

## NEW METHOD MACADAM USED ON 70TH STREET

On 70th street between 45th avenue and Foster road there is a curbed curb surfacing being done to which the attention of the community is invited. This work is being done under the supervision of city inspectors and the knowledge of the city engineers has been invoked to test its quality. This road covering is composed of a layer of eight-inch macadam pressed down by a 15 ton roller. One of the asserted sterling qualities of this surfacing is that if even in seven years the property owners desire a hard surface, the macadam now being placed will serve as a substantial foundation. As a matter of personal information, all tax payers who are interested in getting the best improvements for their streets would do well to stroll over to 70th street between 45th avenue and Foster road and to compare the quality of the work done there with that on, say, 77th street between Millard and 65th avenues. The contract for this work now being done on 70th street has been let to Porter Yett, one of whose policies is to employ men of the neighborhood where the work is being done, preferably men with families, the money thus used for labor returning to the community. Another of Mr. Yett's distinctive policies is that of hiring no foreign labor. The company furnishing part of the Porter Yett material is the Porter Motor Trucking Co., which has quarry facilities near those of the city at Kelly's Butte. It has been said that property owners on 70th street have confessed to a belief that the surfacing of their road-way has increased the value of their property from three to five hundred dollars. It will pay community promoters of improvements to investigate.

## MRS. ADA JONES.

Mrs. Ada Jones was born in Byron Fon-du-lac county, Wis., 1861, March 24 and passed away to be with Jesus, August 9 1920, from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Husing, in Portland.

She was married at the age of 21 to Hobart R. Jones and to this union nine children were born, of which number, seven and her husband preceded her to the home beyond. Beside her daughters, Mrs. Nora Repp and Mrs. Lauretta Husing she leaves one brother, James Hopkins, of Spring Valley, Minn., one sister, Mrs. Josie Ellis, of Exeter, Neb., and other relatives and a host of friends. Mrs. Jones has served as elder and Sunday School superintendent in the church of her choice with great acceptability. She was known and greatly beloved as a true saint of God. It could be said of her that she was one who adorned the doctrine. She was converted early in life and has been for many years a member of the Friends church. During her illness—a throbbing sufferer, she was victorious and triumphant, speaking to her many friends who called, of the love of Jesus and her readiness to depart and be with Him, and to her pastor, she testified of having received a new revelation of the power of the precious blood, saying, the blood of Jesus has been precious since my conversion, and now as I am nearing the City it is unspeakably so and has in it the power of an endless life. We shall miss her tender ministrations, and look in vain for her gentle, unassuming presence, among us, but we sorrow not as those that have no hope but to expect to meet her in the near tomorrow and with her forever with the Lord. Only good night, beloved, not farewell.

A little while and all his saints shall dwell,  
In hallowed unen indivisible,  
Goodnight, Goodnight, Goodnight.

## WILSON BROS ENTERTAIN

Messrs. Harry and Hugh Wilson, formerly of 5725 72nd street, were recent hosts at a tenting party at Newport, the peerless beach. The guests included Mesdames Rose Wilson, E. M. Pound of Salem; A. C. Holcomb, O. H. Gilbert and Miss Franc Gilbert and little Lottie Elizabeth Holcomb, of 4928 71st street; and Paul Jaenke of 57th avenue and 71st street. The party motored over in the Wilson's seven passenger machine. The two tent houses in which the party camped for the week were called Ruby and Jeannette. The gracious and lovable chaperone of the crowd was Mrs. Rose Wilson, mother of the hosts.

W. A. Koller, 9644 57th avenue, bought a new Dort last week.

## LENTS PLAYGROUND PAGEANT AND PICNIC

The patrons of the playground at Lents, fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, beaux and belles are invited to bring picnic dinner baskets this (Friday) evening at 6 o'clock as a prelude to the pageant and band concert to follow. The pageant as conducted by Miss Aline Noren, will include the following athletic expressions:

- Greeting
- Shoemaker
- Kinder Polka
- Highland Fling
- Ace of Diamonds
- Csaboagar
- Gustafskral
- Sailor's Hornpipe
- Duet, Minette and Rentintin; and Japanese.

Thoughtful mothers are urged to be present at this demonstration. As conservators of child life they will have a chance to see the play life of a public institution as interpreted by the children and to judge for themselves the psychological value for the youngsters.

Following the athletic numbers there will be a band concert, the last one of the season at this park. Miss Noren is anxious that the parents and friends of the kiddies co-operate to make it a most successful occasion.

## A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walrod gave a birthday surprise party for their daughter, Mr. John Walrod, Friday, August 6, at their home, 8640 56th avenue. They had invited Shilo Circle and Reuben Wilson Post to surprise him, but some how Mr. Walrod got wise to the party, just before he went to their house, so he sat on the porch and watched the Foster road and soon saw Comrade Day and wife and Comrade Clark go to his son's house. Next came Comrade Tussey, wife and niece. Then he was sure there was something doing so to make it a surprise all around he bought 30 All Day Suckers and as soon as he arrived, presented each of the party with "a fish," in honor of his birthday.

He was very much pleased with the presents presented and the honor bestowed, and desires to thank one and all in attendance including Mrs. Anna Walrod for the splendid refreshments prepared for the occasion.

Mr. Walrod thinks that when Shilo Circle and Post who have a birthday in the next few months they may want to cut him out. But, nothing doing; he will be "Johnny on the spot." Why not? This is the first time in his life that he has ever had an 81st birthday.

Mr. Walrod is a wonderfully preserved man for his years: would pass for in the early 60's, although he served three years in the civil war; was several times wounded, but has been a hale hearty man all his life. He cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln and attributes his longevity to hard work and outdoor occupation.

## A FRIEND

## FIRLAND COUPLE CELEBRATE TWENTY-SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zehring of 7105 48th avenue, left Monday, August 2, for a motor trip down the valley, returning last Saturday morning. For the first time in 19 years Mr. and Mrs. Zehring were able to leave home, on the anniversary of their wedding, and they savor of their wedding set out for a few days pleasure. They made a round trip of 250 miles, including in their itinerary Philomath, where they were the guests of Mrs. A. E. Parker, Mr. Zehring's sister; Crawfordville, where they visited Mrs. Zehring's sister, Mrs. A. E. Smith; campers from all parts of the United States, all delightfully friendly and glad to exchange camp experiences.

H. G. Guild, who has ably filled the position of local editor for the Mt Scott Herald the past three months, has resigned his position to engage in business for himself at Newberg and Miss Aline Hoilingsworth, formerly with the Herald has returned to her former position as news-gatherer. The number of Miss Hoilingsworth's poems is Taber 2422. Any courtesies extended the lady will be truly appreciated by the publisher of the Herald.

Miss Wilda Henika of 50th avenue and 66th street, recently returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Bremerton, Wash.

## Ol' John B. Thrift, Sr.



## OVERSEAS NURSE GUEST IN WOODMERE HOME

Miss Frances Folsom Keyser, who saw several months of overseas service has been entertained during the past week at the home of her brother, E. M. Keyser, 7628 57th avenue. Miss Keyser is enroute to Fort Wayne, Ind. from San Jose, Cal., where she has been visiting her sister, Miss Elsie Keyser, a Methodist missionary on furlough from Panama City, Panama. Miss Keyser left for the east yesterday. Miss Keyser bears with her a perpetual memento of her war service, a partially useless hand, resultant through a pin prick while dressing a soldier's wound.

The sweeping of walks in front of business establishments is generally confined to the immediate sidewalk by the average merchant, but neighbor Goggins goes the custom one better, by including the thoroughfare to the center of the street. If the balance of our business houses and residence portion of Lents would emulate Mr. Goggins example we would soon establish a reputation for cleanliness next to Godliness.

C. L. White, manager of the Arleta Theatre, has had a large crew of men at work the past week putting in a new floor and pit for a grand pipe organ that will be installed in September. He is also putting in a "Blizzard Blower" for cooling purposes in the summer season and a heating plant for the winter, assuring pure air and best sanitary conditions at all times. Mr. White expects to re-open his place of entertainment next Saturday with Wm. Farnum in "The Orphan."

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Keyser of Woodmere entertained at a seven o'clock dinner last Monday evening in honor of the former's sister, Miss Frances Folsom Keyser. Plates were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Lew Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Peabody and their children, Dorcus and Lois, Mrs. Peabody Sr. of Michigan, Miss Frances Folsom Keyser, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Keyser and their children, John, Lewis and Adeline.

Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Lockwood of 4504 65th street have established beach headquarters at Rockaway for the warm months: Others of their party include Mrs. Lockwood's sisters Mesdames Hardeman and Thompson of Hollywood Cal., Mrs. Lockwood's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of this city; and Miss Helen May Lockwood. Dr. Lockwood will be back and forth between the beach and his office according to the demands of his practice.

J. P. Block, representing the City Motor Trucking Co. Inc., of 291 Hawthorne Avenue, was a pleasant caller last Monday. Naturally, he is an enthusiast on good roads, and his discourse on this important subject was worth the price of admission. See their ad. elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rowland of Lincoln, Nebraska, were guests last week of the latter's sister, Mrs. O. E. Lent, 8817 56th avenue. They left on their return route Monday the 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Rowland made the trip by auto taking in the National Park and the Columbia River Highway enroute here.

Mrs. F. T. Stow, sister of Mrs. W. O. Boon of Kern Park, returned Thursday evening, the 5th, from a two weeks' visit in White Salmon, Wash. Mrs. Stow is making her home with Mrs. Boon.

## TIE GATHERS CAUSE INDIGNATION AT MILLARD AVE.

Friday afternoon of last week there was commotion on 72nd street between Millard and 57th avenues. Notwithstanding the fact that the property owners are to pay the bills, the foreman of the street car forces there gave permission to out-of-the-neighborhood people to come and collect ties left by the rebuilding of the street railway. When one of the property owners asked if the owners should not have the first right to the ties, the foreman answered in the affirmative. Nevertheless the tie collectors began tearing out the beams. Remonstrance on the part of the owners where there were men on the premises had no effect. But down by the Crum and Raebuck building the work of bland purloining was going on when a policeman who had been summoned by one of the men who happened to be at his home on the street. The load of ties was halted, but even in the face of the manifest rights of the property owners, the most of the ties except those in front of the Crum building were carried off in triumph. The officer did his best to adjust the matter to the satisfaction of the property owners who he, decided, really should have had the several cords of wood. The censure of the property owners is not directed toward the company, which takes the most expeditious means of getting old ties out of the way, but against the people who when told that the property owners wanted the ties, deliberately went ahead and took them. Mr. F. E. Crum of the firm of Crum and Chambers was the only property holder who successfully resisted the pilferers.

Animal shelters are not made a matter of sentiment, but of the health and comfort of every community. It is one of the duties devolving upon every large town and city to provide shelter for dogs and cats where they will be humanely cared for, either by returning lost animals to owners placing desirable animals in good homes, or putting to death by the most humane methods those that cannot be placed in good homes.

Miss Grace Spaulding, stenographer at the Cushman Indian school of Tacoma, formerly of the Millard avenue neighborhood, was a guest of Mrs. James Jones, 5262 68th street last Saturday and Sunday. Sunday evening she became the house guest of the Misses Essie and Elsie Strang of Lents.

Saturday of this week, August 14, Miss Noren of the Lents playground will hold a preliminary track meet, the winners at which will represent Lents at Peninsula park on Saturday, August 21. All girls who wish to compete for these honors will please see Miss Noren at once.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. John Tufford of 4400 66th street, Mr. and Mrs. France Noel, and little son Victor of Linton, and Lester Suacler of 6903 43rd avenue, returned the first of the week from Hoquiam, Wash., where they were the guests of Mrs. D. E. Des Noyer.

Friday afternoon the 6th, an auto truck driver bumped into the stationary motor cycle of Clarence Freeman of 1187 Hawthorne avenue doing damage for which the driver settled with a dollar. The accident occurred on 72nd street, near 57th avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Olsen of Silverton, arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Densen of Walbert road, last Tuesday evening. Mr. Olsen, who is the proprietor of the Olson pharmacy of Silverton, is attending a convention in this city.

Mrs. W. Boyd Moore of Junction City, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGrew and other friends this week. Mrs. Moore will be remembered as the wife of Mr. Moore, formerly pastor of the M. E. church about five years ago.

Axel Kildahl, proprietor of the Lents Garage has taken the agency for the Dodge Brother's Motor Cars, and will open a service station for same. He will also carry a full line of accessories for the Dodge Brother's Cars.

Art Geisler and family left Monday morning for an outing along coast points. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

## MRS. A. E. COLE HONORED WITH PIONEER RELIC

Mrs. A. E. Cole, 5650 85th street, is the proud possessor of a unique relic presented to her by Geo. H. Himes, Assistant Secretary of the Oregon Historical Society. Mrs. Gertrude Bernal, 6126 80th street, daughter of Mrs. Cole, is engaged in pioneer historical society work of Oregon, and during one of her visits to the city auditorium, where the state's souvenirs now are, Mr. Himes was telling her of the route taken by the historic Henderson Luelling, father of the Oregon fruit industry. Mrs. Bernal noticed the similarity of the Luelling route to that taken by her mother many years later, both routes beginning at Raleigh, N. C., passing through Indiana and Iowa, and thence to Oregon. When she mentioned the coincidence to Mr. Himes, he, with delightful courtesy, presented her with a piece of Royal Ann cherry wood for her mother, the small slab bearing the following inscription which will be of especial interest to lovers of Oregon.

This is one of the 800 fruit trees of different varieties, including apples, pears, peaches, crab apples, etc., brought across the plains to Oregon in 1847 by Henderson Luelling, aided by his son, Alfred, from Salem, Henry county, Iowa. A foot of earth, mixed with pulverized charcoal, was placed in each wagon box, and in this, the two-year old trees were planted. The trip, beginning in April, ended in November, and the fruit stock set out a little later a half mile north of the present city of Milwaukie, Oregon, near the present lodge of the Waverly Golf Club. These were the first grafted fruit trees west of the Rocky Mountains. This was known as the "Traveling Nursery," and was the beginning of the fruit industry of the Pacific Coast.

## HAPPY VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Zinser entertained at dinner last Sunday 20 members of the Zinser relation, among whom were a brother, Geo. Zinser and two daughters, Lena and Martha, of San Diego, Cal. Old friends are glad to welcome them on their visit, they expect to stay in Oregon several months.

Mr. Odom, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Good Samaritan hospital, Monday, is reported as not doing very well.

It was a great shock to friends and neighbors to learn of the death of little Clara Guidi last Saturday. Burial was in the Deardorf cemetery, and memorial services will be held in the church a week from next Sunday, August 22.

The Sunday School class, "Invitations of Christ" held their business meeting at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Lydia Peterson. 14 were present and a good time was enjoyed by all.

## DR. W. O. BOON CAMPS AT MT. JEFFERSON'S FOOT

A party of four consisting of Dr. W. O. Boon and his son Herald, of 6930 46th avenue, and Messrs Tiffany and Tomlinson of the West Side, returned the first of the week from a two weeks' trip to the neighborhood of Mt. Jefferson. The gentlemen went by rail to Detroit and from there to their destination on pack horses. They explored 11 wonderful lakes lying at the base of the snow-cap, all in a tangle of Oregon wilderness so far from human habitation that for eight days they saw no one except a forest ranger. Because of the spawning season's being on the party was unable to find any good trout fishing.

## KERN PARK GIRL IN MONTANA

Dr. W. O. Boon of 6930 46th avenue, is visiting in Kalispell, Mont., as a guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Hunt. Miss Boon expects to visit glacier park and Lake McDonald before returning home by way of Leavenworth, Wash.

Mayor Geo. L. Baker honored the Mt. Scott Herald office with a pleasant call Thursday morning. The publisher regrets his absence at the time of this important personage's visit, having as yet, failed to have met the mayor personally.

C. E. Kennedy and wife left for Newport Thursday morning on a visit to their uncle.

C. E. Palmer of 9118 57th avenue, has a walnut tree one year old bearing walnuts this year. Can you beat this for a nutty story.