

FINE PROGRAM GIVEN AT GRANGE MEETING

A fine program was given at the grange meeting last Saturday afternoon. Miss Vivian Hevel, accompanied by Miss Mabel Brown, sang very sweetly "Danny Boy" to which she also sang a very pretty encore. The speaker of the afternoon was Judge Jacob Kanzler of Portland, judge of Domestic Relations, a department set in operation only a few weeks ago.

Two months in this new work, said Judge Kanzler, has convinced him that nothing is more worthy of endeavor. It is not a court of contention, but one of friendly assistance. Its main work is with children. In its broad jurisdiction, the court handles cases of minors, adult cases of non-support and cases of adults contributing to child delinquency.

The boy or girl under consideration is never subjected to a trial, for as a rule a child readily admits his remissness. In a room entirely devoid of the austere or stately, with only one or two interested persons present, the child is engaged in conversation for the purpose of finding the cause of his erroneous conduct.

The majority of children in trouble are those of parents who have separated. To get the co-operation of both parents in handling the child, is part of the big business of this court, and whenever possible a family reconciliation is brought about.

In judging the child, not only are the home conditions taken into account, but what is perhaps of much greater importance, the child's mental state receives consideration. A mental test will often show that mentally the child is sub-normal or deficient in greater or less degree. After every possible factor that may have caused the minor to err has been thoroughly weighed, then comes the equally difficult problem of deciding just how to overcome these factors and what to do with the child. To arbitrarily order a young offender to the reform school is not the scientific way of helping boys and girls. This court, too, has found that much sympathy is due some parents.

Glenn Rusher, with Miss Gladys Neal as accompanist, played two beautiful selections on the cello, the first one "Romance" by Troberg and as encore, "Bonnie Sweet Bessie."

As an impersonator, Mrs. Ralph Miller takes the cake. First she posed as a Yennie Johnson answering the telephone, bringing into play the characteristics and expressions of a Swedish servant girl. Before the encore ceased, she had assumed the role of a religious darkey who is made to backslide when he hears "that rag time tune" (played by Miss Neal). His "itching heels" would make his feet go in a most "sinful" way. Of course, Mrs. Miller was asked to give at least one more reading, which she did in her inimitable fashion.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY MR. AND MRS. ST. CLAIR

Last Thursday was the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. St. Clair. In the evening a big wedding supper was served at their residence at which time the children presented their father and mother with a silver bread tray. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie St. Clair of Portland were present at the celebration.

Although the day was one of the busiest at the Outlook office, the "force" prepared a little surprise in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair were invited to the press room where a table was set with glasses, cakes and ice cream. Dishes of "Lover's Delight" were served to the "bride and groom," and so agreeable were they after 25 years of wedded life that they managed with only one napkin between them.

Mark Aver of Tigard was in Gresham on Monday. He is greatly taken with the farming prospects of this locality.

MEN OF NATIONAL PROMINENCE WHO ARE CENTERS OF INTEREST



PRESIDENT WILSON



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GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING

President Wilson will be the guest of the city of Portland on Monday, September 15, on his tour of the country stumping for the League of Nations covenant. President Wilson and party, including Mrs. Wilson, will be taken over the Columbia River Highway as far as Crown Point Monday forenoon and is expected to pass through Gresham on the return trip about noon. Unofficial assurance has been given that the presidential party will visit the fair grounds on the opening day and if so and the gathering is large enough, as it undoubtedly will be, it may be expected the President will make an informal speech.

Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, is the guest of the city of Portland today. A portion of the Pacific fleet is anchored in the Portland harbor. The secretary is visiting ports on the Pacific coast and helping introduce the new fleet.

Secretary William C. Redfield, of the Department of Commerce, has given notice to the President that he will resign his portfolio in the near future. He was led to take this step, it is said, on account of disagreement in his department.

General John J. Pershing has arrived in New York from France, after 27 months abroad directing the fighting forces of this country in the great world war. General "Black Jack" has been given a rousing welcome in New York. He pays high tribute to the American "doughboy."

INDUSTRIAL FAIR PLANS UNDER WAY

Plans are rapidly maturing for the Industrial Club fair at Powell Valley on Saturday, which will be participated in by the Powell Valley, Melrose and Victory schools. Exhibitors are asked to make arrangements for their exhibits with Mrs. Alta Gentry and to have them at the schoolhouse Friday evening if possible. No exhibits will be taken later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning. All club children are urged to get their exhibits in.

The decorating committee will get busy on Friday as soon as school is dismissed for the day. They will choose as many helpers as they can use from among the school children. The boys of the committee are expected to bring to the schoolhouse when they come, flowers, cedar, maple and ferns. Exhibits of corn on the stock and sunflowers will be welcomed by the committee.

Mrs. George Hayden and Rev. Earl B. Cotton are planning a full program of games, sports and contests which will be given at different times during the day. Miss Montague, the librarian, of the Gresham library, is assisting in the plans.

What will probably be one of the most enjoyable features of the day will be the basket dinner at noon. Each family will bring their own food and coffee will be served by a committee consisting of the Mesdames Wm. Peterson, Karl Hagberg, C. R. Keller, Frank Gustafson and P. M. Magnuson.

The Powell Valley canning team will give a demonstration in the afternoon, after which the following program will be rendered:

America sung by the school.
Recitation, Harry Moffit.
Dialogue, four Victory girls.
Violin solo, Hokan Truedson.
Playlet, "Helping Uncle Sam," Victory and Cedar pupils.
Recitation, Reginald Fulton.
Recitation, Percy Carlson.
Solo, Miss Louise Fritz.
Recitation, Albert Carlson.
Recitation, Miss Myrtle Anderson.
Song, Luther League quartet.
Solo, Rev. Earl B. Cotton.
Recitation, Miss Melvina Anderson.
Solo, Miss Marion Robertson.
Violin solo, Hokan Truedson.
Solo, Mrs. Axel Johnson.

Notice of Removal.
Attorneys McGuirk & Schneider announces the removal of their Portland office to 609-15 Fenton Building, where they will be associated with Judge W. D. Fenton and will have the use of one of the finest libraries in the state. The Gresham office will be continued as usual.

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A. L. SMOKER CHANGED TO METZGER'S HALL

Judging from preparations the committee is making the American Legion smoker and social meeting Wednesday night will rank well with similar "stunts and jinx" that have been given here. There will be two overseas soldier entertainers at the meeting, and the boys who failed to fight in France will have the opportunity to enjoy an entertainment such as their overseas "buddies" went wild over. Frank Correl will be one of the speakers present. There will be some musical numbers by members of Gresham Post, and a good time is assured.

On account of the absence of a piano in Carlson's hall, the use of Metzger's hall was secured for the evening.

All men who saw service here or abroad, or men who enlisted during the war period are eligible to the American Legion, and are cordially invited to attend the meeting. If not already a member, a chance will be given to all to join.

DENATURED ALCOHOL IS A VIOLENT POISON

The following instructions to wholesale and retail dealers in denatured alcohol have been issued by Milton A. Miller, collector of internal revenue at Portland:

In addition to the present matter on the labels there will be required on all new labels hereafter, the printing in large letters in red ink under the skull and bones symbol, the word POISON, and at the bottom of the label there will be printed the following statement:

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Until the present stocks of labels are exhausted this additional matter may be affixed to the containers on a separate label placed above the present required label.

Wants, wants, wants. See the column.

FAIR OPENS MONDAY CHILDREN WILL PARADE

Next Monday, the opening day of the Multnomah county fair and Manufacturers' and Land Products show, is children's day. The entertainment feature of that day is the big industrial pageant-parade, a symbolic representation of industry, peace and good will. Numberless children will take part in this pageant, assisted by the leaders of the various club projects and the teachers of county.

The Army of Achievement, as the pageant has been styled, consists of farm scouts, trail blazers, achievement troops, standard and color bearers, patriotic floats depicting peace, liberty and business, and some "funnies" for good cheer.

This whole army is backed by the club leaders and teachers. Parents and all those interested in the big work the industrial clubs are doing, are asked to swell the ranks by falling in line with the rear guard.

Monday must be a success in every way, because the President of the United States will be here—may be.

COLUMBIA HIGHWAY FILMED BY ARTISTS

Representatives of the Mt. Hood Feature Film company of Portland passed through Gresham the first part of the week, enroute to the Columbia Highway, where they are featuring a scenario laid among the chosen spots of the highway.

The camera man, who has had broad experience in the motion picture world, has just returned from overseas, where he acted in the same capacity for the government. He believes that, with the aid of such wonderful scenery, the picture is bound to be a success, with far-reaching fame. More than 600 feet of film were taken and more will follow.

One automobile load of men was taken on the trip by R. H. Confrey.

Zion Church Notice.
There will be no services at the Zion Evangelical church next Sunday, September 14. The pastor and the congregation are invited to attend the missionary services to be held at the St. Paul's church, 8th and Failing streets, Portland.

To Smash High Cost of Living



By enlisting 22,000,000 American women in a concerted movement to investigate the high cost of living, independently of congress and other special probers, Miss Helen Varick Boswell, well known New York woman lawyer and economist, is expecting some definite results. Women housekeepers throughout the country are to ask their grocers and provision dealers to answer a series of questions in a questionnaire now being prepared. The answers are to be compiled and a scientific analysis made.

SCHOOL DAYS BEGIN, PRIMARY ROOM CROWDED

The Gresham grade school opened yesterday with an enrollment of 180 pupils.

The banner enrollment, as usual, is in the first primary grade—36 little wigglers. The second grade began with 23 pupils; the third, 21 pupils; the fourth, 20; fifth grade, 21; sixth, 21 pupils; seventh, 21; and eighth grade, 17.

After the children had been registered, principal Skirvin drilled them in marching, upstairs and down, outside and in again—not as simple as it sounds, as any one will confess who has tried to overcome the obstinate tendency of the left foot to come down on the "right" count.

Mrs. Otto and her 21 seventh graders are occupying the room used for sewing last year. As yet it has not been definitely decided whether or not sewing will be carried on this year, the decision depending somewhat on the interest of the patrons.

Miss Arthur has charge of the sixth grade and Miss Mary Hansen the fifth. Incidentally, Miss Hansen is teaching in the very room where she first attended school in Gresham.

Miss Ogilbee, fourth grade teacher, spent the summer picking berries near Woodburn, and has returned to Gresham ready for a big year's work.

The third graders will hardly notice that there is a change of teachers in their room, Miss Gladys Michel is so much like her sister who taught that room last year.

Miss Hughes, second grade, is back radiating lots of happiness, a quality teachers certainly need.

Miss Ethel Condon is one of the new teachers. Her room reminds one of the woman who lived in a shoe, who had so many children—Miss Condon no doubt, knows what to do with 36 primary pupils, but in justice to both teacher and pupils some adjustment needs to be made to make the class a reasonable size. Among the many mothers who came with the children yesterday morning, there was an informal discussion of the much talked-of Parent-Teachers' association. It is possible that a definite organization will be effected. Hot lunches for the "kiddies" may be arranged for by the time cold weather sets in.

Brand new books in all the grades! The change is decidedly popular with the children. The two drug-stores were kept busy all day rigging up the outfits needed with the new course of study.

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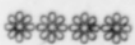
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