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It Wasn't a Patch

Two ladies gay met a boy one day,
His legs were briar scratched;
His clothes were blue, but a nut-crow
lue
Marked the place where his pants
were scratched.
They bubbled with joy at the blue-eyed
boy
With his spot of nut-brown hue.
"Why don't you patch with a color to
match?"
They chuckled, "Why not in blue?
Come, don't be coy, my blue-brown boy,
Speak out," and they laughed with
glee,
And he blushed rose-red while he
bashfully said:
"That ain't no patch; that's me!"
—Ex.

A birthday party was given in honor of Alfred E. Arronson on his fourth year January 5th, 1922, at his home, 528 East Charleston street. The room was decorated with pink crepe paper and hearts. The table was decorated with pink carnations and set with a pretty birthday cake with the four burning candles. Games were played and a fish pond fixed with his mother's pan, and they all went to a fishing for trinkets. Little Alfred was well remembered. All went away happy and satisfied. Those present were: Mabel Hedlund, Gladys Kunke, LaVon Thompson, Bertha Hedlund, Hazel Gillette, Robert Hedlund, Wilbur Hedlund, Waldemar Kunke, Alfred Arronson, Mrs. Kate Hedlund, Mrs. Jennie Arronson, Mrs. Sarah Kunke, Mrs. Lena Thompson, Miss Dorothy Hedlund, Mrs. Myrtle Arronson. —Reported.

The furnace department of the Associated Engineering Association has been taken over by the Skookum Company at their plant on Bradford street in St. Johns. This company has also taken over the Standard Brass Foundry of Portland and will move the equipment to St. Johns as soon as a suitable building has been erected. The Skookum Company promises to soon become one of St. Johns' leading industrial concerns. "Skookum" in the Chinook Indian language means good, and anything this company makes measures up to the name.

In renewing his subscription to the Review, H. L. Campbell, former well known citizen of St. Johns, but now located at Inglewood, Cal., says: "Oregon is not getting all the rain as we have had more than we need in the last two weeks—something like eight inches, I think. So we are not wishing for rain at present."

"BEAR CAT" Loggers' Shoes \$15.85—Spring Heels, Calked—Guaranteed by ROGERS.

Development of the West Swan Island channel has begun. The project calls first for the dredging of the channel to a width of 300 feet. The residue of dredging will be placed on the site of the proposed new freight yards of the Northern Pacific Terminal Company, on the west side of the Willamette river, which will be used jointly by all the railroads entering Portland. Approximately 1,000,000 cubic yards of fill will be made on this property. The remainder of the residue of dredging for the initial channel improvement will be placed on Swan Island. When this initial improvement is completed, steps then will be taken to widen the channel to 1000 feet and a depth of 35 feet. This improvement will necessitate the dredging out of the west portion of Swan Island and building up of the remainder of the island to a height of 35 feet above low tide. The acreage of the island to be fully reclaimed in this operation will approximate 165 acres.

A free lance journalist found himself on a train without a ticket and decided to play the deadhead game. When the conductor appeared he told him that he had left his pocketbook at home, but that he was on the staff of the Daily News. "All right," said the official, "come forward to the next car. We've the editor of the Daily News aboard and he can identify you." There was no turning back, so the passenger followed the conductor, expecting ignominious exposure, but to his great surprise the editor looking up from his paper said simply: "Yes, conductor, that's all right; the man is on my staff." When the conductor had departed the free lance undertook to express his gratitude to the great man for his magnanimous falsehood. "Oh, don't mention it," said the other. "You see I'm not the editor of the Daily News." —Ex.

Please remember that local advertisements are not acceptable over the phone, unless by parties having an account with us. Either bring or send them to the office with the cash. It is too much bother to book a small adv. and then collect it. People frequently forget somehow about paying up unless a collector or statement appears. Anyway it is too easy to make a mistake in taking ads. over the phone. Young men with new-fashioned ways are wise to remember that most of the jobs are given out by older men with old-fashioned ways. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Conference Report Given

At the Community Church last Sunday morning a report of the Community Church Conference held last week at the Portland Y. M. C. A., was given. While denominationalism as a whole was not assailed it was agreed that sectarianism in its acute form was responsible for much jealousy and unchristian conduct. Reports from the many forms of cooperative efforts in both Washington and Oregon showed that much more was being accomplished than when the different churches were trying to meet the problems alone and in competition with all others. The Christian Endeavor meeting was led by Veda Carley and was well attended. At the business meeting of the officers of the church Monday evening plans were made for the annual meeting of the church which will be held the first Monday in February. At this meeting officers will be elected and plans adopted for the year's work. Plans were also discussed relative to the improvement of the church property. From this on Wednesday evening will be known as Young Peoples' night. They will meet at 7:00 as a Young Peoples' Chorus to practice for the Sunday evening service. After a thirty minute practice an hour or so will be spent in singing some of the more popular songs and in games. Ruth Weiss will sing a solo Sunday morning. The topic will be "The Sincere Christian." Sermon thought for the evening service will be "Putting Off." Beginning next Sunday a new feature will be introduced into the morning service for the little people. Stories will be told from the Bible, and the names of the characters will be left out. Those who can report the correct

Y. W. C. A. Notes

See the basket exhibit at the Peninsula National Bank. These baskets were made by the St. Johns Y. W. C. A. basket class. Mrs. Shepherd is the teacher. For information call Col. 1296.

Join the Spring millinery class and make your Spring hat. Mrs. Clute is the instructor, with 18 years' experience. Tuesdays from 1 to 3 o'clock.

Four more are needed to join the gymnasium class so we can keep the instructor we have.

Sewing class Monday from 7 to 9 p. m.

All the girls' clubs are meeting regularly again since the holidays.

Anyone wanting help or information of any kind is welcome at the building.

names for a certain number of Sundays will receive a reward from the pastor. Sunday school at 10:00; Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Worship services at 11:00 and 7:30. You will find a friendly atmosphere. —Reported.

The name of the Lumber Exchange building on the southeast corner of Second and Stark streets has been changed to Exchange Building, in order to avoid confusion by reason of the similarity of names between the "Lumber Exchange building" and the "Lumbermens Building," both on Stark street.

Some of the economists now worry about the waste of the evergreen trees in using them for hanging presents on. These ir-reconcilables have only to know that these trees have only one chance in a hundred of making a monster growth, and it will be realized that thinning of the growth is beneficial. —Harney County News.

Special Interest Taken

Said a well known business man to us the other day: "It would not hurt you to occasionally mention our business in the paper. It would help to fill up, you know." Yes, we might do it. We haven't the least idea on earth that it would hurt us, and it would, as he suggests help to fill up. We might do all this, but at the same time, thank God, we do not have to do it unless we feel like it. It would not hurt him, neither, to come around and say: "Give me a column or a half column of space for an advertisement and here is the money for it." —Willstop, Florida, Progress.

Counterfeit bills of various denominations have been circulated more freely in Portland the last three weeks than ever before in the history of the city, according to officials of leading banks, and numerous complaints of suspected persons have been filed with the police and secret service departments. The counterfeiters evidently took advantage of the rush of Christmas shopping to pass their spurious paper money in downtown shops and department stores.

An officer on board a warship was drilling his men. "I want every man to be on his back, put his legs in the air and move them as if he were riding a bicycle," he explained. "Now commence." After a short effort one of the men stopped. "Why have you stopped, Murphy?" asked the officer. "If ye please, sir," was the answer, "O'm coastin'."

Vim flour, which is manufactured by the Rose City Flour Mills of St. Johns, is one of the best flours made. Aside from the fact that it is local manufacture, its merits stand out distinctly and assuredly. If you are not a user of Vim flour, now is a good time to try it out. Begin with your next baking.

Special Interest Taken

St. Johns United Evangelical church, J. Holdeman, pastor. Special interest was taken in the Sunday school and church services last Sunday. Brother Ransome Young, newly elected Sunday school superintendent, took charge of the school, assisted by Mrs. Hoskins and Mrs. Prudham as assistant superintendents. Mrs. Hall, who has served as superintendent for 13 years, asked to be released from serving any longer in that capacity on account of health conditions and that a change might be for the best interests of the school. Mrs. Hall has served faithfully and well, and will continue to work, as she loves to work with the children and others in the Sunday school. May her health improve so she may have the privilege to do so. A unanimous vote of appreciation and thanks for her faithful work were extended to her by the school. The Sunday school also pledged itself to stand by and to cooperate with Mr. Young as superintendent of the school. Mr. Monahan's class of young people met at his home on Tuesday evening to plan for more definite work in that class and for a social time. A new feature entered into the church work last Sunday. Some kind friend or friends addressed a letter to Mr. Monahan suggesting that the children take up the work of temporary relief for the needy, giving plans for carrying on the work and giving a sum of money as a starter of such a fund, to which amount others have also given money, still increasing the amount. Carl Juhnke, Mrs. Rose Benjamin and Mrs. Rassi were elected as trustees or custodians of the funds. The last one named is the treasurer. Anyone wishing to contribute to this fund can hand their contribution to either of the above named persons and the money will be used for the purpose given. —Reported.

MULTNOMAH THEATRE

Thursday and Friday, Jan. 12 and 13—
PAULINE STARK in "BALVA-TION NELLE," from the famous play.
Saturday, January 14th—
ALICE BRADY in "LAND OF HOPE"—Rehearsal.
Sunday, January 15th—
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In Probate No. 18097.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Augustus M. Estey, deceased, has filed his final account in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, and that Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1922, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and the Court Room of said Court, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.
Dated and first published Dec. 30, 1921. Date of last publication January 27, 1922.
D. C. LEWIS, Administrator.
With will annexed.

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