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BOY VANDALS FACE ARREST

A few weeks ago, the P. R. L. & P. Co. sent its detective P. J. Maher here to investigate the depredations done to the park and other property of the company. He found that a gang of young boys was responsible. Having ascertained the names of its members, he called the boys together and gave them a fatherly heart to heart talk, and at the same time definitely warned them that any recurrence of such doings would meet with drastic action. Mr. Maher was here again yesterday and found that the pavilion had been broken into, a good deal of damage done and some cigars, cigarettes and cookies which had been stored there after a recent dance, had been stolen. He ascertained the culprits, one boy owning up, and found that they were the same whom he had warned on the previous occasion. He informed the writer that the company had decided that such things must stop, so he was going to Oregon City and lay the matter before the authorities. He could not say what action would be taken but the boys face arrest.

It is not surprising that the company has concluded that patience has ceased to be a virtue, and will now take severe measures. It is entitled to some protection to its property. The boys for their own good should be given a lasting lesson. At the same time, vandalism is not confined to this city but is general. It is we fear symptomatic of the effect of the lack of discipline universally prevalent. In Omaha and Denver the recent riots were largely the work of young men who had grown up under lax discipline. Speaking for an older generation, while naturally not better than the boys of today, yet we did not dare take the license the present generation does. For we knew full well the impressive and smarting consequences which inevitably would ensue. We

were made to respect law and authority, those of our parents, our teachers and the magistrates coupled with which was inculcated a wholesome fear of God.

Birth Day Party

Last Friday, August 27, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hauser gave a birthday party in honor of their small son Gorden, it being the third anniversary of his birth. The decorations were pink and white, and in the center of the table was a large birthday cake with pink and white frosting, and little Gorden's name surrounded by three pink and white candles. A three-course luncheon was served which was very much enjoyed by the little ones. Gorden was well remembered by his little friends, who all joined in wishing him many happy returns of the day.

Those present were: Jean, Allan, Lenore Inglis, Alice Melton, Phyllis and Ellen Lemon, and Gorden's two little cousins Donald and G. Fay Dunseath, all of whom were accompanied by their mothers.

County W. C. T. U.

Elect Officers

County officers elected were: President, Mrs. E. B. Andrews of Oregon City; vice-president, Mrs. Mary Hannah, Estacada; corresponding and recording secretary, Mrs. G. J. Eberly of Oregon City; treasurer, Mrs. W. T. Full of Evergreen, Milwaukie.

Mrs. Sam Lane, of Evergreen, was appointed superintendent of Anti-Narcotics.

Supt. for Y. P. B., Gladys Bass, of Estacada.

Superintendent of Temperance and Sunday School Work, Mrs. G. J. Eberly.

Superintendent of Scientific Temperance work, Mrs. Mary Hannah.

Superintendent of Institutet Work, Mrs. W. T. Full.

Superintendent of Mothers' Meetings, Mrs. J. W. Reed, Estacada.

Press, Mrs. Theo. M. Stroh-meyer, Evergreen, Milwaukie.

Glasses fitted,—Dr. Inglis.

Community Services

On Sunday September 12th, community services will be held morning and afternoon in the George Social and Commercial Club grounds. Addresses will be made by the Reys, Seely of Portland, Stratemeier of Hillsboro and J. D. McLennan of Springfield. A basket lunch will be served and everybody will be welcome who wishes to attend.

Benefit Dance

A benefit dance for Grover Krigbaum will be given in the park pavilion, on Saturday, September 11th. This should meet with a general response as he has had a long spell of misfortune. After being honorably discharged from the navy, he worked for the Eagle Logging Co. at Timber, Or. where he was seriously hurt by a tree falling on him and crushing his leg. He has been laid up for months and only recently been able to get around on crutches.

Change of Firm

As will be seen by his advertisement M. J. Kerkes has purchased the Palace Meat Market from J. C. Hillman, and will conduct the same under the name of the "Estacada Meat Company." Mr. Hillman has not yet decided what he will do, but at present his newly acquired farm engages his time and attention.

Tuesday evening we were taken through the grammar school building by Supt. F. E. Burns. The rooms have all been done up the woodwork painted, the walls tinted and the desks varnished. Its whole interior is spick-and-span for the opening day of the school year. George Pointer had the contract which is sufficient guarantee for the excellence of the work. In the High School everything is likewise in order, our citizens should appreciate that we have a very complete school plant and equipment, an able superintendent and a fine corps of teachers. Let us show this by interesting ourselves in them and their work.

ATTENTION

Having sold out my meat market to M. J. Kerkes, I wish to thank the people of Estacada and vicinity for their past patronage. I respectfully request those indebted to me to call and settle their accounts at once, as I wish to close up my books and pay my bills. I bespeak for the new firm the continued patronage and goodwill of the public.

J. C. Hillman.

LIBRARY BOARD BUYS BUILDING

The building which has been rented for library purposes has been purchased by the association. This move is a wise one, as the location is one of the best in town and will increase in value. It is generally recognized that a library is a big asset to a city and merits the support of its people. The Estacada library is maintained by the sale of membership tickets which cost only a dollar a year. The sale of such tickets needs to be doubled in order to provide sufficient funds for the upkeep of the building and the purchase of new books. The members of the board devote a good deal of time and effort to its management, being actuated by a spirit of civic pride, appreciation of which should be shown by the community. After being closed through August the library is now again open to its patrons.

American Legion

Monday, Sept. 6th, being a legal holiday, the regular meeting of the Carl Douglas Post will be held Sept. 13.

Ted Howe joined his father at Wilhoit's springs, last Tuesday, for a brief vacation.

Attention Farmers!

I have the agency for the Farmers' Mutual Fire Relief Association. Call in at my office and I will explain it to you. It is one of the best and cheapest mutuals in Oregon.

S. E. WOOSTER,

Agent.

Drinking Water

Should Be Boiled

Notice is hereby given to the citizens of Estacada, that all water must be boiled before being used for drinking purposes. This is imperative.

By order,

19tf WATER COMMITTEE.