

## CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SUNDAY EVENING AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Sunday at 12 o'clock noon the ladies of St. Peter's parish will serve dinner in St. Peter's hall. The public is invited to come. In the evening at 7:30 the following program will be given. Admission free:

Christmas Chimes, by the children, under the direction of Mrs. Letcher.

Recitation, Arbutus Galow.  
Fairy Dance, by the girls.  
Piano Solo, Eleanor Groner.  
Dance, by Elizabeth Cohn and Bertha Weisback.

"Smarty," by Virginia Endrizzzi and Alphretta Vardy.

Violin Solo, Olive Updike.  
Marie Chapman, accompanist.

Recitation, Hildegard Krueger.  
Song, Mildred Hobson.

"Blowing Bubbles," by the girls.

Dance, by Virginia Endrizzzi.

Recitation, Winifred Gelow.

"Rose of No Man's Land," by Edward Vardy and John Cohn.

Piano Duet, Sylvia Hobson and Catherine O'Brien.

Recitation, Albert Seljeski.

Monday evening the young ladies of the church will give a shadow shower.

Tuesday evening the old folks' charivari. The magic fortune teller will be in attendance at all times. Come and have your fortune told.

## WOMAN THROWN UNDER STREET CAR LOSES ARM

Mrs. T. A. Kaady, living at 5346 62nd street S. E., slipped on the icy steps of a Mt. Scott car Tuesday at Second and Alder street, fell in front of the trailer and suffered the loss of her right arm and may possibly lose her left hand. The woman, who is a Syrian and unable to speak English, had boarded the rear platform of the front car. As the cars swung around the curve at Alder street she lost her balance and fell directly in the path of the trailer. Patrolman F. M. Rich, who saw the woman falling, tried to save her and was almost crushed to death. Mrs. Kaady was rushed to St. Vincent's hospital.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS BANQUETED BY PASTOR

Members of the Loyal Legion, recently organized among the members of the Cheerful Climber class of the Sunday school of the Lents, M. E. church, were tendered a banquet by the pastor, Rev. F. R. Sibley, on last Tuesday evening, in the parlors of the church. Mrs. Sibley and daughters, the Misses Dorothea and Virginia, assisted in serving. In addition to the members of the Loyal Legion there were present Rev. E. A. Smith, Rev. Sibley and Attorney Ernest. The membership of the Cheerful Climber class is steadily growing, the class having been placed on an organized basis recently.

## 230 CHILDREN SERVED HOT LUNCH TUESDAY

The hot noon lunch served by Mrs. E. J. Hess at the Lents school has been very successful financially and gastronomically. On Tuesday of this week two hundred and thirty children were served at the very moderate rate of five cents per. So far the hot lunch has proved self-supporting, Mrs. Hess being mistress of the art of buying supplies and of conserving every scrap of available material. The warm, nourishing soup is a splendid improvement on the cold lunches, and the Parent-Teacher Association is eminently satisfied with the work of Mrs. Hess, and is more than ever convinced of the value of the hot lunch plan.

The Lents auxiliary of the Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. P. Strahl, 6517 88th street, next Tuesday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Weather conditions permitting, Miss Davis, of the Settlement House, will be the principal speaker of the afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

## WAREHOUSE OF UNION OIL COMPANY BURNED THURSDAY EVENING

The oil warehouse and office building of the Union Oil company at Kendall station, intersection of 82nd street and the Estacada carline, burned down yesterday evening. The large storage tanks did not catch fire, the blaze being confined to the warehouse, which contained oil in small quantities only, mostly case lots.

## NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY LENTS EASTERN STAR

At the regular election of Eastern Star officers held on Thursday evening, December 4, the following officers were elected: W. M., Mary Katzky; W. P., C. S. Ogsbury; A. M., Maud Darnall; secretary, Maud Connel; treasurer, Vida Weddle; conductor, Estelle Katzky; A. C., Emma Hanken; chaplain, Mamie Hogue; marshal, Mable Arnett; organist, Etho McCord; Adah, May Howe; Ruth, Edith Droste; Esther, Mabel Snider; Martha, Nell Hornor; Electra, Emma McGrew; warden, Pearl C. Kennedy; sentinel, B. F. Miller.

The public installation of these officers will occur jointly with the Masons on December 27.

## MR. AND MRS. GRAVES ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

On Wednesday afternoon and evening, December 10, Mr. and Mrs. John Graves, of 6107 91st street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and little son, Robert, of 251 Halsey street. Mr. Campbell and Mrs. Graves are cousins and their childhood days were spent in good old Pennsylvania. Mr. Graves is depot master at the Portland Union Station.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Graves were visited by the former's brother, Robert, and his family, who live near Cedar Mills. Henry Sheets and his bride of two weeks were also recent guests for a few days at the Graves home. Mr. Sheets, an old schoolmate of Mr. Graves, is a retired Nebraska farmer. He started farming on a rented place in Nebraska and is today worth in the neighborhood of fifty thousand dollar and is still a comparatively young man. Mr. and Mrs. Sheets will visit in San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego before returning to their home in Norfolk, Neb.

## WALTER SMITH CUTS THUMB OFF WITH AXE

Walter Smith, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith, of 8658 56th avenue, was cutting kindling when in some unfortunate way the axe slipped and cut off one of his thumbs, leaving the severed part hanging by a mere thread. A doctor was called and he succeeded in adjusting the two parts so that the thumb promises to be whole and well again in due time.

## NEXT MEETING OF LENTS PARENT-TEACHER JAN. 16

The Lents Parent-Teacher Association could not hold its December meeting on account of the unusually inclement weather. The next meeting will be held on the third Friday in January. The program will be detailed later.

## Fireman Buy Site for Station

C. L. Coffman came in from Bay City last week to close the deal with the volunteer firemen for the purchase of his lot on 58th avenue for a site for the new fire station to be built by the city.

Mrs. Sarah Coon, of 87th street, and Mrs. Sarah Foster, of 88th street, left Tuesday for southern Oregon to spend the rest of the winter, the former with her son at Grants Pass and the later with a niece in Ashland.

## Waiting for Something to Drop



## CHAUTAUQUA CLUB TO HOLD OPEN MEETING

At the Lents library at two o'clock this (Friday) afternoon, under the auspices of the Chautauqua club, Miss Z. Kostomlatsky, assistant librarian of the Portland Library Association, will speak. This is to be an open meeting of the class, and all friends and interested persons are most cordially invited to come.

## LENTS GRANGE ELECTS OFFICERS TOMORROW

Mrs. F. M. Peters, lecturer of Lents Grange, announces the following program for the meeting tomorrow (Saturday), December 20:

At 10:30 a. m., third and fourth degrees, and election of local and state officers.

At 2:30 p. m., address by Attorney W. H. Dufur on "The Grange and its Purpose."

This is the meeting postponed from last Saturday on account of the storm. All members will please make an attempt to be at the hall promptly at 10:30.

## CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICES AT ST. PETER'S

Masses on Christmas day will be at 8 o'clock and 10:30 a. m. High mass will be at 8 o'clock a. m. The large choir will furnish music for high mass and at 10:30 the children's choir will furnish the music. Leonard's mass will be sung. The sermon will be from the gospel of the day.

## INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. T. J. SMITH DIES

Earl Arthur, the two-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith, of 4628 94th street, died December 12. Funeral services were held at the Kenworthy chapel Monday, December 15, Rev. E. A. Smith, of the Lents Baptist church, officiating. Interment was in Multnomah cemetery.

## FRIENDS SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM CHRISTMAS EVE

The Sunday school of the Friends church will give a program on Christmas eve. This will be in the nature of a white-gift Christmas. The offering taken will go for missionary work in Palestine, Africa, Jamaica and Cuba.

Mrs. Norah Reardon, of 60329 88th street, who underwent an operation for cataract on her eye, returned home from the hospital this week. The bandages have not yet been removed but the success of the operation is assured.

## LOCAL MASONIC LODGE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Election of officers by the Lents Masons was held Thursday, December 11, the following being elected: W. M. Finley O. McGrew; S. W., W. A. Eatchel; J. W., Benjamin F. Miller; secretary, Carl S. Ogsbury; treasurer, P. A. Kennedy; S. D., W. A. Eddy; J. D., Luther E. Beach; S. S., Herbert Martin; J. S. Harvey T. Blakeslee; chaplain, J. G. McGrew; Tyler, John Walrod; trustee, Clyde Hildreth.

## Holly Berries Freeze

The Herald office was presented Wednesday with a branch of holly decked with red and frozen berries from the beautiful tree owned by I. F. Coffman, 6116 92nd street. This is the first time within Mr. Coffman's memory that such a thing as freezing holly berries has occurred in Lents.

## EVANGELICAL S. S. PROGRAM SUNDAY EVENING

The Sunday school of the Evangelical church will give a Christmas program next Sunday evening December 21 at 7:30. The program is a Christmas masque entitled "The First Noel." Everyone is welcome.

## Thief Visited O'Donnell's Office

Dr. P. J. O'Donnell is a double victim of the cold snap; not only did the water pipes in his office become ice-bound, straight pipes, joints and all, but the perfectly good robe which was used as a covering for the office sofa was selfishly and callously stolen by some unregenerate office visitor.

## Daughter Born to Wheelers

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Wheeler, December 15, at the home of Mrs. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tussey, a seven and a half pound baby girl. Grandpa Tussey is all smiles now.

## Mrs. Augusta Hutchinson

Mrs. Augusta Frances Hutchinson died at the family home, 445 East 60th street, Monday, December 8. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Mt. Tabor M. E. church. Interment will take place at Mt. Scott Park cemetery. The A. D. Kenworthy company have charge of the funeral arrangements.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will hold their regular monthly silver tea at the home of Mrs. J. C. McGrew Friday afternoon. At this meeting they will sell the articles that were to have been sold at the bazaar last Wednesday but which had to be postponed on account of the snow storm.

## BELLROSE STORE SOLD TO MR. BLATCHFORD

A. Blatchford has bought the Barrick store at Bellrose station and will make extensive improvements and additions to the business. Mr. Blatchford is an experienced business man, having been in the mercantile business at Shelby several years. They have sold their residence and will reside with Mrs. Blatchford's mother, Mrs. John Lennox, on Lennox avenue.

## Polwarth Walked Home

J. Bruce Polwarth, 3712 76th street S. E., made a business trip to Rainier Tuesday, December 9. He returned Wednesday after the local electric service had become tied up, and was obliged to walk all the way out from town. When he reached home he was decidedly frazzled.

## CHRISTMAS TREE AT ARLETA WEDNESDAY

The Christmas exercises of the Arleta Baptist Sunday school will be held Wednesday evening, December 24, at 7:30. A tree and other decorations will be provided. A short program will be rendered and a visit from Santa Claus is expected. The general public is invited to the exercises.

## WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT POSTPONE PROGRAM

The Women of Woodcraft of Arleta, under the chairmanship of Mrs. N. A. Payne, of 4963 65th street S. E., had planned an old-fashioned entertainment for Wednesday evening, December 10, at Woodman hall, but owing to the sudden and fierce onslaught of snow and wind the affair was postponed indefinitely. It is generally understood in the organization, however, that as soon as the weather permits the program will be carried out as planned. Miss Olive Payne is secretary of the order.

## FIRE AT COCHRANE HOME CAUSES SMALL DAMAGE

When D. R. Cochrane, 6814 82nd street, began thawing out the water pipes in his home Sunday morning by wrapping newspapers around them and setting them on fire he started a blaze in his home. Neighbors succeeded in putting out the fire before it had done any great damage. Engine 31, in charge of Lieutenant R. D. Laisner, responded to the alarm but the fire was under control by the time the firemen reached the scene. Lieutenant Laisner estimated the damage at about \$50.

The Herald One Dollar a year.

## MR. VAIL ENCOUNTERS FREEZING WEATHER AT SHEPHERD'S HOT SPRINGS

H. M. Vail, well-known Lents business man, returned Sunday with Mrs. Vail from Carson, Wash., where he had gone for treatment at the hot springs. Mrs. Vail went up Saturday to come back with him. When she reached Carson she walked to Shepherd's springs where Mr. Vail had been staying since the previous Friday. When they left Shepherd's hotel for home, having missed one train, they had to walk over five miles through the snow to another railway station. Consequently Mrs. Vail was confined to her home for a day or so on account of acute lameness.

Mr. Vail first went to St. Martin's springs, which is under the management of Mrs. St. Martin, an Indian woman, but on account of unsatisfactory conditions left toward the end of the week for Shepherd's springs. He found the equipment at the latter place up to date and the food excellent. Mr. Vail was only able to secure two baths at the springs because the temperature fell to from 12 to 20 below zero, which no ordinary hot spring could overcome. He plans to go to Shepherd's again as soon as the springs open again, which will probably be in February.

Mr. Vail says that if a person should spend a month at one of these hot springs his system would be remade, and that if a tobacco user should go there that length of time, cutting out the use of the weed during his stay, he would be so cleansed by the baths and drinking the water that he would have to learn the use of tobacco as a novice if he wished to use it again. He considers his health improved already, although his stay at the springs was limited to such a short time.

## MRS. SMITH IN CHARGE OF IMPORTANT WORK

Mrs. Myra M. Smith, of 5427 92nd street, a member of the Lents Friends church, has for six years been in charge of the Portland Commons mission at Front and Burnside streets. Mrs. Smith is on duty every evening except Monday, when the service is taken care of by some one of the Friends churches. The mission is interdenominational, Wilbur M. E. church assisting on Wednesday evenings and the Baptists on some other regularly scheduled evening.

While there are not so many men down and out as there were before the prohibition measure went into effect and before the shipyard industry began in Portland, yet there are sufficient attendance and interest to warrant the continuance of this branch of the city's relief and moral support work.

This mission, together with the Louise Home, the Albertina Kerr Home, Elizabeth Cottage and the Portland Commons, is under the management of W. G. McLaren.

## NEXT MEETING OF KELLOGG P.-T. A. JANUARY 20

The Kellogg Parent-Teacher meeting which was to have been held Tuesday, December 9, was called off by common consent because of the infant blizzard which was raging that afternoon. Mrs. Marv E. Fawcett, dean of women at O. A. C., Corvallis, who was scheduled to speak, will now defer her coming till some time in the early spring. Mrs. J. Bruce Polwarth, president, announces that the next regular meeting of the Kellogg P.-T. A. will be held January 20. At this time Mrs. Alexander Thompson will speak on legislative measures. It is expected that Mrs. Lina Jasper, formerly of Lents, who was to sing at the deferred meeting, will be the soloist at the January program.

Miss Adina Morterud is able to be out again after being confined to her home for several days with an attack of tonsillitis.