

Special Music Also Is Part of Church Programmes.

SERMONS ARE INSPIRING

Yuletide Vesper Services, Followed by Social Hour, at Which Girls and Women Strangers Welcomed Held at Y. W. C. A.

As herald of the approaching Christmas, special music, carols and anthems and timely sermons were heard yesterday in many of the churches of the city.

Services will be held Christmas day in several churches, and in a majority the elaborate Christmas musical programmes will be presented next Sunday.

Y. W. C. A. Welcomes Strangers. In the Young Women's Christian Association Yuletide vesper services were held at 4:30 o'clock and were followed by a social hour, at which girls and women strangers in the city were welcomed.

ABANDONED MINE TO RUN

Low-Grade Ore Left on Deer Trail Dump to Be Milled.

DAVENPORT, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Deer Trail Mining Company, owners of property on Deer trail, has for four years, beginning with 1913, shipped more than \$1,000,000 of ore to the Tacoma smelter, has been reorganized and bonded for \$100,000, from the proceeds of which a mill and flotation process will be installed capable of caring for the low-grade ore, about 150 tons of which are now on the dump.

WOOL GROWERS DISPERSE

Grant County Session at Baker Voices Thanks to O. A. C. Experts.

BAKER, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Voicing their appreciation of the educational work done here in the sheepmen's meetings, Baker and Grant county growers tendered a vote of thanks to the Washington State Wool Growers' Association, the local invitation having been accepted Saturday by the executive committee, meeting at the O. A. C. headquarters at Baker, which institution the meetings have been held.

HOQUIAM ELKS PLANNING

Preparations to Be Made at Once for 1916 State Convention.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Hoquiam Elks will begin preparations at once to entertain the 1916 convention of the Washington State Elks Association, the local invitation having been accepted Saturday by the executive committee, meeting at the O. A. C. headquarters at Baker, which institution the meetings have been held.

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child had placed a gift at the foot of the cross several carols were sung and Dr. O. A. C. gave a short address on the significance of Christmas.

REALTY JINKS IS TONIGHT

Ragtime Playlet Will Be Given in Arcadian Gardens.

High jinks of various kinds will characterize the annual jollification of the Portland Realty Board which will be held tonight at the Arcadian Gardens in the Multnomah Hotel.

PROSEUR FOUNDRY MAN TO BE BURIED TODAY.

Francis P. Leach, who died Saturday from heart disease, will be buried today. The funeral will be held from the residence at 1554 Williams avenue at 2:30 P. M.

MOOSE PLAN GATHERING

Lodgemen to Hold Christmas Entertainment Wednesday Night.

Portland Lodge, No. 291, Loyal Order of Moose, will give a grand annual Christmas gathering and entertainment on Wednesday evening, December 22, at their clubrooms in the Royal Annex building.

Temperature at Wallowa Below Zero

WALLOWA, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Following a warm snow period, the temperature suddenly dropped to zero today. The thermometers registered 2 below last night.

LIFE OF OREGON EDITOR IS MARKED BY ACTIVITY.

W. A. Wash, who died recently at Astoria, was a prominent figure in the early school of newspaper editors in the State of Oregon.

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CAREERS REVIEWED

Rev. Dr. Marcotte Observes 12th Year at Westminster.

ANNIVERSARY IS HONORED

Congregation Sends Floral Remembrance—Growth of Church and Achievements Are Attributed to Following Old Text.

Twelve Years was the subject of the sermon delivered yesterday morning by Rev. Henry Marcotte, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

At the opening Dr. Marcotte reviewed briefly the achievements of his pastorate.

"Memories of the 12 years just closed rush upon the mind at this time," said Dr. Marcotte, "and they are the memories of a life well lived."

"I might tell about the old church, how we came to enlarge it three times, and how the building for the use of the Sunday school, and then came the movement for the present stone church, with its large grounds and ample facilities. The Lord led in the selection of this block of ground. Our plans were simple, but we overcame those difficulties in the past."

Dr. Marcotte then took up his text, "For I am determined not to know anything among you save Jesus Christ and him crucified."

"The Sunday government has sent to England one of its projects for a bridge across the Irish at Baker and a company of men to build it. It would take 16 years and \$25,000,000 to carry out the scheme."

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Portland Business Bulletin

This directory is for the information of the public, to give as far as possible the different lines of business which the average person may find occasion to use.

ACCORDION PLAYING. Emil Thielhorst, violin teacher, pupil Revick, 207 Flanders bldg. A 4192, Marshall 1623.

CUT FREIGHT RATES TO AND FROM ALL PORTS ON HOUSEHOLD GOODS, PIANOS, FURNITURE, ETC.

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WHOLESALE AND MANUFACTURERS

PLAIN AND LUBRICATING OILS. W. P. FULLER & CO., 1213 and 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

FUNERAL NOTICES

SLOUIM—December 20, Alfred K. Slouim, aged 58 years, husband of Mrs. Agnes Slouim and father of Leigh and Horace Slouim, died at his residence at 1014 S. W. 11th St., Portland, Ore., December 19, 1915.

WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 48, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication Monday, December 21, 1915, at 8 P. M., in the hall of the lodge, 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

PORTLAND LODGE NO. 55, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication Monday, December 21, 1915, at 8 P. M., in the hall of the lodge, 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

HELLWOOD LODGE NO. 121, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication Monday, December 21, 1915, at 8 P. M., in the hall of the lodge, 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

CAMELIA CHAPTER NO. 27, O. E. S.—Stated communications Monday, December 21, 1915, at 8 P. M., in the hall of the chapter, 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

HARMONY LODGE NO. 12, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication Monday, December 21, 1915, at 8 P. M., in the hall of the lodge, 1215 W. Main St., Astoria, Ore.

EMBLEM jewelry, buttons, charms, pens, new designs. Jaeger Bros., 121 1/2 11th St.

DIED

KING—Dec. 18, at his home near Helena, Samuel Ralph King, aged 43 years, formerly of Portland, Ore., died at his home at Helena, Montana.

OKEANE—At residence, 123 North Sixth Street, Mrs. Hannah O'Keane, aged 76 years, beloved mother of Riant, Agnes and Elizabeth O'Keane, died at her home at Helena, Montana.

COON—December 19, Samuel H. Coon, aged 75 years, died at his home at Helena, Montana.

KELLEY—In this city, Dec. 19, Patrick Kelley, aged 78 years, died at his home at Helena, Montana.

FLORISTS

MARTIN & FORBES CO., Florists, 217 Washington St., Astoria, Ore.

MONUMENTS

PORTLAND MARBLE WORKS, 264-266 4th St., Astoria, Ore.

OREGON HUMANE SOCIETY

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DESIGNER, builders and installers of homes of all styles.

ACREAGE in famous Tualatin Valley, best of soil, good location, easy access, water, etc.

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