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MT. SCOTT BALL PLAYERS FASTEST MEN ON SPIKES

The Mount Scott district has more players in the Portland Baseball Association (the semi-pro league) than any other section of the city. The Kendall station team, the Arleta W. O. W's and the Hesse-Martin team, three of the fastest outfits on spikes, are composed almost entirely of players from Mount Scott.

A team could be made up of players living in this vicinity who would prove the equal of any team now in the field. In fact, the writer has heard several of the "bush league" managers state that it was their intention to organize such a team for next season. There are several teams in the inter-city league which has a smaller business district than Lents. These towns raised from three to eight thousand dollars to put teams out this year, and according to reports all the teams, be they winning or losing, are getting good support.

Among the players from this district who are getting the write-ups in the Portland papers are Lefty Heiman and Walt Steiger of the Kendall Station outfit, "Shrimp" Fegan, Howard Holson and Manager Brooks of the Arleta W. O. W's, "Ducky" Drake, "Rusty" Moore, Al Nygaard, "Maccott" Hubler and Pink Deerdorf of the Hesse-Martin Iron Works, and Matt and Bill Boland of the Kirkpatrick All Stars, also Fred and Clarence LeMear and Arthur Johnson of Kendall.

Last Sunday the Kendall Station outfit took a trip to Oregon City in an effort to humble the league leading Crown Willamette team. That they failed of their object was no fault of their twirling "ace," Lefty Heiman, who let the Falls City lads down with three scratch hits, while the Kendall boys collected six off of King Cole, who is said to be slated for a tryout Lefty's team mates let in the runs by with Portland next year. However, several costly errors. In the other A. A. games the Hesse-Martin ironworkers defeated the streetcar team 10 to 5 at Selwood; the carmen retaliated on the Conco tossers by a score of 9 to 7, and Arleta won a thrilling fray from Cook & Gil, score 8 to 5. This game was thrown out, as the game was called to allow the Honeyman Hardware team to play the Sherwood boys.

Mount Scott has a good chance to be represented in the championship team of the A. A. city league, as the Arleta W. O. W's and the Hesse-Martin tossers are tied for second berth just one game behind the Crown-Willamette team. It all hinges on the game to be played between the Ironworkers and the Crown-Willamette at Vaughn street grounds Sept. 5th. If the Hesse-Martin twirlers defeat the Oregon City team a three cornered tie will result, in which Mount Scott will be represented by two teams, giving us a two to one chance. All the fans from this district should get in and root at this game.

MT. SCOTT VISTOR ACTIVE IN MARKET PROMOTION

Mrs. Geo. E. Chilson of 3808 73 st. is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Josephine R. Sharp of 2405 Webster st., San Francisco. Mrs. Sharp was formerly a resident of Portland, and while here was an active member of the Alberta Women's Improvement Club, which installed a public market at 23d and Alberta streets last year. Last Tuesday morning Mr. Shepherd of the Columbia Highway Shepherd's Dell fame called Mrs. Sharp by phone and solicited her cooperation in reopening a market at that point. Mrs. Sharp immediately went over to the market place to which Mr. Shepherd and another producer had brought green produce.

Mrs. Sharp was on the original committee which worked so successfully to establish our present downtown market, and she is now interested in promoting a similar project in San Francisco.

Millard Avenue Presbyterian Church

The Millard Avenue Presbyterian church is making plans for the purchase of a manse. The committee appointed to attend to the matter includes Mesdames Glenn Sanders, Will Ormandy, Frank Price and Messrs. F. E. Crum and Geo. Colvey. The appointments for the work were made by the Millard Avenue Welfare Club, of which Glenn Sanders of 6212 90th street is the president.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Ingram of Santa Rosa, Calif., are vacation guests in the Ghormley home at Woodmere. Mrs. Ingram is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Ghormley.

EDITORIALETS

The Mt. Scott Herald agrees with Mr. Rossall in his communication in this issue regarding the cars of last century's vintage used on the Mt. Scott car lines, as well as the punk service yclept the over crowded condition of cars at times on the Mt. Scott lines. Now that the company has been granted the price demanded, the people should insist on first class service in every respect.

Little 4 year old Roy McElhany of West Park and Harrison streets is dead, the result of a Jap by the name of Oki having raced through the streets at about 25 miles per hour with defective breaks. And he is charged with manslaughter. It was a case of murder, and nothing short of hanging a few speeders is going to stop these killings that are becoming of daily occurrence on the streets of Portland.

We have just received a tip, previous to going to press, that explains WHY this locality fails to receive much needed assistance in the building of roads and sidewalks, while other districts contiguous to the property of certain county officials are securing paved roads and other improvements galore. Is one-half related is a fact, a recall should be in order.

The editorial session at Astoria last week passed strong resolutions denouncing the constitutional amendment, proposed by initiative, fixing the legal rate of interest in the state of Oregon at four per cent per annum and no more, on all monies after they shall become due, but on contract the rate of five per cent, and no more may be charged by express agreement of the parties, which shall be exclusive of all brokerage and commissions. While the Mt. Scott Herald has little sympathy with the money changers and Shylocks of this generation, there is reason in all things earthly. The reduction of interest would naturally cause the withdrawal of capital from the state and borrowers would naturally be compelled to seek money elsewhere. We are informed that this amendment was originally drawn up and signatures obtained with the cold-blooded intention of giving the bankers a jolt, not with the intention of filling at the state house, but after being charged with blackmail the promoters were compelled to go through with the proposition to relieve themselves from an unenviable position. Whether or no these are the facts in the case, it would prove a handicap to the business affairs of our state were it possible to reduce the legal rate of interest to such a ridiculous low percent and result in serious disaster throughout the land, and would be a most serious blow to the welfare of the state of Oregon.

For Better Car Service
Fellow Travelers: Let's us all get together and make a demand for better car service, especially for a change from the present old fashioned, back-seated affairs with the long seat on each side, that are jokes for all the world and a disgrace to this part of the city and an insult to an intelligent public.

We know full well that the P. R. L. & P. Co. have no hesitancy in their demands on the public for increased pay for their services, whether good, bad or indifferent, so why should the public not get busy and demand adequate returns for their money? Let's start the ball rolling.

L. Rossall.

Taxation Without Representation

To a man up a tree, it would seem that the good people of Lents made a great mistake when they allowed themselves to become a part and parcel of Portland proper. From the present condition of sidewalks, poor, or virtually no fire protection, high rate of insurance and taxation that obtains at this time in Lents and immediate vicinity, we believe we are right in the deduction. Why not organize, appoint committees appropriate to the occasion and see if something cannot be done to better these conditions?

Another Motorcycle Victim
Evelyn Mason, daughter of Mrs. Mason of 72d street and 87th avenue, was knocked down and seriously injured last Monday by a motorcycle, which rushed past as she was descending from a street car. The child was taken to a hospital, where she has been in a critical condition.

James Galt of the West Side was a week-end guest at the home of his niece, Mrs. James Jones of 5262 68th street.

MARVIN K. HEDGE IS A DISTINGUISHED ANGLER

Marvin K. Hedge of 5707, 94th street, proprietor of the Lents Hardware store, recently won for himself and the local Northwest Scientific Angling club distinguished honors at an angling tournament held at Seattle in Woodland, one of that city's beautiful parks.

The events in which Mr. Hedge scored highest, including his awards, are as follows:

Dry fly accuracy, first prize, a silver cup; quarter ounce bait accuracy, second prize, a Heddon casting rod; distance fly, second prize, an imported Hardy basket; dry fly accuracy at unknown distance, third prize; accuracy fly, fourth prize; half ounce distance bait, fifth prize. Besides these Mr. Hedge won two special prizes and as the result of his splendid scoring became the all round champion of the Northwest Scientific Anglers association, having won more prizes in nine events than any other contestant. The association paid him the great compliment of asking him to go to Columbus, Ohio, in October to represent this northwest association, with all his expenses paid.

The tournament was followed by a splendid banquet for the members of the association. As a delightful conclusion to the affair Mr. Hedge and Walter Backus, a brother angler from Portland, were met in Tacoma by their wives, from where they all motored for the week end to "Paradise End," the resort at the snow line in Ranier National Park. While there the party had the pleasure of hearing a talk by the original surveyor of Ranier Park, who established the first official records of the glacial altitudes of the region.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' INDUSTRIAL CLUB WORK PROFITABLE

Mrs. E. D. Palmer, chairman of the committee on Industrial Club work for boys and girls of the Portland public schools, will have in charge at the Gresham fair ten booths for the exhibition of the work of the industrial clubs of ten of the Portland schools. The fair will be held in October from the 4th to the 9th, inclusive. All schools intending to exhibit their work should make their entries soon, so that the work of classification for both arrangements may be facilitated.

Mrs. Palmer is much interested in the industrial club work of the Portland public schools, and is considering giving the enterprise more publicity through the press. She states that the training in business activity which the youngsters receive is valuable in addition to the actual money which they make out of their club work. It is eminently worth while for parents to look into this industrial club work as a means of valuable information for their children. The work in the schools here is a branch of the work of the Oregon Agricultural College, and is under the direction of T. D. Kirkpatrick of 7520 63d street, who would be glad of the cooperation of the community as represented by the individuals and by the community clubs and parent-teacher associations.

Kellogg school will be represented at Gresham by the canning and poultry clubs. Mrs. James Welch, 3551, 70th street, is leader of the canning club and Mrs. Bruce Polwarth, 3712 76th street, is in charge of the general club work of Kellogg.

Lieut. Col. A. H. Hollingsworth, who had been spending a few days with his sisters at Nashville station while waiting for his Cole Eight to be repaired in Molalla, left for Molalla last Saturday, accompanied by his nephew, Dale Hollingsworth, of St. Helens. The colonel's return was hastened by word from his brother, T. H. Hollingsworth, which announced the latter's imminent arrival from Southern California, with his family, at The Flats, a place about 15 miles from Molalla, where the colonel and his brother, with the latter's son and two sons-in-law, have taken up homesteads. It may be of interest to some to know that there is still land on in the Molalla district which may be homesteaded under the laws regarding the California and Oregon railroad land.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Handsaker of 6935 46th avenue have been summering at Ocean Park. Their party also includes their children, Lois Morrison, and Elaine. Their return is expected at the end of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gilmer of 2833 71st street, with their sons Clarence, Merritt and Harry, spent a recent week-end at Seaside, making their trip on the boat to Astoria and thence by rail.

BIG LABOR DAY PICNIC AT MT. SCOTT PARK

The Labor Day picnic to be given by the children and instructors at the Mt. Scott Park play grounds at 72nd street and 55th avenue promises to be the greatest event of this kind ever held in the park. Great preparations are being made for its success. The boys and girls are drilling for the occasion, and the parents will feel proud of the results from attending the parks, instead of running wild on the streets. The children are learning something that will benefit them all through life. The program will soon be announced. The champion game of baseball by girls from all other parks in the city will be a feature of the occasion. The Mt. Scott girls have, so far, won all games they have participated in, and propose to continue to lead the van.

Dinner will be promptly at 12:30. Free coffee and milk; bring your cup and sugar and a well filled basket and have a good time at the picnic.

There will be plenty of tables and seats and at 2 o'clock the amusements will commence, about thirty stunts in all, and at 4 the grand circus will be given in the ring, which will be roped off so that all can see, and the boys and girls will render a program fitting to the occasion and most entertaining. Thirty prizes will be awarded at this time.

Everybody is most cordially invited to attend the entertainment and fittingly observe Labor Day in a most appropriate manner.

MORTUARY

Clifford Lee Wilson, 5604 86th street, died August 12, aged 22 years. He was born in Christy, Wis., but had lived in Portland since he was six years old. His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Wilson, survive him. Rev. F. R. Sibley of Lents conducted the funeral service at Kenworthy's chapel Saturday, Aug. 14, at 2 p. m. Interment was made in Mt. Scott Park cemetery.

Louis Corak, 3921 71st street, died August 13. He was buried at Mt. Scott Park cemetery after a service at Kenworthy's chapel.

Kyosti Hemmilla, who died at the Good Samaritan hospital Thursday, the 12th, was born in Finland February 26, 1869. He was buried in the Mt. Scott Park cemetery Saturday, August 14, following a funeral service at 3:45 in Kenworthy's chapel. His wife, Katherine, survives him.

Mike K. Karry of 4615 66th street passed away at his home Thursday, August 12th, at the age of 32 years, his wife, Bessie Karry, surviving him. His funeral service was conducted Monday the 16th at 3 p. m. by the rector of St. Paul's, Rev. Oswald Taylor. Mr. Karry was a native of Zehleh, Syria.

Rachel Lockridge Dillon died at her home at 69th and McCoy streets Sunday, August 15, and interment was made in the Mt. Scott Park cemetery Tuesday after a service at 2:30 p. m. at Kenworthy's chapel. The service was conducted by the Rev. F. R. Sibley of the Lents Methodist church, assisted by Mrs. E. A. Kenworthy, soloist. Mrs. Dillon, who was a native of Springfield, Ill., is survived by her husband, Frank Dillon.

Mrs. Susan A. Griffith, late of 4803 63d street, died at her home Sunday the 15th, aged 81 years, after a residence in Portland of 41 years. Her funeral service was held at the Kenworthy chapel Wednesday the 18th at 2:30 p. m., the Rev. Mr. Hempy of the Wesleyan Methodist church officiating. She was laid to rest in the Mt. Scott Park cemetery. Mrs. Griffith was born in Sterling, N. Y.

En route from Lansing, Michigan, to San Francisco, Miss Ruth Thiers is the guest of Miss Ada Albert of 1616 92d street. This is Miss Thiers' first trip west since she left California to go to France, where she was engaged in hospital recreation but work for a year, having served at St. Aignow and Mesvres, later being stationed at the barracks of the Argonne cemetery.

Mrs. J. Stanbury of 4418 76th street returned Saturday night, the 14th, from a delightful visit of ten days with Mr. and Mrs. S. Lindler of Aberdeen, Wash. She was accompanied on her trip to Aberdeen by Miss Lillian Forbes, who left Mrs. Stanbury at that point to join her sister, Miss Edith Forbes, also of 4418 76th street, who is studying at the University of Washington during the summer session.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Calkins of Gilbert returned Thursday the 12th from a motor trip to Seaside.

ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF MOTHER OF LATE HERO

Mrs. C. M. Williamson, 6910 51st avenue, is having as house guests Mrs. E. E. Aspinwall and her daughter Helen of Salem.

Mrs. Aspinwall is the mother of the late Kenneth Aspinwall, known locally, who passed away recently in Memphis, Tenn., en route by auto with his mother and sisters Helen and Ruth for Birmingham, Ala. When they reached Memphis Mr. Aspinwall succumbed to a meningitis trouble, which was the culmination of the effects of mustard gas burns added to gassing, which he had received on the overseas battle front. His record in the late war includes 230 days on the battlefield, 17 times over the top, and being in all the big battles. He was a member of the Rainbow division, to the first reunion of which he was on his way when death overtook him. Mrs. Aspinwall brought the body back to Salem, where interment was made about three weeks ago.

LENTS GRANGE OFFERS TEN DOLLARS AS EXHIBIT PRIZE

At the regular business session of the Lents Grange last Saturday morning it was decided to offer \$10 to the household which should carry off the first prize at the Gresham fair for the best household exhibit, and \$5 to the one taking second prize.

The articles on exhibition, however, must be made by the family exhibiting; they cannot be borrowed for the occasion. Those who wish more information about it may call A. F. Miller, past lecturer, or Mrs. Donald Furey. The prizes are offered to members of the Lents Grange only.

Another matter of interest at this meeting was the conferring of degrees on Mrs. Malvina Williams and B. E. Kearney.

OBITUARY

Clifford Lee Wilson, son of Andrew T. Wilson and of Leva May Wilson, was born in Christie, Clarke Co., Wisconsin, November 23, 1897, and died Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1920, in his 23rd year at his home in Lents.

When five years of age he moved with his parents to the west, living first in Oswego, later on in Vancouver and for the last several years in Lents. As a boy he attended the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school and church, and graduated from the Lents public schools.

As a young man, he was always faithful and devoted to the interests of the family of which he was a member, and he will especially be missed from the loving circle of this home.

And not only here, but also in that large circle of relatives and friends among whom he was held in the highest esteem.

He was faithful and devoted, kind and true, courageous and uncomplaining, trustful and resigned to God's will, and was prepared for the call that came last Wednesday night.

To God's loving care we commend him, and with him all those whom he held dear. Besides his brother Claude, aged 21, and his sister Opal, aged 14, who mourn his loss, he will be missed by his many friends and acquaintances who have known him.

Bride Passes Away

Mrs. Mary Audrey Harmon, 3733 62d street, a bride of three weeks, passed away at her home last Saturday morning. For about a year previously she had been in rather ill health, but the development of fatal tubercular symptoms was not apparent until the last weeks of her life. She is survived by her husband and parents. The funeral service of Mrs. Harmon was held at Kenworthy's chapel Monday the 16th at 10 a. m., and interment was in Mt. Scott Park cemetery.

LENTS GRANGE RENDERS INTERESTING PROGRAM

The program at Lents Grange last Saturday afternoon at 2:30 was under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Udkie, acting lecturer in the absence of Wilson Benefield. The numbers included the following:

America.
Penny Drill.
Piano Solo—Olive Udkie.
Humorous reminiscences of Indian experiences—Mrs. Lee.
Patriotic Solo—Mrs. Pollock.
Talk on Dairymen's problems—Mr. Pomroy, mnaager Dairymen's League.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lewellen of 77th street and 57th avenue left with their children the first of the week for a week's vacation at the beach. They went down by auto.

NINETEENTH ANNUAL STATE EDITORIAL CONVENTION HELD

The Oregon State Editorial convention held at Astoria August 13, 14 and 15, 1920, proved a most pleasant affair socially and highly instructive and beneficial to those in attendance, in addition to the relaxation and relief of the editor for four days from the "steady grind."

Every newspaper representative present will attest to the exceptional hospitality of the Astorians extended to the visitors. There was nothing too good for the editors and their families in attendance. Boat rides, auto trips, a visit to Seaside, banquets and other entertainments concluded a continual round of pleasure.

A visit by auto to the cranberry bogs of J. S. Dellinger, publisher of the Astorian, was of as much interest to the writer as any part of the program pulled off on this occasion. It was amusing to note the exclamation of surprise at the manner of cultivation and the kind of "trees" that cranberries grew on. Many were inclined to believe that instead of a tree, it was possibly a "bush" on which the little red berry grew and thrived. That it was a vine instead, was a matter of information to many in attendance. Mr. Dellinger is making a decided success of his venture and assures that the cranberry can be grown in his locality as prolific as in the famous marshes of Michigan.

Astoria, located on the Columbia river, 18 miles from the ocean, approached by boat, is a verdure covered peninsula, beautifully located, with its many fine business buildings, churches, schools and residences, and the pure and delicious tang of the salt water gives one new life and a kindly inclination toward the progressive little city—approximately 20,000 people—of the up-to-date variety. The town is now a part of no small proportions, with a payroll of more than \$1,000,000, and a country tributary thereto possessing vast timber regions which are being penetrated by the Lewis & Clark railroad. Next to Portland, this scribe predicts, Astoria will unquestionably be the leading city in the state of Oregon and this section of the Pacific Northwest for future time to come, although it has a close rival at present in the city of Salem.

Another feature of the occasion that deserves especial mention were the speeches of both Edgar B. Piper, editor of the Oregonian, and B. F. Irvine, editor of the Oregon Journal. Both addresses were masterpieces, and the wise and witty sayings of many other newspaper men on this occasion attest the fact that Oregon is represented by decimators of news and moulders of public opinion that will compare favorably with any other state in the Union.

Escorted to Seaside Sunday afternoon by citizens of Astoria with their autos, the editorial association concluded their nineteenth annual convention by communing with the wild waves of the Pacific while keeping one eye on the mermaids disporting themselves in brief attire in the lympid waters to their hearts' content until 6:40 p. m., when a special car was boarded homebound north, arriving at Portland about 11, delighted with the trip and the grand good time enjoyed by all in attendance.

The Association will probably meet at Bend next year.

Grandma Windsor, 84 years of age, passed away at the home of her son, Bert Windsor, of 6920 51st avenue, last Tuesday morning. Her death came as the result of complications arising from a hip broken some time in June. The remains were started for New York state yesterday, Bert Windsor accompanying them. Interment will be made among the scenes of Grandma Windsor's earlier life.

Mrs. O. H. Gilbert and her daughter, Miss Franc, of 4928 71st street, Miss Ruby Pound of Salem, and Messrs. Harry Wilson and Paul Jaenke, compose a motor party which left the first of the week for a week's outing along the McKeKzie river, about 60 miles east of Eugene, among the Cascade beauties.

The Tremont Bakery is going to install a rotary gas baking oven to enable them to handle their increased business. They have also added a steel bread rack with a capacity of 800 loaves. It is on castors and can be easily transferred from room to room, and is a dandy piece of furniture.

The Misses Elsie and Essie Strang of 6132 91st street and Miss Grace Spaulding of Tacoma left Friday the 13th for Tacoma en route to Victoria, B. C.