore year.

Miss Sadie Carlson spent Sunday with her parents at Forest Grove.

CITY FISH MARKET DOES BIG BUSINESS

Portland is certainly having to meet its own problems in dealing with various combines organized for the purpose of obtaining a monopoly on food products and other public necessities. It would seem that these would-be monopolists, short-sighted though they be, would see that they are only hastening the end of all kinds of combines in food products, if not in public utilities of all kinds. The municipal fish market opened the first of the week was rushed to such an extent that before the first day was ended three men were needed to do what one man had started out to accomplish. The people are being driven to the wall with high prices and anything and everything that has a tendency to relieve the situation is welcomed. The worst feature of the case is that in most instances it is felt that prices are being inflated beyond reason. The municipality can, if it will, take matters in hand and put the local profiteers out of business.

STABBING AFFRAY ON STREETS OF LENTS.

Lents was the scene of a stabbing affray on Sunday afternoon about two o'clock in which a man named Paine, residing on Belmont St. on the East side, had his face laid open, supposedly with a knife in the hands of Frank Lane, of 86th St. Paine, it is understood, came out to Lents to visit friends and was standing in front of the Lents Pharmacy when Lane, who chanced to pass on the opposite side of the street, saw him and crossed over and did the deed before any one realized what was happening. Paine fell to the sidewalk where he lay for some few minutes when he was assisted by a bystander into the office of Dr. Hess and his wound, which was a bad one, attended to. Lane caught a car for the city where later in the day he gave himself up and is being held for trial. There is said to have been bad blood between the two men for some time past.

Meeting of St. Paul's Guild.

The Guild of St. Paul's Mission, Woodmere held their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. W. Smith, 73rd Ave. S. E. There was an exceptionally large attendance and a pleasant social time was enjoyed in addition to the amount of work accomplished. Luncheon was served at 1:00 o'clock. The afternoon was spent in working on the quilts which the ladies are preparing for the missionary box which forms a part of their annual work.

Franklin Glee Clubs Attend State Fair.

Franklin High School Glee Clubs are in Salem today where, under the direction of Prof. Walsh, of the music department, they are participating in Portland Day festivities. Misses Fay Hornschuch and Grace Jasper, of Lents, are members of the Girls' Club.

Loses Fingers In Saw.

Anthony Merrishew, who lives just beyond the Junction and is employed at the Rice & Kinder mill met with an accident the last of the week by which he lost the four fingers of his right hand. He was operating a rimmer saw and in its operation used his hand where he should have used an implement provided for that purpose, with the result that his hand was dragged into the saw and the fingers severed. He is recovering as well as could be expected.

Teddy Lee, of 9611 57th Ave., was at least successful in raising a bumper gunflower in his garden, whatever else its contents may have been. This particular specimen is a trifle over four feet in circumference and measures 18 inches across at the widest part. The stalk was nine inches in circumference.