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## GIVING PLEASURE PROVES DELIGHTFUL

Afternoon Party in Honor of Grandma Sager and Mrs. Jensen.

Those who are acquainted with Mrs. W. J. McNeil of 9612 Foster Road know that it is her custom each year to give a party to bring joy and happiness to the hearts of some elderly lady or ladies. In the past such functions have always been a delight, but from all reports reaching this office (from several sources) the party given last Saturday afternoon in honor of Grandma Sager and Mrs. J. A. Jensen and daughter from Lane County surpassed all previous efforts. About thirty ladies were present, and the only criticism we can offer is that we weren't invited, for they must have had a lovely time. It was not possible for all to be seated at the table so Grandmas Sager, Spring and Worden, with Mrs. A. F. Miller, Mrs. Rusk, Mrs. J. A. Jensen, Mrs. McGrew and Mrs. R. E. Thomas were seated at the dining table, while the rest of the company joined hands around them as Mrs. Miller asked the blessing. The rest of the guests then found seats in adjoining rooms. Those present were, Grandma Sager, Mrs. J. A. Jensen and her daughter, Miss Evelyn Rose, of Florence, Grandma Worden, Grandma Spring, Mrs. Geo. Spring, Jr., Mrs. A. F. Miller, Mrs. McGrew, Mrs. F. M. Peters, Mrs. A. H. Nelson, Mrs. Heintzelman, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. O. B. Guisness, Mrs. E. R. Linn, Mrs. Emma Hotchkiss, Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Mrs. F. M. Peters, Mrs. George Dille, Mrs. T. J. Riley, Mrs. Harold Riley, Miss Stella Henderson, Mrs. T. J. Kreuder, Mrs. O. M. Forte, Mrs. G. E. Furey, Mrs. Rusk, Mrs. Linn, Mrs. Falser, Miss Hazel Johnson, Mrs. F. L. Souffins, Miss Myrtle McNeil, Miss Genevieve Deardorf, Mrs. McNeil and sons Donald and Gordon, and last but not least in importance, the little Misses Lucille Furey and Alice Kreuder.

The enjoyment of the occasion was added to by the tasteful arrangement of the flowers. There was a large red bouquet of geraniums signifying the love that all bore towards the guests of honor, white carnations for motherhood, violets for fragrance, and chrysanthemums for grace. A few words with reference to the age and birthplace of each of those seated at the table were most appropriate and of great interest.

The combined age of the eight ladies of honor was 528, or an average age of 66. Grandma Worden and Grandma Spring are each 79 and Grandma Sager 72. Only one of the ladies was born in Oregon, Mrs. McGrew, whose childhood was spent at Sycamore. Mrs. Sager was born in Tennessee. Mrs. Spring in England, Mrs. Worden in Indiana, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Rusk in Illinois, Mrs. Jensen in California, and Mrs. Thomas in Pennsylvania.

Musical numbers were furnished by Mrs. Harold Riley, Miss Genevieve Deardorf, Miss Myrtle McNeil, and Mrs. McNeil, the latter contributing some old songs by special request.

The atmosphere of the whole afternoon was typical of the grangers, and almost all of those present were either past or present members of that organization. Even Mrs. Jensen, the visitor from Florence was formerly a member of Lents Grange. Under such auspices, it is easy to believe that the dinner was a good one, and the whole program full of happiness and good cheer.

### FRANKLIN HIGH.

Professor John Straub, Dean of Willamette University spoke before the Assembly Monday morning, advising High School students to make all preparations and plans to go to College. The June '18 class had a cider and doughnut sale Tuesday noon.

The Sophomores are securing a Service Flag, which will be presented at a specially called assembly, at which the Football Championship will also be presented. The flag has been made by Miss Evelyn Highland of 85th street, Lents.

The Tri-L Club gave a party in the gym Tuesday night to which all the girls of the school were invited.

## POST AND CIRCLE INSTALL OFFICERS

Delightful Evening Program in Connection With Joint Installation.

The ladies of Shiloh Circle, and the men of the G. A. R., held a joint installation in the Oddfellows Hall Saturday evening, when the following officers were installed:

For the Circle:  
President, Mrs. O. M. Forte; Senior Vice, Mrs. S. Bush; Junior Vice, Mrs. Deaton; Secretary, Mrs. Ely; Treasurer, Mrs. Alice Woodworth; Conductor, Mrs. Lulu Schermerhorn; Assistant Conductor, Mrs. Tussey; Chaplain, Mrs. Lininger; Guard, Mrs. Drake; Assistant Guard, Mrs. Hamlin. The installing officers were, Mrs. Benvy of Portland, Mrs. Mary Robinson, and Mrs. Ellwood.

For the G. A. R. Post:  
Commander, John Walrod; Senior Vice, Levi Lininger; Junior Vice, J. L. Scheuerman; Adjutant, E. A. Hamlin; Quartermaster, C. C. Wiley; Sergeant, Frank Strickrott; Chaplain, James Anderson; Officer for the Day, R. S. Hummel; Officer of the Guard, S. D. Peterson; Sergeant of the Guard, G. W. Day; Quartermaster's Sergeant, R. J. Tussey.

The installing officers were from Portland. Mrs. Robinson delighted her audience with one of her delightful recitations, and one of the old veterans sang a patriotic song. A banquet concluded the evening's program.

## MT. SCOTT MENTAL CULTURE CLUB

The Mt. Scott Mental Culture Club met Thursday afternoon, Jan. 3rd, at Mrs. Calvin K. Butters' home, 4038-72nd street. The Hindu poet, Robinson Tagore, was the study subject and the afternoon proved one of the most interesting of the year.

Mrs. F. N. Dobbs gave an excellent sketch of Tagore's life and Miss Colman read his lyrical drama, "Chitra," delightfully. Mrs. Wm. Woodham read extracts from "The Crescent Moon," and Mrs. Frederic Armstrong from "Gitonjah." (Song offerings)

Mrs. S. F. Ball and Mrs. J. J. Handaker were elected delegates to the city Federation of Women's Clubs and Mrs. Jean McLoney and Mrs. G. W. Snider alternates.

Roll call was answered with impromptu "self estimates" given in words beginning with one's own initials. The opinions were varied, ranging from "Eternally Careless" to "Always Serene" and proved highly diverting.

The next regular meeting of the Club will be the annual Red Letter Day, (Scholarship Loan Fund Day) and will be held at Mrs. Saylor Smith's home, 533 Marguerite avenue. Dean Mary Fawcett of O. A. C. will give an address on "Building Your Girl" and a delightful afternoon is assured all who attend.

The usual Red Cross Work Meeting will be held Thursday of this week at Mrs. Wm. Woodham's, Kern Park.

## GOOD PROGRAM FOR LENTS P. T. A.

Speakers Will Advise Graduating Pupils Friday Jan. 18.

The Lents Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the School Assembly Hall Jan. 18th at 2:30 p. m.

It is hoped that a large number will attend as this will be a very important meeting. The first address on the program will deal with "The Future School Work of the Grammar School Graduates." It will be given by Superintendent L. R. Alderman or someone directed by him. This address will be of special interest to parents of members of the graduating class as questions about the different lines of work carried on in the various High Schools and Trade Schools will be answered at this time. Mr. N. G. Pike, of the School Board and formerly president of the Portland Rotary Club will give a talk entitled "A Glimpse of Nature", which deals with fundamental facts of human nature. Come out to hear it. Mrs. M. K. Hedge will sing. Punch will be served. Keep the date in mind, Jan. 18th at 2:30 p. m., and be there for the entire program.

**Conjugal Amenities.**  
She—I was a fool when I married you. He—Aren't you a fool still? She—No I am not. He—Then you should be thankful to me for reforming you.—London Tit-Bits.

## MONTHLY GRANGE MEETING SATURDAY

Third and Fourth Degrees and Public Installation Must Proceed with the Master Absent

Saturday forenoon the Lents Grange meets in the Oddfellows Hall to confer the third and fourth degrees on some candidates. Saturday forenoon, T. J. Kreuder takes the train for Denver, Colo., where he goes as a delegate to the W. O. W. Convention in session at that place. Mr. Kreuder was recently elected to the position as Master of the local Grange for the eighth term, and a public installation of the officers is scheduled for the afternoon. Undoubtedly his absence will be felt, but perhaps all the more on that account the entire membership is turning out on that occasion to do the best that they can for the good of the order. The afternoon session is open to the public.

## CHILDREN'S BANKS NOW POPULAR

January 15 Sees Operation of 6-Cent Fare. Pennies Will Be in Great Demand.

As was predicted by the Herald at the time of the first decision, the Public Service Commission has now handed down another commission granting the P. R. L. & P. Co. the relief prayed for to the extent of allowing them to charge six cents for car rides. They refused, however, to allow them to charge extra for their transfers. The new ruling goes into effect January 15. The schedule of prices have been set as follows: Cash fares six cents. Unlimited tickets, five for 30¢, on sale by all conductors. Unlimited tickets in books, 50 tickets for \$2.75, or 5¼¢ a ride. Limited school children's tickets 4¢ each. All tickets and cash fares to include transfer privileges.

The Commission's order goes very exhaustively into the subject in all its phases, and occupies 17 single spaced typewritten pages.

The attitude of the general public seems to be one of resignation, and determination to make the best of a bad job. As was to be expected no one is particularly pleased over the prospect and the Street Car Company is being pretty soundly abused by the "man in the street" car. Apparently the only contemplated action is that proposed by the City Commissioners who have authorized the City Attorney to appeal the case. It is being openly stated that this is only a sop to the public feelings and that it is perfectly certain that the Supreme Court will uphold the Public Service Commission as having a right to change the fares of this public service corporation, in spite of their franchise with the City.

The chief result of this new order will be to make the penny increase in popularity. Whether the patience and courtesy of both conductors and passengers will increase in equal proportion is somewhat doubtful, but with the spirit of loyalty and patriotism abroad, and a more liberal giving spirit called for on every side it is expected that little trouble will ensue. Pa and Ma will undoubtedly dig out the pennies from little Johnnie's bank—they can probably be trusted to put in the equivalent in silver. Penny change will come into fashion in other commodities, and the prudent family will arrange to save the extra cent for each ride on other purchases, all of which will conduce to thrift habits, and "it's an ill wind that blows neebuddy any guid" anyway.

## DISTRICT NO. 45 P. T. A.

District 45 school has its regular meeting of Parent Teacher's Association on Friday afternoon 3:15. It is hoped there will be a large attendance.

**Card of Thanks.**  
I wish to express my sincere thanks to the good friends, the Grange and the Women of Woodcraft for their kindly sympathy in the loss of my son, Bruce Ross, in his country's service, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.  
Mrs. J. A. Jensen.

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Portland Boy Scouts are doing their mite in the War Savings Stamps thrift campaign. Two scouts are detailed every day for office work at headquarters and they are helping otherwise in furthering the work.

## LENTS AUXILIARY ELECTS OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Well Attended. Reports Show Much Sewing Done.

The Lents Auxiliary of the Red Cross held a very interesting annual meeting Tuesday, Jan. 8th at the school house. A large number of workers were present who sewed all day and enjoyed a nice luncheon at noon in the school dining room.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Chester McGrew re-elected chairman; Mrs. A. E. Hamilton, vice chairman; Mrs. Clyde E. Sager, re-elected secretary; Mrs. Frank Foster, re-elected treasurer.

Mrs. Sager read a report of work turned into headquarters since the auxiliary was organized in June, as follows: 124 shoulder wraps, 10 hot water bag covers, 11 ice bag covers, 7 pajama suits, 4 pairs bed sox, 50 hospital bed sheets, 52 handkerchiefs, 77 napkins, 51 skull bands, 57 body bands, 14 pillow slips, 20 tray cloths, 13 sheets, 80 arm slings, 20 pillows, 8 surgeons aprons, 8 packages gun wipes (turned in by school boys.) Mrs. Alma Lord in charge of knitting reported as follows: 16 pairs socks, 8 sweaters, 10 pair wristlets.

The auxiliary has a fund of \$40.00 on hand for incidental expenses, besides having turned in \$50.00 to headquarters.

Meeting days are Tuesdays of each week from 10 to 4 o'clock in room 15 of the Lents school house. Will be pleased to have all who can, come and work with them either all or part of the day. If any one has a sewing machine not in use, would be very glad to have the use of it, for there are not enough machines for the workers.

## DRUGGIST CELEBRATES HIS TWENTY-FIRST (?) BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Armstrong Gives Surprise

On Monday evening, January 7th, Mrs. Roy D. Armstrong, wife of the popular Millard avenue pharmacist, gave a surprise party on her husband in honor of his twenty-first (?) birthday. The evening was spent in music and games, and licking the Kaiser. Mr. Armstrong looked real coy, as he had his hair parted so as to cover his bald spot, but all the ladies present were married, so it was of no avail.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Doran, and Mr. and Mrs. Cohen of 55th avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Reisinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Blatchley of 64th avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Benedel of East 20th street, and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders of 72nd street.

The event was a great success, there being but one interruption during the evening, and that was when Mr. Armstrong halted the festivities while he put the baby to bed, this being his daily chore.

## I Believe In My Country

*I believe  
That there are greater things in life  
Than life itself;  
I believe  
In climbing upward  
Even when the spent and broken thing  
I call my body  
Or is "Halt!"  
I believe  
To the last breath  
In the truths  
Which God permits me to see;  
I believe  
In fighting for them,  
In drawing,  
If need be,  
Not the bloody sword of man  
Brutal with conquest  
And drunk with power,  
But the white sword of God,  
Flaming with His truth  
And healing while it slays.  
I believe  
In my country and her destiny,  
In the great dream of her founders,  
In her place among the nations,  
In her ideals;  
I believe  
That her democracy must be protected,  
Her privileges cherished,  
Her freedom defended;  
I believe  
That, humbly before the Almighty,  
But proudly before all mankind,  
We must safeguard her standard,  
The vision of her Washington,  
The martyrdom of her Lincoln,  
With the patriotic ardor  
Of the minutemen  
And the boys who fought  
In her glorious past;  
I believe  
In loyalty to my country,  
Uffer, irrevocable, inviolate,  
Thou, in whose sight  
A thousand years are but as yesterday  
And as a watch in the night,  
Help me  
In my frailty  
To make real  
What I believe.  
—Elias Lieberman in New York Times.*

## NEWSY ITEMS FROM DOWN THE LINE

Chronicle of Weekly Events in Arieta and Kern Park Varied and Full of Interesting Doings

Both Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Boon, of Kern Park have been suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jordan, 71st St. and 54th Ave. have been having a siege of la grippe. They are reported better.

Mr. W. Lope, 7820, 63 Ave. was called to St. Helens last Sunday by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Mary Lope. Miss Gertrude Taylor spent the weekend out at Mt. Zion with Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland. She reports a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prontice, who went to Colorado to stay returned to Portland about Christmas. Oregon looks good to them.

Miss Olive Jones, 68th and 53rd Ave., daughter of Mr. James Jones, is somewhat better. She has been the victim of near-pneumonia.

Mr. F. A. Carlson, of the Gales Creek neighborhood near Forest Grove, and formerly of Kern Park, was in the city the first of the week.

Miss Marie Glaze, recently spent a few days with her parents at 5727 71st St., S. E. Miss Glaze is teaching about twelve miles from Forest Grove.

Mrs. Taylor dispatched a box of homemade candy, and some other things to her son Harry, who is in Honolulu, Tuesday. Harry has sent some beautiful presents home to his family.

The condition of Mrs. Elizabeth McRoberts, 5729 71st St. S. E., is about the same. She is, however, able to be up at least part of the time. Her daughters are in almost constant attendance.

Henrietta Wood, little daughter of Mr. W. T. Wood, 48th Ave. and 73rd St. S. E. is in the hospital for treatment for one of her eyes. The trouble has been pronounced by the doctor to be eczema.

Mr. Baker, father of Henry Baker of 64th St., S. E., who has been visiting here returned to his home in Washington County, Oregon, Monday. He has suffered a slight stroke of paralysis recently.

Mr. Clyde Perry, of the Aviation Corps, Vancouver, Wash. visited his mother, Mrs. Lillie Perry, 4224 66th St. S. E. last Saturday. Mrs. Perry has received word from her son Roy, Co. C. 3, naval training camp, that he is on his way to San Diego.

Mr. B. L. Yost, 7604 57th Ave. S. E., left last week to join the 20th Engineer Corps in the lumberman's division. On account of his experience in the lumber business he will be especially valuable in the constructing of portable bridges and other sawmill work.

Several local members of Lincoln Garfield Corps No. 19, W. R. C., attended the joint installation of the Post and Corps, last Friday. Mrs. Beldin was installed for the 20th year as musician. She is also Dept. Aid. In the evening all adjourned to the Post room and had a social dance.

Sunday last, January 6, was the eighteenth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkin's wedding. Your correspondent had the pleasure of spending the afternoon and taking lunch with them. Mrs. Wilkins is active in the W. C. T. U. work, and, under Mrs. Addition is assistant State Labor Commissioner for that body.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Kellogg school meets this week, Friday the 10th, in the school assembly room. The address will be given by Dr. W. F. Amos, M. D., of the Selling Bldg. on "Parents and the Health and Hygiene of the Child in the Home." Dr. Amos is especially interested in the work of the parent-teacher organizations.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walker, of 4920, 71st St. moved last Monday to a new home at 199 E. 30th St. Mrs. Walker recently bought her home at 4920-71st St. but, on account of the inconvenience in the distance from the city for her sons, Messrs Roy, Leland, and Earl Johnson, she has thought it best to move nearer the center of activities.

## Appros of Six-Cent Fares?

The evening lesson was from the book of Job, and the minister had just read, "Yea, the light of the wicked shall be put out," when immediately the church was in total darkness.

"Brethren," said the minister, with scarcely a moment's pause, "in view of the sudden and startling fulfillment of this prophecy, we will spend a few minutes in silent prayer for the electric lighting company."—Boston Transcript.

## EVENING STAR AND RUSSELLVILLE GRANGES

Joint Installation Held in Evening Star Hall, Saturday, Jan. 5.

Evening Star Grange No. 27, held the annual installation of officers at a large meeting in their hall on Section Line Road and 80th street, Saturday, Jan. 5, 1918. There were 200 present, many from other granges and some from the State of Washington. Russellville Grange officers were present by invitation and were installed jointly with Evening Star officers. The installing officers were Mrs. E. A. Niblin, Past-master of Evening Star, Harry E. Hall and Mrs. Josephine Pickard.

The morning session was devoted to ordinary business, reading and adopting reports of officers. At noon a basket dinner was served in charge of Mrs. Amburn, chairman of the banquet committee. After all had done their best and while still at the tables, a diversion was introduced by Mrs. Edith Tozier Weathered, consisting of several dummy telegrams from the Kaiser and others which were amusing and touched directly upon the ever present war situation, after which Bruce Dennis of the State League of Defense made a vigorous talk upon conditions in our state and how to combat them.

After a short intermission all repaired to the lodge room up-stairs, where a musical program was rendered, the entire audience joining therein. The installation then followed, after which reminiscent talks were made by many present.

In striking contrast were the two Masters installed. J. J. Johnson of Evening Star, a veteran of 15 consecutive years service, and Charles Wicklander of Russellville, who for the first time assumed the arduous duties of the position. Each is supported by a good bevy of officers and an enthusiastic and harmonious membership. It is safe to predict that these granges will have a successful year.

Officers of Evening Star:  
Master, J. J. Johnson; Overseer, S. H. Covell; Lecturer, A. L. Keenan; Steward, E. J. Spooner; Assistant Steward, H. E. Hall; Chaplain, Mrs. W. W. Amburn; Treasurer, Miss Wilda Buckman; Secretary, Mrs. Mary R. Gebhardt; Gate Keeper, A. H. Nichols; Ceres, Miss Ethel Amburn; Pomona, Miss Dana Small; Flora, Miss Irene Elliott; Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs. Josephine Pickard; Musician, Miss Bernice Elliott.

Officers of Russellville Grange:  
Master, Charles Wicklander; Overseer, Mabel Lewis; Lecturer, H. A. Lewis; Secretary, Linnetta Lewis; Treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Lewis; Steward, Ira Pittman; Assistant Steward, David Lewis; Chaplain, Mrs. Heath; Gate Keeper, Irwin Angel; Ceres, Edna Miller; Pomona, Alice Welbes; Flora, Mrs. Edith Stone; Lady Assistant, Julia Mickelson; Musician, Mrs. Lela Wicklander.

## FOOD CHEAPER IN LENTS.

Miss Edna Burns, formerly an assistant in the Herald office, but now with an Insurance firm down town called on us Saturday. Her parents recently left for Hoquiam, Wash. and she says that since she has had to do her own house-keeping and has been working over town she has been very agreeably surprised to find that Lents prices are lower than those in Portland. She mentioned particularly meat and bread. (Thank you; always glad to be vindicated.) If several hundred more housekeepers will test this out also, they too will be agreeably surprised; not only so, but the community as a whole will share in the rejoicing for nothing will so improve financial conditions in our district quite so much as trading at home!

## MR. AND MRS. GILBERT ENTERTAIN.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gilbert, of 4928 71st St. have been entertaining out of town guests. Among their visitors are included Mr. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gilbert of Brooks, Ore., who spent a week end; Mrs. Gilbert's mother, Mrs. V. M. Pound, of Salem, who made a seven-day visit; Mr. Gilbert's uncle, Mr. Charles A. Winslow, of Olympia, Wash., who is staying three or four days; and Mrs. Gilbert's brother, Dr. B. F. Pound, 1st Lieut. 347th Light artillery, American Lake. Dr. Pound is accompanied by his wife and baby daughter, Alice. They are now at Salem visiting the doctor's mother, Mrs. V. M. Pound, and will return to Portland the last of the week.

**Buy Thrift Stamp to the grocer!**