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## CULVER SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

Complimenting Rev. and Mrs. Culver of the Evangelical church, about one hundred and twenty-five of their friends gathered in the church basement last Friday night to celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, which occurred October 30.

The affair was so cleverly planned that the pastor and his family were completely surprised. A Christian Endeavor business meeting and social had been announced for the evening and the young people gathered early about a blazing fireplace and held their business session. Not until the older people began coming did Rev. Culver grow suspicious.

Mrs. Culver, being slightly ill, had remained at home and was preparing to retire when some of the ladies bore in upon her and dressed her up as a bride in the gown worn by Mrs. Albert Fankhauser at her wedding.

Just then Miss Albert began playing "Here Comes the Bride," and Mrs. Culver was ushered in to meet her husband in the center of the room. Not until then did he grasp the full significance of the occasion.

Rev. Shupp then proceeded to marry the couple, much to the amusement of those present. After the ceremony a table spread with a beautiful display of community silver was placed before the bride and groom.

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A couple of vocal selections were rendered by Philip Drake. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social way. About 10 o'clock refreshments of cake and sandwiches were served and a large white cake was presented to Mrs. Culver.

All joined in wishing the worthy couple many years more of happiness and usefulness.

## PASSED AWAY

Dr. John W. Briggs was born at Leeds, England, Dec. 18, 1838, and died at the home of his daughter Nov. 17, 1920. Mrs. Carril E. Reed, 7911 65th avenue S. E., Portland, Ore. He was graduated from a veterinary college at Elmira, N. Y., and practiced in Sioux Falls, S. D., for 30 years. He resided in Portland the past five years, during which time he had been an invalid. His death was caused by paralysis.

He leaves to mourn his loss two sons and two daughters. Mrs. Carril E. Reed, Edward H. Briggs and Harry W. Briggs of Portland, and Mrs. Laura J. West of Clatskanie, Ore., and one stepson, Martin Enstrom of Portland; twelve grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren.

## MORTUARY

Sunday morning, November 14, Edward J. Collins, 4620 61st street, S. E., died at his residence, aged 74 years, following a long illness and complications.

Funeral services were held at Laurelwood church Monday, Rev. Finley officiating, and the remains were interred in Mt. Scott cemetery.

A widow, two daughters, Minnie, Mrs. Maggie Durgan, and sons, Benjamin and Loris, and a sister, Mrs. Ella Deardorff, 63rd street, survive to mourn the loss of the departed.

Deceased was a member of the Laurelwood Methodist church for 12 years.

## ARLETA BAPTIST CHURCH

The Men's Club will meet next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

The young people's society will meet at 6:15. Mrs. L. E. Sherman will address the meeting.

The mid-week service will be held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The World-wide Guild will give a pie social December 3.

The ladies of the Missionary Society gave a farewell reception to Mrs. Duncan, their president, who is leaving for Montana. Mr. Duncan takes charge of the industrial department of the Y. M. C. A.

## GRANGE MET AT LENTS LAST SATURDAY

Lents grange last Saturday held a successful meeting under the direction of T. L. Kruger, master. A dinner was served at noon and the open session was addressed by Judge R. G. Morrow. A program of singing and recitations was much enjoyed. Arrangements for the grange Pomona, Wednesday, Dec. 15, were placed in the hands of a large committee, which met to perfect organization at the grange hall Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 1:30.

The following are among those named on the committee: Annie McNeil, chairman; Cora Galloway, Mary Robertson, Emma Bush, O. B. Griner, Mrs. C. Ward, Olive Forte, Rachel Christianson, Ella Frost, F. O. Snuffins and wife, E. M. Calkins and wife, T. M. Hurlburt and wife, Donald Furey and wife, H. Klinker and wife, W. L. Hotchkiss and wife, W. A. Young and wife, C. W. Barzee and wife, C. F. McGill and wife. It is expected to make this event the largest Pomona of Multnomah county granges held this year. It is held at different local granges once every three months and preparations will be made for 200 guests.

WANTED—Correspondents in the Gilbert and Belrose districts. Mt. Scott Herald.

## MUSICAL ASSEMBLY

A musical assembly was held at Franklin high school Wednesday, Nov. 10, to exhibit the musical work of the school. The program, which was under direction of Mrs. Walsh and Mrs. Carl Denton, was the following:

First selection by orchestra. Song by boys' glee club and Edith Snyder. Selection by orchestra. Selection by girls' glee club, song Humoresque. Vocal solo by Norman Bicknell, "Sweetheart." Violin solo by Helen Harper, a former student of Franklin high. Selection by orchestra.

Talks to ex-soldiers, now Franklin students, were given about Armistice day. Football talks were given by Mr. Meek, Miss Johnson and Mrs. Root. School yells were practiced for the game to be played that afternoon between Franklin and Columbia, the former winning. Assembly closed by singing the Star Spangled Banner.

## CURFEW MAY BE CHANGED

Change of the curfew law from an 8 o'clock limit to 9 o'clock and absolute enforcement of it after that hour, was recommended Saturday at a gathering of representatives of various child welfare organizations in the court of domestic relations. Mayor Baker was present to hear the views of the delegates and to state his position in the matter. The vote virtually followed the line of his suggestions.

Hereafter, depending, of course, upon action by the city council, special permits will not be issued.

"They're a joke," was the almost unanimous opinion. "Boys and girls get them to go to night school and then play hooky. That is where delinquency begins."

"The 8 o'clock law has been a failure," said Mrs. J. F. Hill of the Parent-Teacher council. "Now, if we make it 9 o'clock how are we to teach the children to respect this regulation?"

"You've got to get the parents down to the police station to bring the boys home," Mayor Baker replied. "And that's what absolute enforcement is going to mean."

"Let them explain to the judge," supplemented Judge Kanzler. "Bring the hammer down and make no exceptions; then you will make an impression."

The chief difficulty is in adjusting compulsory night school for those required by state law to attend. This is for boys and girls between the ages of 16 and 18 years old and requires attendance from 7:15 to 9:15 o'clock three nights each week. Although Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull of the Child Welfare commission argued for lowering the age on the curfew law to 16 years, in order to meet this contingency, the proposition was voted down.

"Those are really the vital ages," explained Chief of Police Jenkins "and we have more trouble with grown boys and girls than with others." He told of putting on his plate, "these men Friday night to enforce curfew."

The meeting was called by Judge Kanzler and was attended by delegates from the Boy Scout, churches, Y. M. C. A., Parent-Teacher council, Grade Teachers' association, state board of health, Child Welfare commission, police department, school district and court of domestic relations.

## DAILY MAIL

Except Sunday, at Lents station, arrives at 7:36 a. m., 12:50 p. m., and departs at 9:20 a. m., 12:30 and 5:30 p. m.

## MT. SCOTT W. C. T. U.

The Mt. Scott W. C. T. U. will meet at the Pisgah Home, 7511 64th avenue, Tuesday, Nov. 22, at 2:30 p. m., for a Thanksgiving service.

The program will be in charge of Evangelistic Superintendent Mrs. Gethings. The W. C. T. U. quartet is expected to furnish the music.

All who wish to are asked to donate some article that may contribute to the comfort of these old people, a glass of jelly, jar of fruit or whatever you may wish to bring. Pastors of the community and all members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

## KERN PARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH

46th Avenue and 69th Street.

Sunday, Nov. 25, Dr. J. F. Ghormley will begin his fiftieth year in his public ministry, and special themes and music in keeping with the season and the day will be presented. At 11 a. m. the theme of the sermon will be "The Unfolding Revelation." The evening theme will be "The Year of Jubilee." There will be well prepared musical programs at both services.

The Christian Endeavor society will present the Christian Endeavor efficiency banner last week at the contest held in the First Congregational church. Last Sunday morning at the close of the Bible school hour, in a unique speech by Lloyd Arnett, acting president of the society, the banner was unveiled before the large audience.

The union Thanksgiving services of the central Mt. Scott district will be held in this church Thursday, Nov. 25, at 11 a. m. Rev. Mr. Finley, pastor of Laurelwood M. E. church, will preach the sermon.

The Laurelwood Methodist church is holding special services under the auspices of the Epworth League.

## The Man Who Loves the Truth: You Have to Be Watchful to Find Him.

By LYNN HAROLD HOUGH, Retiring Pres't Northwestern University.

Once there was a man who wanted to see things as they are. He wanted to feel about things as they are. He looked at things with straight and candid eyes. He looked at people with unhesitating honesty. He looked at his own life with remorseless sincerity. He never told lies to himself, because he was afraid of deceiving himself more than he was afraid of anything else in all the world. He hated deception because the very thought of living in a world where you would be so confused that you could not distinguish truth from error filled him with fear.

He loved science because it dealt precisely with undeniable facts. He delighted in mathematics because accuracy was the soul of all its processes. He wanted to live in a world upon which he could depend and he began by being the sort of man upon whom other men could depend without fear of painful disillusionment. When men called him a true man, it was only because what he did expressed what he was.

There have been a good many of this man. You have to be watchful to find him. He never tells you about himself.

## TELEPHONE RATES TO BE INCREASED

Application for a 30 per cent increase in telephone rates was made by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company Saturday to the public service commission. If the increase is granted it will mean an increase of about \$1,200,000 a year in the revenue of the company, which will amount to a yield of 8 per cent on the investment. This would also wipe out the deficit which the company faces at the end of the year.

Heavy increase in cost of operation; demands for telephones which cannot be supplied and inability to earn even a fair yield, are among the reasons set forth for the new rate.—Oregonian.

The caption to this item may prove a misnomer, but we opine otherwise from the fact that the public utilities seem to be getting about everything asked for these hazy days of the high cost of living. If service was assured in proportion to increased rates, possibly the public would not protest so vigorously.

## LAURELWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Next Sunday the pulpit will be occupied by Miss Ida V. Jompz. Subject, "Far Vision."

Young people's meeting led by Margery Morton Sunday evening. Saturday evening there will be a social and entertainment at Lucky Cottage. Mr. Ned Erwin, Christian Endeavor superintendent, will show pictures of his recent trip to Japan and China, followed by a social hour and refreshments.

Sunday evening at 5:30 young people's meeting. Thanksgiving union services will be held at 11 a. m. at Kern Park. Rev. Finley, of Laurelwood church, will preach the sermon. Music will be furnished by a part of the choir of the church.

## NOV. 25 THANKSGIVING DAY

Thursday, Nov. 25, Thanksgiving day, is declared a legal holiday in Oregon in a proclamation issued on Nov. 13 by Governor Olcott, who calls upon the people of the state to join in the observance of the day "in the churches, in their homes or wherever they may be" as a day of special thanksgiving and prayer.

B. L. Riggs of the M. & R. Market, Lents, has evidently "stirred up the animals." His quarter page ad in last week's issue caused a demand for extra copies of the Herald by several ladies of Lents that they might read his prices. This week the M. & R. have a one-half page ad, giving prices well worthy of perusal. The "Buy at Home" idea is the proper way to build up this community.

Miss Annie Miller, daughter of the proprietor of the "Perfection," who has been suffering from a severe siege of rheumatism, was able to visit with her mother at her place of business last Sunday. Miss Fisher is the very courteous and efficient assistant of Mrs. Miller, necessitated by the fast increasing business since a recent change of ownership.

Read the quarter page ad of the Lents Junction Mercantile Co. in this issue. They are quoting prices that will keep you from going down town to trade, unless you just want to make a trip and see the city. They solicit the patronage of their locality and will get it, if they continue to dabble in printer's ink.

Mr. Samuels, Lents' popular dry goods merchant, and the genial Dr. Hess deserve special mention for their untiring efforts to keep the street neat and clean in front of their places of business—in example that many others in Lents could profit by and add to the attractiveness of their premises by following suit. The frontage of some places of business we wot of is not as good as a well kept swinery.

Currey's Pharmacy at Grays Crossing has a wonderful display of curios gathered from all parts of the world that are well worth the time taken to visit this place and view the collection.

## WEDDING BELLS

Cyril Fleming of 6303 86th street and Treasa E. Petty of 503 East 36th street, were married at the home of Father O'Rlynn of St. Peter's parish, Saturday night at 8 o'clock. The young couple were attended by Miss Emma Fleming, sister of the bridegroom, and by Nat Boland, a brother-in-law. Preceding the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fleming were dinner guests of the bride's aunt, Mrs. George Spring, at the Spring home east of Lents. After the wedding the young people went to their home on a farm near Clackamas. Mr. Fleming is a graduate of Lents school and his bride was a former student there.

## CRESTON NOTES

The Creston school won the final game of football Tuesday in contest with the Arieta team at Franklin High. Score, 13 to 12, the Crestonites now holding the championship for the Mt. Scott district. The Creston and Central teams will meet some time next week in contest for the championship of the city of Portland.

The meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association at the Creston auditorium was an entertaining and successful affair, over 100 being in attendance. The association is rapidly increasing in membership.

Armistice Day was appropriately celebrated at Creston auditorium, with a large attendance. Hal Kaufman and Mr. Clark, students of Franklin High, addressed the meeting and a highly entertaining musical program was rendered.

## EVANGELICAL CHURCH NOTES

The Evangelical church is responding to a request from the general officers of the church that the entire denomination recognize Friday, Saturday and Sunday as a time of humiliation, confession, fasting and prayer, acknowledging our sins and failures and seeking the outpouring of the Holy Spirit that the church may be better equipped for service.

There will be services Friday evening at 7:30. Rev. N. Shupp and a number of the members of the class will give short talks and some time will be devoted to prayer.

The Sunday services will be as follows: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Young People's Alliance, 6:45 p. m. Song and praise service at 7:30, followed by preaching.

## SCHOOL NOTES

The regular monthly meeting of the Lents Parent-teacher association will be held in the assembly room of the school Nov. 19, at 2:45. Program: Dr. Allen C. Bailey of dental clinic and Mrs. Marion Crowe, superintendent of the Visiting Nurses association, will speak.

Duet by Mrs. Kenworthy and Mrs. Orton. Refreshments will be served under the supervision of Mrs. McCord. All parents are most cordially invited to attend.

## 3rd UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

67th St. and 32nd Ave.

Rev. Shepard announces the morning subject as "Tis Useless to Fight Against God." Evening service, "Prayer and the Word."

Rev. Ira Hawley will begin revival services Sunday, November 21. Rev. E. O. Shepard will be the song leader.

## LENTS M. E. CHURCH

Rev. F. R. Sibley, pastor. Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11; subject, "Trouble and How to Meet It." Special music. Junior League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:30; evening worship, 7:30. Subject, "The Sin of Neglect."

Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30.

## FOURTH UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH, TREMONT

The Christian Endeavor was well represented in the Multnomah C. E. rally Tuesday evening, having 100 per cent of its membership present besides a number of visitors. They have an enterprising president who knows how to make things go.

The social committee of the Christian Endeavor is arranging for a Thanksgiving social to be held at the home of Miss Marston, 6522 58th avenue S. E., next Saturday evening, Nov. 20. Everyone is invited and a good time is assured to all.

Evangelistic services will be held at the Fourth United Brethren church, 69th street and 62nd avenue, Tremont, beginning Sunday evening, Nov. 21, conducted by Rev. Ira Hawley, pastor of Second U. B. church, and Rev. E. O. Shepard, pastor of Third U. B. church.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held each afternoon except Monday at 2:30 o'clock. The attendance and co-operation of everyone is urged.

Miss Luckey, pastor of Fourth United Brethren church, will give a missionary address at the Second United Brethren church Sunday evening, Nov. 21, on mission work among the Spanish-Americans of New Mexico.

A number of the Sunday school workers are expecting to attend the county Sunday school convention at the First Christian church in Portland Friday.

Ray Schermerhorn, 91st street, has returned home, having passed a few days in southern Oregon.

## NEAR EAST RELIEF FOR CHRISTMAS SEASON

Plans are under way in almost every Portland Sunday school for a generous offering for Near East Relief at the Christmas season. The following reports from schools have just been received:

One of the most progressive superintendents issued the challenge to his classes that he would duplicate the offering of the class collecting the most money by Christmas. A class of girls is turning the challenge in such a lively way that the superintendent is looking anxious even at this early date.

Westminster Presbyterian has 100 members studying the Near East. Unity Presbyterian makes an offering averaging \$10 every month. Advent Christian will save one life—\$60, \$2 per pupil.

First Christian gave \$1258—about \$3 per pupil—last year. They will devote their 20-minute missionary period every Sunday during the month of December to the study of Armenia. Each class has made a definite pledge for this year and each department has an original plan for raising its money. They began work in earnest several months ago and expect to duplicate their last year's offering—and more. Hillside Union, 25 pupils, saved two lives last year—\$5 per pupil.

First Presbyterian Juniors march up every Sunday and drop coins in Armenian stockings. There is a contest on between a red stocking and a blue one.

Church of the Strangers, U. P., has already paid in for the Christmas offering \$218—almost \$1 per pupil.

Sunnyside Friends pledge \$250—over \$1 per pupil. This is a duplicate of their last year's pledge.

Rose City Park Methodist gives yearly about \$1.25 per pupil.

Millard Avenue Presbyterian, a school of 100 pupils, gave a community entertainment Nov. 5 with a lecture and Near East Relief pictures, followed by a pie supper. The offering amounts to over \$100.

Many Portland churches will give a Thanksgiving offering for Near East Relief at their regular services on Thanksgiving day.

## LENTS BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45; Superintendent, M. Filer; assistant superintendent, William Shapland. Good music. All invited. Mrs. Thompson will have charge of the Junior department. Thanksgiving sermon at 11 a. m. by pastor. Special Thanksgiving music by the choir.

Young people's meeting at 6:30. President, David Francis. Evening service at 7:30. Special song service. Pastor's theme, "At the Door of the Kingdom." All cordially invited.

Mrs. W. S. Thompson will have charge of the music and will drill the singers on Thursday evening after prayer meeting.

## FRIENDS CHURCH

Bible school at 9:45. The Bible school has been steadily increasing in attendance ever since Rally day, there being an attendance of 111 last Sunday.

The "Elizabeth Frye" Women's Bible class is running a close race with the "Aeronauts" young people's class, in attendance, although the young people have the largest enrollment.

The Quaker Maidens were made happy in winning the banquet promised by the Sunday school committee in the Rally day contest. There were 19 plates at the banquet, which was served in the annex of the church. Toasts were made and responded to and a short program rendered to the satisfaction of all present.

Church services are at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday and prayer meeting at 7:45 each Thursday.

There is a growing congregation at the church services. The pastor, who has been indisposed for some time, was able to fill the pulpit last Sunday, much to the satisfaction of the people.

Revival meetings are going on at First Friends church, 35th and Main, which our people are attending to some extent.

Junior C. E. in the annex of the church Wednesday, 4 p. m. All children are invited. Miss Isler is in charge. Mothers are invited to visit the meetings at any time.

## ARLETA BAPTIST CHURCH

Thirty-three ladies of the Arleta Baptist church were entertained at a very pleasant and enjoyable social affair at the home of Mrs. William Woodham, on 67th street, Tuesday afternoon.

The affair was in honor of Mrs. Duncan, who has been the popular and efficient president of the Women's society the past year, and is leaving the city to make her home in Montana.

The ladies presented a beautiful painting, the work of Mrs. Schultz, to Mrs. Duncan as a small token of the esteem and love they feel for the one who has been their leader in so sweet and Christlike spirit.

The afternoon closed with a very beautiful and dainty lunch prepared by the hostesses. All present send with Mrs. Duncan their best wishes and prayers for herself and family in their new home.

Miss Elsie McNair, 5834 82nd St., has the misfortune to be laid up with a broken toe.