

# UNIQUE CLUB AT MONMOUTH

### Junior Concert Group Gives Varied Program Is Report

MONMOUTH, Jan. 12—The training school department of the Oregon Normal school sponsored its first Junior concert club program Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the auditorium to a well filled house. This club has just been organized under the leadership of Mrs. Cora Olday of Portland, dramatic interpreter, and its purpose is to provide an opportunity for young people who are doing special work in music, vocal or instrumental, in dancing, in dramatics, readings, or in any other field, for stage experience.

Each succeeding Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, a group of numbers chosen from the talent of Monmouth, Independence, and surrounding territory will be presented. Outstanding performers will have a chance to appear over the radio from Portland.

The program Saturday presented these numbers:

Piano solos by John Murdock, Velma Voss and Robert Price; a vocal solo by Betty Lou Elliott with piano accompaniment by Imogene De Armond; vocal solos by Harold Willett of Dallas, guest artist, with piano accompaniment by Rachel Uglow; vocal solos by Irene Athey of the Oregon Normal school, accompanied by Florence Ritter; tap dance by Jane Parrish, with Norma Parrish at the piano; Dutch dance by four normal school girls; Margaret Hodges, Winifred McDowell, Crystal Pounder and Marjorie Montgomery, with Judith Severson at the piano; violin solo by Barbara Powers, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Roy Miller; a xylophone-marimba solo by Kristine Kallendar, a normal student; and a humorous interpretation by Katherine Olday.

Mrs. Olday plans to diversify the programs with talent both from the training schools and the normal school.

# SUITOR SHOOT



Charles Christopher, who was arrested by Detroit police after he confessed that he shot Mrs. Fanny Brown, school teacher, because she spurned his love. Christopher called on Mrs. Brown in her classroom at the Hutchins Intermediate School, and, it is said, then shot her after she had scoffed at him for sending her roses. Mrs. Brown is now in a serious condition.

# TURNER REBEKAHS INSTALL OFFICERS

### Social Events of Future Are Outlined at Meet

TURNER, Jan. 12—Ideal Rebekah lodge No. 223 met in regular session in the I.O.O.F. hall Wednesday evening. Following the regular lodge session the officers elected were installed. Miss Muriel Salisbury and her staff conducted the initiation of the following officers: Noble grand, Mrs. Mabel Martin; vice-grand, Mrs. Susan Girardin; recording secretary, Mrs. Lucile McKinney; treasurer, Mrs. Gayette Kallendar; financial secretary, Miss Muriel Salisbury; chaplain, Mrs. Loretta Rowley; R.S.N.G., Miss Hazel McKay; L.S.N.G., Miss Mildred Mar-

tin; L.S.V.G., Mrs. Thelma Husley; Miss Mabel Walker is past noble grand; warder, Mrs. Hester Crume; conductress, Mrs. Martha Barnett; outside guard, W. A. Martin.

There was some discussion regarding the raising of dues as required by the state assembly. A program will be given at the next regular meeting, which will be Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, at which time refreshments will be served and a birthday honored.

Ladies of the lodge met Friday in an all-day sewing circle at the home of Mrs. Hester Crume. A bounteous luncheon was served at noon. The hostess was assisted in serving by Miss Stella Miller. Members present were: Mrs. Gayette Barnett, Mrs. Stella Miller, Mrs. Loretta Rowley, Mrs. Mabel Martin, Mrs. Susan Girardin, Miss Muriel Salisbury, Mrs. Hazel McKay, Mrs. Lucile McKinney, Miss Mabel Walker and Mrs. Martha Barnett; visitors were Mrs. W. J. Harris, Mrs. W. Harris, Mrs. Elizabeth McKay, Miss Mabel Tucker, Mrs. China Bones and G. A. McKay.

# S. L. PARTLOW DIES AT MONMOUTH

MONMOUTH, Jan. 12—Sidney L. Partlow, aged 88, died here early this morning following an illness of nearly two years.

Mr. Partlow was born near Montreal, Canada, December 29, 1842, and spent his boyhood there. In 1878 he married Elizabeth Jane Hoyt.

He was a carpenter and his work took him to many states of the union. Mr. and Mrs. Partlow came to Oregon from Brookhill, South Dakota, 41 years ago, going first to Grants Pass. They moved to Monmouth two years ago from Battle Ground, Wash.

He is survived by his widow and four children, Earl J. Partlow of Monmouth, Mrs. R. D. Lawson of Portland, Mrs. C. T. Gibson of Seattle and Fred Partlow of Battle Ground, Wash.

# UNION HIGH IS STILL QUESTIONED

GRAND ISLAND, Jan. 12—Wednesday, Jan. 7, was the date set by the Yamhill county district boundary board for the Amity hearing concerning the question of the proposed union high school in which the island is much interested.

The question was raised as to whether the proceedings of the publication of the Amity school meeting were entirely legal since this notice was only published twice. Attorneys apparently have conflicting opinions on the interpretation of the school law concerning the matter. The law states that such notices shall be published for two successive weeks. Some attorneys interpret this to mean that two weeks shall elapse between the first and last publication, thus making three publications of the notice necessary.

The boundary board has postponed the next hearing indefinitely in order to give ample time for securing a decision on the matter from the attorney-general.

Those attending the meeting from this community were J. H. Tompkins, Clarence Badger, Roy E. Will and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawrence.

# CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

SHAW, Jan. 12—The Waldo Hills 20 Century club met at the home of Mrs. Chas. McAllister. Those present were: Mrs. Ivan Putman, Mrs. John Amort, Mrs. Ed Goffin, Mrs. John Bottiner, Mrs. W. Howd, Mrs. Byron Wells, Mrs. Vera McAllister, Mrs. E. Brownell, Mrs. Alvina Gooding, and the hostess, Mrs. Chas. McAllister. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Vera McAllister.

# HOG RAISERS TO STUDY METHODS

GRAND ISLAND, Jan. 12—Professor Burr L. Young, Smith-Hughes instructor at the Dayton high school, conducted a meeting Friday evening in the school building for all men interested in hog raising. These meetings are somewhat in the order of a short course and hereafter will be held every Thursday evening for six weeks or more. Various phases of hog raising, such as selecting, breeding, feeding, buildings and sanitary conditions will be discussed in the different meetings and free bulletins and other literature concerning the subject will be given out.

Speakers such as prominent hog growers, a representative of the Swift Packing Co., and perhaps one from the Oregon State college, will be obtained for the different meetings.

At this first meeting Prof. Young discussed the various items as points to be taken in consideration in selecting a brood sow, the question of farrowing, as to the best time of the year for the same in order to have the pigs in readiness for the market when prices are most likely to be the highest, and the number of litters a year for the best results in consideration of the sow.

These lectures are open to all interested in hog raising, and promise to be very profitable for all concerned.

# JOINT W. C. T. U. MEET PLANNED

TURNER, Jan. 13—The ladies of the Turner W.C.T.U. will be joined by the Pleasant View organization on Wednesday, January 14, in holding an all-day institute meeting at the Christian church, with a basket lunch at noon.

Mrs. Helen Prescott, who is county president and others from Salem will be present. Mrs. Nicola Buck, a national lecturer, will speak at the evening meeting. Friends are invited to all the sessions. The evening meeting will be especially interesting to the public.

# SHED COLLAPSES

WACONDA, Jan. 12—Henry Stafford is building a machine shed on his farm near Wacanda. The frame work was up and the sheeting on when the high wind caused the structure to collapse Monday morning. Mr. Stafford, with the help of Charles Hall, is at work rebuilding it.

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## The Portland Rose

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In the dining car, too, is carried that delightful impression that here is an entire train "built-to-order" ... harmony, good taste, luxury everywhere. Silver, china, glassware, cutlery, furniture, decorations... all distinctive. Northwest products featured on the menus.

Barber, valet, maid, bath, radio and fountain service.

ONLY THRU TRAIN PORTLAND-CHICAGO

Lv. Portland . . . 9:30 p.m.  
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Ar. St. Louis . . . 8:25 a.m.  
Ar. Chicago . . . 9:00 a.m.

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# These prominent men will make the awards

**HERMAN NATER**  
Vice-Pres., Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, Los Angeles  
Pres., Pacific Advertising Clubs Association.

**DON FRANCISCO**  
Vice-President Lord & Thomas and Logan, international advertising agency.

**VERNON MCKINZIE**  
Dean of School of Journalism, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.

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# \$5,000 in cash prizes

for the best letters on

## "How advertising has increased my happiness"

HERE IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY to turn a personal experience into money, simply by writing a letter. This prize contest is sponsored by Foster and Kleiser Company, outdoor advertising, and a group of the leading newspapers of the Pacific Coast.

The purpose of the contest is to secure first-hand information, written out of personal experience, as to the contribution which advertising is making to our everyday lives.

Nearly everyone is influenced, consciously or otherwise, by advertising. The sponsors of this contest believe that your letter on how advertising has increased happiness will be a valuable contribution to advertisers and business men.

To win one of these generous prizes . . .

You have only to describe a way in which advertising has come into your life and changed it.

Perhaps you have learned through advertising to abandon a tiresome and difficult method in your housework, and so have increased your leisure, and your freedom to follow your own pursuits and pleasures.

Perhaps you have substituted the vacuum cleaner for the broom, and made yourself happy with long hours of open air and sunshine which had formerly been spent in monotonous, wearisome work.

Or you may have become acquainted, through advertising, with ranges, refrigerators and other appliances which lighten labor and safeguard the health of your family.

It is possible that through advertising you have learned of a book or a play or a bit of music that has opened to you new avenues of enjoyment and improvement.

Or a travel advertisement may have set your wandering foot on paths of delight that lead nowhere—everywhere.

Or you may have learned of a new food, or soap, or tooth paste which has given you pleasure and satisfaction.

Or advertising may have helped you in the skillful management of your household budget.

Write about your experience . . .

These are but a few of the many kinds of experiences which you may have had with advertising. There is no limitation upon the experience of which you may write—we are interested in any kind of an experience providing that it was brought to you by advertising of some form.

Although the sponsors of this contest are engaged in outdoor advertising and newspaper advertising, a most important rule of the contest is that you must not mention the name of the publication or the advertising medium where you saw the advertisement which influenced your life. The judges are not interested in knowing whether the advertisement appeared outdoors or in a newspaper or a magazine or if you received it through the mail, or over the air.

Their only interest is: A clear description of an experience you have had through advertising of any kind without any mention of what kind of advertising it was. They are interested in the experience and not in the advertisement.

It is only necessary . . .

To relate the effect that the advertisement had upon you—how it sent you off to buy the article or service that you saw advertised, and the effect of that purchase upon the comfort and pleasure of your everyday life.

To do this it is not necessary to be a trained writer. A simple story of an event, filled with deep, personal, human interest is of greater value than a more pretentious literary effort with less meaning.

How to enter the contest . . .

To enter the prize letter contest is a simple matter. The contest is open to everyone except—

An employee of Foster and Kleiser Company.  
An employee of this newspaper.  
Or any persons professionally engaged in advertising.

All other persons are eligible.  
The rules are simplicity itself.  
Letters must not exceed 500 words.

They must be written on one side of the paper only—preferably typewritten—otherwise in clear, legible handwriting and signed with your full name and address.

They must be addressed to Department of Education, Foster and Kleiser Company, Eddy and Pierce Streets, San Francisco.

They must be mailed before midnight of February 28, 1931.

One person may not claim two prizes, but may enter as many letters as he pleases.

Foster and Kleiser Company reserves the right to reprint any or all letters received in the contest. No letters will be returned.

As soon as the judges have made their decisions, announcement will be made in this newspaper and by personal letters to the fortunate prize winners.

Begin now to win your prize . . .

Remember—you do not have to be a professional writer in order to send in a prize winning letter.

You must not mention where you saw the advertisement or whether it was in a magazine, a newspaper, or an outdoor poster or in a letter or folder.

It is the personal experience that counts. Advertising—at one time or another—has opened the way to a fuller life and greater happiness for every one of us. Tell us in your own words—not more than 500 of them—how advertising has increased your happiness.

FIRST PRIZE	\$1000.00
SECOND PRIZE	\$700.00
THIRD PRIZE	\$500.00
FOURTH PRIZE	\$200.00
FIFTH PRIZE	\$100.00

10 prizes of \$50.00 each  
50 prizes of \$20.00 each  
100 prizes of \$10.00 each

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