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News in General

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Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Jones and son of Montavilla were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Vernon, of 407 North Jersey street, Sunday.

The representatives of the Hess Furnace Manufacturing Co. of Portland, met with the Trustees of the Christian church last Monday night and made thorough test of the heating capacity of their furnaces installed in the new church building. Under thermometer test the heat was found ample and very even in all parts of the building.

Miss Matilda Zinzin, who was an employee of the Western Cooperaige for some time, recently became the bride of Mr. Clifford Whiting, who is an employee of a Vancouver shipyard. The employees of the stove department and friends took up a collection and bought Mr. and Mrs. Whiting a silver electric percolator and caserole for a wedding present. Mr. and Mrs. Whiting expect to make their home in California. They will leave in the latter part of December for the South.

I pay the tax on barns and shacks, on all my goods and chattels, on my tin boat and William goat, wax dolls and baby rattles. I try to smile when from my pile I thus am harshly riven, when these round bones I earned with groans are to officials given. I smile, ah, me! But when I see how public coin is wasted, the smile I wear won't linger there, unless it's glued or pasted. Once we were shocked when congress talked of spending frugal millions, but in these days, to my amaz, our talk is all of billions. I pay the tax on my two yaks, my worthog and canary, and though I smile to be in style, my heart is far from merry. The war is done, with sword and gun we've squelched the Teuton races, and 'twould be sense to cut expense in forty thousand places. I pay the tax on cribs and stacks, and try to do it stoutly, but that the trend to waste may end, I hope and pray devoutly. My Aunt Jane needs some widow's weeds, my granddad needs a briar, but I can't get such doodads yet, with taxes going higher.—Walt Mason.

The Mothers' meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Lecture room of the Library next Monday, Dec 1, at 2 p. m. Everybody welcome, especially mothers. The subject to be discussed: Progress along the line of prohibition, by Mrs. Eater. —Reported.

There is quite a sentiment being aroused over the proposition of placing the chief of police position under civil service instead of appointment by the mayor. This would insure the chief always being experienced in police affairs. A petition to amend the charter in this respect may be circulated soon, it is said.

The people of St. Johns are to enjoy the pleasure of hearing Pastor E. Hibbard, late professor of Bible Theology in Pacific Union College, California, and Pastor Geo. W. Pettit, returned missionary from Bombay, India, in a series of Biblical lectures covering crises now agitating the world. A program of the meetings is found elsewhere in this paper. And of course everybody is expected to attend. First meeting Sunday evening.

Editor St. Johns Review: We hear much about the "Wave of Crime." What is causing this apparent wave? Here is the solution: When criminals are convicted and sentenced, let them serve their time. This "Wave of Crime" is directly traceable to our Executive officers of the Northwestern States, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California and Montana, are trying to reform criminals by arresting them, going to the expense of trying them, and then paroling them to see how long they can withstand temptation. Johnson, who killed his benefactress, was a paroled, hardened criminal. The murderers of Burgess and Perring are paroled hardened criminals. The Parole boards are working overtime in the Northwestern States and the taxpayers are reaping its harvest in increased Court expenses. Our governors are crying out aloud, "Inforce the law," and at the same moment sympathizing with some poor convict and arranging to turn him loose on the public so the police can have work and experience in catching the scoundrel turned out on the public by some soft hearted governor for an airing.—Krobar.

Mrs. Jack Webster was the recipient of a large bouquet of chrisanthemums at the Emanuel hospital on her birthday by the Welfare Committee of the Portland Woolen Mills.

There is no use mincing matters. The I. W. W. have been permitted to plan and commit murder and treason long enough. Russian Anarchists are no worse than this damnable organization in America. The murder of de-fenders of the flag in Centralia proves this assertion. At last the people have awakened from a Rip Van Winkle slumber. The Reds are being pursued all over Uncle Sam's domain, and the guilty will yet pay the penalties for crimes committed, aided or abetted. There is plenty of evidence to convict in most cases. The possession of a red card is an offense within itself. No one guilty of carrying this emblem of violence and destruction can look the blinded goddess in the eye and claim to be a law abiding citizen. In many cases misguided laboring men have been led astray and believed the I. W. W. organization to be a friend of the laboring classes. But now is the time for honest laborers to shun this evil as they would the deadly cobra. A full fledged I. W. W. has no respect for law and order, and before the trial of Centralia murderers is completed, more than one will be pictured in the following lines: "No rogue e'er felt the halter draw With good opinion of the law." Let the good work go on until the country is free from all Anarchistic classes. This class has no respect for divine, civil or moral law, or even the fury of the devil. Like the man without a country let him. "Go down to the vile dust from where he sprang, Unwept, unhonored and unsung."—D. E. Vernon.

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FINISHES SECOND

The James John football eleven finished the 1919 football season in second place winning their last game of the season Tuesday against the Columbia University eleven by the score of 19 to 0. The break of the game came when Huck Hiatt, double J right end, picked up a fumble in Columbia's territory and ran 35 yards for a touchdown through a broken field. The touchdown came shortly after the start of the second period. Hiatt failed to kick goal.

In the first quarter James John worked the ball to Columbia's 5 yard line, but three attempts to cross the goal line by line smashes failed and the double J, aggregation lost the ball when a runner went out of bounds near the 1-yard line. The ball was brought out to the 20-yard line and Terry Johnson punted out of danger. The run by Hiatt in the second period and the defense put up by Columbia on their own 5 yard line, were the only features of the first half. Punts, forward passes and fumbles took up the time during the rest of the first session. In the third quarter Columbia tried a drop kick from the 30-yard line, but the double J line broke through on Terry Johnson and blocked the attempt. Oliver Jessup, James John fullback, scored two touchdowns for the double J squad in the last period. The first came after a series of line smashes with Jessup carrying the ball, had placed the pigskin within eight yards of the goal. On the next play Jessup bounced off tackle for the remaining distance to the goal. Hiatt again missed the attempt at goal kick.

With only five seconds left to play in the final quarter Jessup intercepted a forward pass and ran 60 yards for a touchdown. Hiatt kicked goal.

RECEIVE LIFE SENTENCE

David Smith, Walter Banaster and James Ogle, the three men who have confessed to the hold-up of the Claremont tavern last Friday night when J. N. Burgess, state highway commissioner, and George E. Perring, both of Pendleton, were shot and killed, were indicted by the Multnomah county grand jury Tuesday on charges of murder in the second degree. The three men charged with the crime appeared at their own request as witnesses before the grand jury.

Others who appeared as witnesses were Misses Elsie Babcock, Jane Shelton and Lora Hastings, the three girls who were at the dinner party at the tavern at the time of the shooting; Inspector Pat Moloney, who was instrumental in obtaining verbal confessions from Smith and Banaster; Inspector Bob Phillips, who participated in the arrest of the three men at the house at 163 West Emerson street; Inspector Howell who participated in the arrest and examination of the men; Dennis J. McCauley of Aberdeen, Wash., who was the first of the guests at the tavern to be "Stuck up;" and Chief of Police Jenkins.

The case was presented to the grand jury by Chief Deputy District Attorney Hamersley and Deputy District Attorney Mowry. The trial of the three men on the murder charge will open in the criminal department of the circuit court within a few days, it was announced. It is planned to make the trial take precedence over matters of minor importance in order that justice may be meted out to the three confessed holdup men as speedily as possible. Banaster, also known as Dutch Herman, has a criminal record, according to confession he is said to have made to inspector Pat Moloney. According to the inspector he said he had served 3 1/2 years out of an eight year sentence at the Montana penitentiary at Deer Lodge on a charge of burglary. He is said to have been paroled at that time. Ogle had previously confessed to having served 11 months at the same penitentiary for horse stealing. Smith, the man who is believed to have been guilty of the actual shooting, has no previous criminal record so far as the authorities have been able to learn.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Last Saturday evening the Student Body dance was held in the gym. The chaperones were the teachers and twenty-five parents. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

Superintendent Grout of Portland schools, and Mr. Pratt were James John visitors Friday. Superintendent Grout talked on 'Know Yourself,' which was both interesting and helpful. Mr. Pratt spoke of 'Our Responsibility As Americans.'

Monday morning witnessed the reestablishment of Spanish club, which was dropped two years ago. Only Spanish students are eligible. The officers are as follows: Paul Chatterton, President; Adiline Eggman, Vice Pres.; James Miller, Secretary and Treasurer, and Mr. Gets, faculty advisor. A different program committee will be appointed at each meeting to serve at the next. The committee at present is composed of Clarence Gilstrap, chairman, Selma Moe, Clara Edwards, Joe Ward and Raphael McKay.

'She Stoops to Conquer' by Oliver Goldsmith, is the play chosen by the February "20" class. The cast is as follows: Mr. Hardecastle, Harlan Hiatt; Mrs. Hardecastle, Gladys Keeney; Hastings, Edmund Kiegel; Tony, Paul Chatterton; Siv Marlow, Rudy Anderson; Young Marlow, Stanley O'Connor; Diggory, Lowell Dotson; Landlord, Clarence Toole; Miss Hardecastle, Helen Story; Miss Neville, Gladys Coon; Maid, Esther Piele. Rehearsals for the play will be under the direction of Mrs. Drury-Scott. The play will be given some time in January.

No school from Wednesday until the following Monday, on the account of Thanksgiving. Many are wishing Thanksgiving came oftener.—C. A. W.

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Sunday, November 30th—**MAE MURRAY** in "A DELICIOUS LITTLE DEVIL." Universal in 6 acts. A picture you will like.

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 1 and 2—**JOHN BARRYMORE** in "THE LOST BROTHERS." Paramount. Also "Blimo the Mighty," No. 10.

Wednesday, December 3—**CONSTANCE TALMADGE** in "THE WILD ADVENTURER." Select.

Thursday, December 4—**MONROE SALISBURY** in "MAN IN THE MOONLIGHT." Universal, in six acts.

Friday, December 5th—**MRS. CHARLIE CHAPLIN** in "HOMER." Universal, in six acts.

Saturday, December 6th—**FRET STONE** in "UNDER THE TOP." Paramount. A good "vicious" picture.

Sunday, December 7th—**ORA CAREW** with a strong supporting cast in "ROCK." From the widely read Saturday Evening Post story. Don't miss this one.

Monday and Tuesday, December 8-9—**WM. FARNUM** in "THE REDEMPTION OF DAVID CORSON." Paramount. Also "Blimo the Mighty," No. 11.

Wednesday, December 10th—**DOLORES CASSINELLI**, often called the most beautiful woman in pictures, in "THE UNKNOWN LOVE." Pathé. The story is based on the world war. A good story, cleverly directed and well acted.

Thursday and Friday, December 11-12—**D. W. GRIFFITH** presents **LILLIAN GISH** in "BROKEN BLOSSOMS." Recently shown over town at 25c. Run seven weeks in New York at \$2.00. One of the big productions of the year. Admission, adults 20c; children 10c.

Saturday, December 13—**VIRGINIA PEARSON** in "IMPOSSIBLE CATHEDRAL." Pathé.

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