

### Mt. Scott Herald

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#### One Way Out.

The city of Portland is about to establish a fish stand near the public market in order to protect the people from the fish trust and also to put a crimp in the unlawful profits of that lawless corporation. The people should respond by going on a fish diet for a few weeks, patronizing the municipal stand exclusively. There is more than one way to kill a cat and if the Trust refuse to respond to Hoover they may be brought to time by the proposed plan. It is said that fish is a brain food. Incidentally while we are putting the Fish Trust out of commission by purchasing our fish at the municipal stand we may develop sufficient brain power to enable us to see that municipal ownership might solve a few more of our problems. It seems to be recognized as the only way to beat the wood trust and the fish trust, how about the other corporations that are howling for increased rates and prices?--M. G. H.

#### "Pay Up" Week.

We have heard of "clean up" week, "dress up" week, "old home" week, "go to church" week, and numerous other varieties of special week, but here is a brand new one. The "Merchants Trade Journal" has inaugurated a national "pay up" week. Sounds good to us! Likewise, we expect it sounds good to our creditors. If every one will pay us up we will be able to pull off our individual stunt and keep the money in circulation. The way it works, according to its sponsors, one \$5.00 bill travels all the way from Maine to California, paying debts all along the line. Let's get in the line of march and help along a good cause.--M. G. H.

#### More Profiteering.

One barrel of flour costs \$11 and makes 300 16-ounce loaves of bread because of the water used. It should not cost but \$9 a barrel because of the profits in the sale of bran and shorts more than make up for the cost of grinding; but the government is slow to actually cut down profits of the milling combine as it is slow to cut down the profits of the copper, steel and coal trusts to six per cent. When the bakers bought flour for \$6 a barrel they retailed bread made from it for \$15, and some of them grew rich at the business. Much of the bread was wasted and turned back to them in the course of the lax business methods followed. Allowing \$6 a barrel for handling is ample, whether flour be one price or the other. The bakery combines in the cities should be compelled to retail bread the rate of \$17 for 300 loaves. If the dealers will not do so the municipalities should take over the bakeries and do it. With no bread returned and no bread fed to hogs because two days old, the cities could make big money at that rate. In other words, the people in the cities are paying \$30 for bread that should not cost them over \$15. These facts can be approximately ascertained in 24 hours, and the fact that in Europe a pound loaf of bread of excellent quality and made out of wheat raised on American soil and transported thousands of miles is retailed for less than half of what it is retailed for here shows that we are submitting to robbery in this country with the patience of "dumb, driven cattle," and seem to enjoy the process. The individual remedy is to buy wheat by the sack and grind it up in a good stout mill as a

health exercise. A pound of bread will cost in that way about four cents instead of ten.

The strike in San Francisco over the streetcar difficulties has cost millions, and if a general strike is ordered will cost tens of millions, directly and indirectly. Charge this loss up to the insanity of expecting a private corporation to operate a public utility, which seems to possess the minds of vast numbers of people as the correct thing, and we have the cost of purchasing them far outreached by the cost of keeping up the folly. The publicly owned streetcar lines of San Francisco have no trouble, give better service than the company lines, and make two cents out of every five cents collected as profit. "What fools we mortals be" was written three centuries ago. It still is true.

The woman at home has to endure, too.

### W.C.T.U. NOTES

Mrs. Jeanette Gessell, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Ella Fankhauser and Mrs. Sommerfeldt attended the Multnomah County annual convention the 21st to 23rd. The convention was the largest and most interesting of any held for many years. Reports of departments of work showed much activity, the Soldiers and Sailors department and Labor department being among the coordinated departments grouped into a national committee for patriotic service taking the lead. Central Union had the best report in the Labor work, food administration meetings, public meetings in the interests of home economics and an increase in amount of work in gardening.

Literature report came next, 100,000 pages of literature being distributed, in which was included magazines and leaflets of department specialties sent to camps, factories, fire stations and farmers' homes.

Publicity work had been well attended to. The press was reported as being most cordial, giving a large amount of space to the work.

The regular meeting of the Mt. Scott Union was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gessell, 89th St. The election of officers which was deferred at the last meeting was completed at this time, the following being elected to serve during the coming year: President, Mrs. Sommerfeldt; vice-president, Mrs. Dunbar; recording secretary, Mrs. Gessell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Sager; treasurer, Mrs. Ella Fankhauser. The vice-presidents for the churches are, Mrs. Esther Fankhauser, Evangelical; Mrs. Rowley, Methodist; Mrs. Dunbar, Friends. Superintendents of the following departments were appointed: Evangelistic, Flower Mission, Labor and Press, Social and Red Letter days, Purity, and Mothers' Meetings. Mrs. L. F. Addison was made chairman of a committee to prepare a calendar for the coming year, which is to be gotten out soon after the State Convention.

Mrs. Sommerfeldt was appointed delegate to the State Convention to be held at Albany next week.

The next meeting will also be held at the home of Mrs. Gessell in two weeks.

**CERTAINLY I'll Exchange It, Madam**  
  
**The Home Merchant Is ANXIOUS TO PLEASE**  
He KNOWS you You KNOW him  
Can you exchange so readily when you buy out of town?  
**THINK IT OVER TRADE AT HOME**

### Church Notes

Methodist Church.

On Sunday morning next the annual Rally Day services for the Sunday School will be held at the hour for the regular church service. The program will include a Missionary Pageant. The program is entitled "Flags of Freedom" and is missionary-patriotic in character. The young people's classes will participate with a few numbers from the primary department. The Sunday School hour will also be largely devoted to Rally Day, the primary department holding their exercises at that time, while the main school will devote the time to the grading and arranging of classes preparatory to installing the graded lessons throughout the school on the following Sunday. Dr. Geo. Pratt, superintendent of the Centenary Sunday School, will be present Sunday morning and give an address on Sunday School work.

Sunday evening Mrs. L. W. Owen, president of the National Father's Day Association, will speak. Mrs. Owen is speaking to large audiences all over the city. She has a rich and varied experience gathered from 41 years of platform work during which time she has spoken in every penitentiary in the United States. Her addresses abound in human-interest stories taken from real life. Come and hear her.

The pastor, Rev. F. M. Jasper, left Tuesday morning for Springfield, the seat of the annual conference. The work of the year was brought to a successful termination and Mr. Jasper goes to Conference with the unanimous wish of his church for his return another year.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at the parsonage on Wednesday afternoon of next week. Mrs. Fyock will be the leader. The first chapter of Mrs. Fisher's book, "Under the Crescent and Among the Kraals," will be discussed. Members are asked to look up incidents on Africa Missionary work for roll call.

#### Friends Church.

Miss Terrill preached Sunday morning on "Faith," what it is and what it does; in the evening on "Prepare to Meet Thy God." A large number of visitors were present at both services.

The Aeronaut Sunday School class held its monthly business meeting and social at the home of Miss Evelyn Hyland on 85th street Friday evening. Miss Theodora Dunbar was elected president on account of the resignation of Carroll Tamplin who went to Newberg to enter College Wednesday.

#### Millard Ave. Presbyterian Church.

A musical recital was given at the Millard Ave. Church Monday evening, the 24th inst. at 8:00 o'clock, by Dr. Henry Collins, baritone, organist and pianist, well known in recitals in most States of the Union as well as in Canada and London. This recital was given under the auspices of the Pacific Coast Rescue and Protective Society. Pictures were shown illustrating the work of the society in caring for the unfortunate girl mothers and their abandoned babies, Mr. Jehu operating the machine, while Mrs. Jehu explained the pictures to the audience. It furnished a heart-rending lesson and when the program was finished many volunteered to sell tags on the annual tag day of the institution, Oct. 6th. Any who will volunteer to assist in this work are requested to phone to W. G. McLaren at the Portland Commons.

The Trustees of the Millard Ave. Church held their regular meeting on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orley Gilbert.

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Hazel Lent, Plaintiff, vs. Frank Lent, Defendant.  
To Frank Lent, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 24th day of November, 1917, said date being more than six weeks from the 27th day of September, 1917, the date of the order for publication of this summons and more than six weeks from the 27th day of September, 1917, the date of the first publication of said summons; and if you fail to answer or otherwise appear herein, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint herein, to-wit: For a Judgment and Decree of Divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and for the care, custody and control of the minor children, to-wit: Leland Lent and Marian Lent, and for such other and further relief as may seem just and equitable in the premises.  
This summons is served upon you by publication thereof, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. P. Kavanaugh, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order is dated Sept. 27th 1917. First Publication Sept. 27, 1917. Last Publication November 8, 1917.  
John Van Zante, Attorney for Plaintiff, 314 Spaulding Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, appointed administrator of the last Will and Testament and Estate of James S. Atkinson, deceased, late of Multnomah County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned at the office of James N. Davis, 201 Journal Building, Portland, Oregon, within six months from this date, duly certified as by law required.  
MINNIE O. ATKINSON, Administrator.  
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Mme. Schuman-Heink, who has sons in both the German and American armies, sang before 3000 enlisted men at the Presidio, San Francisco, recently under the auspices of the Army Y. M. C. A. The concert was held in the open in the rear of the Army Y. M. C. A. building at the Presidio.

"If you must swear," reads a sign in an Army Y. M. C. A. tent at Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Calif., "whistle it."

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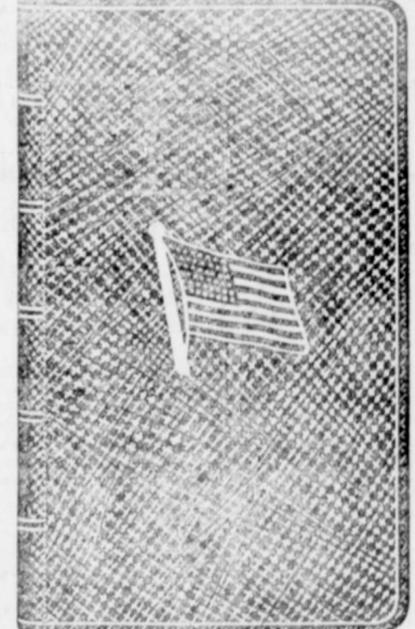
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