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## CITY DADS MAKE GREAT PROMISES

Assurance that Foster road will be improved from East Fiftieth street to 82nd street was given residents of Lents district Wednesday by the city council. Proceedings to set the wheels in motion which will make possible the beginning of work on the proposed improvement early next spring will be instituted at once by City Commissioner Barber, says the Oregonian.

For years residents of the Lents district have sought the improvement of Foster road, which has been and is still under the jurisdiction of the county.

Last week, after hearing the pleas of a delegation headed by F. I. Marshall, vice president of the Mt. Scott improvement club, Mayor Baker called a joint conference of members of the county board of commissioners and the city council. The county commissioners through Commissioner Holman assured the city council and the delegation of property owners that a sum of money sufficient to grade and pave a strip 18 feet in width will be placed in the county budget in December.

### DEDICATED TO GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

The following acrostic written by Mrs. A. C. Weymouth of Circle No. 24, Ladies of the G. A. R., Los Angeles, Cal., and printed in "The Bugle Call", a paper devoted to the Grand Army of the Republic, should be read by all loyal citizens of this Mt. Scott district and its precinct headed. The Grand Army of the Republic will no be with us long. Lets all present the bouquet whilt thy art living and can know that wt appreciate what thy did for us in 1861-1865.

### THE ACROSTIC

Can we not hear them calling, these brave boys in blue?  
Oh, American women, our numbers are few.  
Like the grass as it withers and passes away,  
Untold numbers are answering the roll call each day.  
Must they be forgotten who offered their lives.  
Brave comrades who fought for their sweethearts and wives,  
In remembering the heroes whose life blood was shed.  
Are we honoring the living as well as the dead?  
Columbia Circle, dear sisters, today in the name of the living present the bouquet.  
Rouse yourselves, give us action, you know what it means,  
Contribute the roses, the smiles and the beans.  
Let us cheer them and boost them, salute one and all  
Ere our heroes, have answered the last bugle call.

As a place of "detention" the Frazer Detention home would seem a misnomer. Recently three juveniles escaped and robbed the Lents Hardware store and committed various other overt acts. Last Friday another trio of the inmates, David Wilson, aged 9; Wayne Wilson, 11; and Harold Jensen, 11; made their get-away and caused pandemonium to reign supreme among the women folks especially at Firland and in the Gresham district, by puffing and other acts of pure cunning. They were out four days before apprehended, and if a few more escapes "happen" the detention home will soon have an unenviable reputation in this locality.

There will be a community dance Saturday evening the 16th also the Woodme community is planning to have a masked party Hallween evening. The Welfare club of the Millard Ave. Presbyterian church held their business meeting Tuesday evening and elected the following officers for the year. Will Ormandy, sec'y. Mrs. Gen Saunders, vice-president, Elsie Stranze, secretary. Glen Saunders, who is to decorate for the special service Sunday morning; publicity committee, Miss Amy Hollingworth, Mrs. Glen Saunders. A committee was appointed to see about putting a heating plant into the church; it consisted of the pastor F. E. Cram and J. H. Zerung. Thomas Mal'oy was instructed to close the deal in securing a Manse for the church in accordance with the wishes of the congregation and the approval of the trustees backed by the Welfare club who is making it possible to secure this property. The Welfare club is a big booster for all enterprises of the church.

Prof. Thaxter of the Lents schools reports a few cases of both scarlet fever and diphtheria among pupils and advises the utmost precaution be taken by both parents and scholars that these diseases may not later become an epidemic.

## COMMUNITY MEETING, OCT. 20

Where is the best suburb of Portland?

Where is the suburb with more natural opportunities?

Why does not that suburb grow in comparison with other suburbs?

Our answer to these question is LACK OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

When can we get the improvements?

Possible not earlier than 1922 or 1923.

WHY?--Because contracts and petitions for public improvements in other suburbs are now filed, that will take over one year to complete. How can we get these improvements THEN? By our combined, immediate action. Therefore we, the undersigned citizens and taxpayers, have prevailed upon the City Commissioners to instruct the engineering department to furnish the citizens of this community facts and figures regarding cost of improvements now being done and that has been done this year by the city of Portland.

We have therefore called a meeting at the Odd Fellows hall, Wednesday, October 20, at 8 p. m., for them to present these figures. In order to have official sanction of these figures, some of the City Commissioners will be present.

Signed:

A. D. Kenworthy & Co.	Lents Pharmacy	Lents Hardware Company
Multnomah State Bank	Sherman Harkson	M. & R. Market
M. K. Hedge	C. E. Kennedy	F. A. Bohna
Eggiman Brothers	A. E. Morterude	K. Wilcox
R. F. Miller	F. P. Coulter	H. P. Armist
Lents Garage	Mrs. F. C. Wilson	Edw. A. Knauss
Adolph J. Mathes	Dr. C. S. Ogsbury	Ralph Stanz
Otto A. Wohlfeil	Fred Kitzky	B. L. Riggs
Lents Meat Market	John Eggiman	R. E. Peterson
H. Julian	F. R. Peterson	George Hamilton
Annie L. Lent	Katzky Brothers	W. W. Perkins
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Chester Cislinski	V. L. Lent	Adolph E. Eggiman
Donald Furey	Wm. Weingart	F. W. Tussey
Eagle Garage	N. N. Nygaard	J. F. Wing
J. H. Donaldson	T. G. Samuel	F. R. Foster

The only reason your name is not on this list is because we lacked time to see you.

P. S. Do You Know that it will only cost \$1 per month to have cement sidewalks, curbs and pavement laid in front of your 40 ft. lot. The city will do the work.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The Rev. Handsaker, Mrs. Leobo and Mr. Wells, are attending the State Conference of the Congregational church at Forrest Grove this week.

The Ladies Aid Society met Wednesday with Mrs. W. A. Prutton, 3967, 40th avenue.

Monday morning the topic will be: "Conference Echo" by the pastor the Rev. Mrs. Hansaker.

Mrs. George Snyder spoke at the social science club Thursday afternoon in the Albertina Baby Home.

The society met with Mrs. Cooper 75th street. There is to be a drive on in the interest of this Home in the near future. There is to be a speaker sent to all organizations.

The speakers were entertained at the Portland hotel Tuesday noon at luncheon.

The new pastor of the Laurelwood M. E. church is moving in the parsonage this week. Rev. Mrs. Sleeth who was lately ordained spike on Sunday evening, the pastor nit having arrived.

The climate of Oregon is a disadvantage, a number of Eastern people are here to spend the winter.

Quite a lot of improvements are being made, the owners of No. 3512 and 3522 6th street are improving their property. The first number is having a new roof, and the second is putting in a laboratory.

The Maples garage, L. L. Campbell proprietor, has succeeded at the old Myers stand, Foster road and Deering avenue. Mr. Campbell comes recommended as a first class mechanic. See his ad elsewhere in this issue.

R. Schneider is giving his house at 8259 Foster road a new coat of paint which adds greatly to the appearance of the property also to the improvement of that part of the city. The work is being done by J. C. Wiles, who is an expert in that line.

The accidental death, or suicide of George Meyers of Diversion street last Saturday morning was a shock to his many friends. The funeral was held at his fathers residence Tuesday of this week at 2 p. m. and he was buried in the Multnomah cemetery. He was born and raised in this community and respected by all who knew him.

### CRESTON PUPILS ARE FORCED TO WADE

A committee from the Creston Commercial club filed a protest with the county commissioners, asking that immediate steps be taken to provide drainage for the Powell-Valley road at the intersection of East Fiftieth street. According to the delegation about 1000 school children are forced to walk around or through a large mud puddle in order to reach Creston school. The delegation consisted of Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin, A. S. Hirschner, R. L. Anderson, C. E. Swan and J. B. Kelley.

Arthur Linstrom who made his home in the Mt. Scott district, a fisherman by trade, was caught in a storm on the ocean last week and he with his brother, who was with him, drifted 7 miles out to sea. The boat capsized and they were thrown into the water and were picked up three hours later by tug which was 24 hours late. Arthur after being rescued was unconscious for hours. They lost their boat valued at \$9000 and only had \$3000 insurance. The boys said they did not care for the loss, but was thankful they were rescued, but no more fishing for them, as those three hours in the water, clinching to the mast of the boat, was a dreadful experience, and they did not want another like it.

Mrs. F. L. Shaw of Bend, Oregon, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hamlin of 7830 64th avenue, last Sunday.

Mrs. A. O. Thomas and Mrs. Chas. Carey are visiting at Hood River, with their old time neighbor Mrs. G. H. Alloway.

Mr. Adams has sold their residence on 72nd street. Property is changing hands so often it is hard to keep pace of it.

Mr. Windson, 6920 51st avenue, who left with the remains of his mother for Norwich, N. Y., returned home this week.

Miss Bessie Parsley, a teacher in the Lents school, entertained the teachers last Friday evening at her home, 788 E. Yamhill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen of Michigan are looking for a furnished house. They have only been in the city a short time but have come to spend the winter here.

### PORT PLAN TO BE REFERRED TO VOTERS

The city council by a vote of three to two Saturday referred the port consolidation bill to voters of the city. It will be placed on the ballots at the November election.

Mayor Baker and Commissioners Barbur and Mann voted to refer the bill to the people, while Commissioners Bigelow and Pier opposed this procedure.

The bill, if passed by the people, will give authority to the city council and the dock commission to sell or transfer city property to the new proposed commission which, as provided in another amendment, will be a consolidation of the port and dock commission.

A charter amendment proposed by Commissioner A. L. Barbur authorizing the issuance of "progress warrants" for municipal improvements was ordered placed on the ballot by unanimous vote of the council. This amendment permits the issuance of part payment warrants to contractors on city jobs as the work progresses, whereas under the system now in effect the contractor gets no money until the job is delivered. As a consequence, he is forced to borrow funds to meet payroll and material bills, and the interest on the borrowed money inflates the cost of the improvement.

Dr. Lockwood says this has been a very quiet week, no deaths, no births, no serious illness. Mt. Scott is a healthy locality.

The Democrats will hold a political meeting Saturday, October 16, at 8 p. m. at Lents school. Good music and speaking will be on program.

Mrs. Janet Williams returned to her home in Los Angeles after having spent two months visiting her mother Mrs. Worden and sister Mrs. J. T. Fossler of 92nd SE.

Anyone having a copy of the Mt. Scott Herald bearing date of October 1st, 1920, will not only confer a favor by leaving at this office but will be rewarded for their trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Jensen, 4240 70th street sold their home but have purchased another one, 16th and Couch street, where they will soon move. They are considered splendid neighbors and their community is regretting their loss.

## MT. SCOTT O. E. S. ENTERTAIN MASON'S RIGHT ROYALLY

Thursday evening of last week the local chapter Order Eastern Star entertained the members of Masonic lodge of Lents with a splendid musical program and banquet, prepared under supervision of the chairman of the entertainment committee, Mrs. Darnell.

Mrs. C. E. Goetz of 4604 42nd avenue, S.E., and her orchestra rendered some excellent numbers. Those who assisted her were Miss Edith Turner, violin; Miss Elsie Worden, cello; Donald Goetz, flute; Vernon Goetz, clarinet; Mrs. C. E. Goetz, piano.

The police quartet, chaparoned by Chief Walter Jenkins, gave several much appreciated numbers. R. L. Crane, baritone, and soloist, was assisted in quartet by Ralph Gaussonlock, L. E. Williams and George Johnson, with Mr. Stedman at piano. Reading by Mrs. George Snyder.

Following the program, the visitors were escorted to the dancing room, where the tables were tastily decorated with dahlias, and were laden with many good things to eat, in which the members of Mt. Scott chapter excel.

### BONDS, CAMERA, \$120 IS LOOT OF THIEVES

Two \$50 government bonds, a camera and \$120 in cash comprised the loot of burglars who looted the safe of the Foster road Pharmacy, 6146 Foster road, Wednesday night. George Miller, proprietor of the store, reported that the safe was left open, but that an inner door had been forced. The thieves gained entrance by pulling the hinge pins from a vestibule door. An electric water heater and several cans of tobacco were found in a gunny sack nearby.

### OLD TEACHERS ENTERTAIN

Former teachers in the Lents schools entertained at a delightful luncheon Tuesday of last week in teachers of the ensuing year, Prof. honor of the new principle and Thaxter, Misses Michael, Miss Osborne, Mrs. Leitch and Mrs. Sarah Chich. Miss Harte, domestic science teacher, assisted, her pupils prepare the luncheon.

### SITUARY

Died--September 9 at his home in B. entwood, B. J. Trosk, who moved lately from La Center, Washington, to 72nd street. Mr. Trosk had the flu last winter and was suffering from the effect of it when complications of other diseases set in. Mr. Trosk leaves a wife and twelve children of whom eight are living in Portland, and all in attendance at the funeral. The funeral was held Wednesday, 10 a. m. at Kenworthy's undertaking parlors Rev. Sibly of the Lents M. E. church officiating.

The Knights of Pythias read their burial service, and a quartet of the order sang. Mr. Trosk was an honored citizen of La Center for a number of years. He was buried in the Mt. Scott cemetery. Mrs. Ray Blanchard of Bliss, Idaho, daughter of Mr. Trosk, Mrs. J. Bennett, of Baker, Oregon, and Mr. R. N. Trosk of La Center attended the funeral.

It is reported that the attendance at the Gresham Fair broke all records. The largest attendance and the best exhibits that has ever been One of the judges of the fair on arrangements, who is late from Ohio, said, that he had often served on like occasion, but the Multnomah grain exhibits were the best he had ever seen. Wednesday was Gresham day. Thursday Portland day, Friday Fraternal day and Saturday School Childrens day. All of these days was well attended. The rains handicapped the races but they were put on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday in spite of the muddy track.

### Unparalleled Record of Rev. Harrabellio A. Marangopoulos

Born a savage, found in a hut on the East Coast of Africa by an English nobleman, a baby weighing 20 pounds, the sole survivor of a family of fourteen, lying crying amid their dead and purifying forms, he was brought to England a curiosity, where he was educated and became a missionary with a record of travel and perils that has no parallel in the world's history.

Rev. Marangopoulos will preach at Friends church, Lents, next Sunday at 11 a. m., and 3 and 7:30 d. m.