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TUESDAYS
AND
FRIDAYS

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Senior Class Play Wins Much Praise

A fine attendance each evening marked the production of "The Goose Hangs High", the annual play given by the senior high school on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in the high school gymnasium.

Much pleased comment was heard on the high ranking of the play as to its character. Nor was it lacking in comedy and clean wholesome romance. The parts taken by Earl Weiss and Edna Burlingame, who as Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ingals with their three children, Hugh and the irrepressible twins fresh from college, kept the audience in expectancy. Mary Jané Peterson and Fred Bechill played the part of the twins to perfection. Miss Peterson made many friends with her pranks which always revealed a loving heart.

It was apparent to all that Hugh Ingals (James Bushong) and Dagmar Carroll, otherwise Miss Mabel Smith, were madly in love. Doris Brown was the typical grandmother, not at all as stern as her words might indicate. Miss Margaret St. Clair as Mrs. Julia Murdock looked the part of the sophisticated society lady of affairs who was more interested in maintaining her position in the social world than giving her son Ronald a college education. Leland Cochran as Ronald depicted the unhappy son of Mrs. Murdock. Evidently his unhappiness was greater as he contrasted the carefree existence of his cousins, the Ingals children.

One would like to have seen more of the charming Rhoda, Miss Elsie Mattson, who served as waiting maid in the Ingals family.

Linden Lunday as Noel Derby proved himself a friend in need when he insisted on a partnership with his friend Bernard in the horticultural business.

Leo Day, in real life known as Eugene Davis, played his part well of the councilman who is aspiring to climb the social ladder and win a wife who would further his interests socially as well as politically.

Everyone seemed relieved to have Elliot Kimberly (Delmar Baker) get what was coming to him. His part was that of the coarse politician who would stop at nothing to further his ends. He played the part of the villain well.

The class is to be congratulated on its selection of a play for this year, and the creditable manner in which it was given. Miss Marjorie Machen coached the production in her usual efficient manner. Several fine numbers were rendered by the high school orchestra under the direction of Miss Alice Prindle.

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POPULAR EVANGELIST



Chas. R. Dillon
Evangelists Chas. R. and Helen I. Dillon have just returned from Los Angeles and are now engaged in evangelistic services in Portland, in the Alisky building, Third and Morrison, where they hold meetings every evening. They are well known in Gresham where they have held revival campaigns.

REVIVAL CAMPAIGN TO BEGIN TUESDAY

An intensive revival campaign and Bible conference will begin Tuesday, November 29, at the Powell Valley Mission church three miles east of Gresham. The Rev. Gust E. Johnson of Seattle has been secured as the evangelist for the occasion, and will have charge of the services which will be held every afternoon and evening with the exception of Saturday. The afternoon services will be conducted in the Swedish language with the exception of those on Sunday. The evening services will all be in English. The Rev. Jonas Johnson, the Rev. O. F. Larson and the Rev. L. G. Lance will assist in the afternoon services each day. The entire campaign will be under the direction of the pastor of the Mission church, the Rev. Don Shogren. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT OBSERVED

Preaching services will be held at the Evangelical church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The sermon topic will be, "The Way That Is Christ." Sunday is the first Sunday in the new church year and is called "The First Sunday in Advent." All friends of the church are invited to the services which will assist them to prepare for the coming of the Lord.

The Bible school will meet at 10 a. m. A new interclass Bible school contest will be announced Sunday morning.

FATHER AND SON NIGHT

Masonic Hall, Nov. 25, 1927

PROGRAM

Music by Union High School Band.
Community Singing, led by H. W. Strong.
Trombone solo by Prof. Freddie Jennings.
Portland Police Quartet.
Address by Chief of Police L. V. Jenkins.
Stunts by High school students.
Address by Rev. David James Ferguson of Astoria.
Stunts by the Grade school pupils.
Tooth Pulling Up to Date
Charleston Contest.
Singing Contest.
Juggling by H. W. Adrian.
Dime Novelty Act.
Boxing Match for Boys.
Sack Race for Boys.
Centipede Race for Boys.
High Jumping Contest for Men.

Donuts and Coffee.

Additional Locals

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Palmquist and children enjoyed a sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Palmquist's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Magnuson in the Hillside district.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Emery had guests Thursday their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Buckle of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Yager's guests at dinner on Thanksgiving Day were the parents of each, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yager and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cogswell, also Mrs. Helen Morse of Portland. Mrs. Elsie Cogswell was a guest at the Yager home during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shipley went to Bull Run on Thanksgiving, where they spent the day with the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shipley. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shipley at the senior play on Wednesday evening were the Misses Frances, Anna and Stella Stout and Miss Margaret Wyant of the Sandy Lumber company's camp near Cherryville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Everett and son Billy spent the day yesterday at Powell Valley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christensen, where Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Christensen were joint hostesses to a party consisting of their aunt, Mrs. Clara Andersen, her daughter, Miss Clara Andersen, Archie and Roy Andersen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hawthorth, all of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mercer and daughter Shirley are leaving this week for their future home at Camas, Washington, where Mr. Mercer will be associated with his father in carpenter work. Their house on Division street has been rented by Jack Shearer of the Shearer-Bacon Chevrolet company. The Shearer family will move to Gresham about the first of December.

Johnson creek, one of the most insignificant bodies of water imaginable most of the time, during the past 24 hours has assumed the proportions of a good sized river, due to the heavy rains swelling its numerous small tributaries. The flat, which on Wednesday was traversed during the day by automobiles, now is covered with six or seven feet of water. The high water will probably continue as long as the present rains. Two Japanese families living on the flats are completely marooned.

POWELL VALLEY

Services will be held as usual in the Mission church Sunday, Sunday school at 9:50, and preaching in Swedish at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30, both sermons to be by the regular pastor, the Rev. Don Shogren. The evangelistic campaign will open on Tuesday evening, November 29.

CEDARVILLE

Mrs. Clara Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fieldhouse and daughter Jane, all of St. Helens, A. W. Giese of Portland, Miss Cora Giese and Mrs. Martha Fieldhouse were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Giese.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ruegg and two children of Caldwell, Idaho, have been visiting at the home of Mr. Ruegg's parents and with other relatives and friends.

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FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. FRED FISHER

The funeral of Mrs. Endora M. Fisher, wife of Fred Fisher, mother of Mrs. Grace E. Kitchen of Portland, Mrs. Hattie A. Vorpahl of Oregon City, and Boyd F. Fisher of Gresham, was held at the Pleasant Home Methodist Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon.

There were many friends and relatives from Portland and Pleasant Home present. A large display of floral tributes was banked about the casket at the altar, giving evidence of the love and esteem with which Mrs. Fisher was regarded by those who knew her. The pallbearers were Fred Marshall, Boyd Fisher, Harry Morgan, M. Morgan, Robert Vorpahl and M. J. Melton.

The music for the service was furnished by W. B. Cory, H. Lee Ball, Arthur Sloop and the Rev. Oliver Gill and Mrs. Oliver Gill at the organ. The musical numbers given by the quartet were: "Asleep in Jesus", "No Night There", and "Abide With Me". The service was conducted by the Rev. Oliver Gill, the pastor of the church, who based his remarks on life of the deceased and the scriptural passages John 14 and the Twenty-third Psalm. The commitment service was held at Lincoln Memorial park chapel.

Endora M. Morgan was born January 22, 1859, in Muscatine county, Iowa. In 1882 she was united in marriage with Fred L. Fisher, who survives her. In early childhood Mrs. Fisher united with the Methodist Episcopal church and continued a loyal, consistent member throughout her life. She was a great granddaughter of the Rev. Thomas Odell, of the Methodist Episcopal church who rode circuits in the early days of American Methodism under Bishop Francis Asbury. One of the highly prized heirlooms of the family possessed by Mrs. Fisher was a certificate of ordination signed by Bishop Francis Asbury himself showing that he had ordained Thomas Odell. For several months Mrs. Fisher realized that the end of her earthly life was near, but she bore her suffering with true Christian fortitude and bravely knowing that she was ready although life was sweet and loved ones dear to her.

BAPTISTS TO PRESENT ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

The young people of the B. Y. P. U. will present the life and experiences of America's first missionary to Burma, Dr. Adoniram Judson, in the Baptist church Sunday evening beginning at 6:30. The subject will be presented in the form of an illustrated lecture using beautifully colored art slides. The pastor will preach both in the morning and evening church services which will begin at the usual hours.

The Bible school will commence promptly at 9:45 with classes suitable for all ages. Next Wednesday evening the Bible study on the book to be considered will be Exodus with a short review of Genesis. The prayer meeting will follow.

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IN REVIVAL CAMPAIGN.



Rev. Don Shogren

A revival campaign and Bible conference will begin Tuesday in the Powell Valley Mission church of which Rev. Mr. Shogren is pastor. He will be assisted by Evangelist Gust Johnson.

Taber Re-elected Master of Grange

At the annual session of the National Grange held last week in Cleveland, Ohio, National Master Louis J. Taber was re-elected to head the grange.

National Master Taber at this session delivered a masterful address in which he covered the many important problems confronting the cause of agriculture in this country and stating the attitude of the grange thereto.

In the course of his address Mr. Taber called attention to the fact that in the past 50 years, instead of a population 71 per cent rural and 29 per cent in cities and towns, the shift that has taken place almost exactly reverses this ratio, and yet the 30 per cent population now on the farms is still easily able to feed the 70 per cent in the cities, and significantly, too, the chief agricultural problem is one of surplus; indicating the degree to which American farm efficiency has kept pace with the drift of American affairs. Continuing, Mr. Taber makes this impressive statement:

"The decline of farm population cannot go on in the future as rapidly as in the past, but it is a safe prediction that inside the next half century only one-fifth of the nation's population will be living on the farms and that one-fifth will be feeding the other four-fifths efficiently and well. This is not a gloomy picture, but one indicating that those who choose agriculture for their portion may, by using modern equipment and modern methods, by calling science to their aid, and through sound business principles in marketing and production, have before them the promise of a life of maximum usefulness and fair financial reward."

The national master, who is an authority on agriculture and studies closely legislative remedies says that equality for agriculture cannot come by legislation alone. No amount of governmental assistance, of education, of experimentation, or of research, will do for agriculture all that needs to be done. Whenever more than 50 per cent of our farmers are organized, our problems will begin to disappear: If they are social or educational, we will have sufficient membership to correct them; if they are economic, we will have the numbers and finances for their adjustment; if they are legislative, there will be the numerical strength to insure correction.

Mr. Taber summarizes the grange attitude on some big, pending questions of public nature as follows:

Export Debiture Plan.
This is the project which the national grange is heartily sponsoring, a straightforward, honest attempt to bring tariff benefits to articles of which there is an exportable surplus, to do it in the simplest, most efficient and economic manner, without the creation of expensive machinery or the introduction of agencies or policies that might in the future be dangerous to rural life. The export debiture plan simply seeks to remove inequalities and to bring to the nation's basic industry the same tariff benefits enjoyed by others. Hence the grange backs the plan heartily and will exert its energies to secure its adoption.

Irrigation and Reclamation.
Instead of bringing more fertile land under cultivation, the policy of the government should be one of reforestation and purchasing of millions of acres of marginal land, not now needed for food or fiber

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Church Services

HOME AND YOUTH SUBJECTS FOR DAY

The sermons on next Sunday at the Methodist church will have to do with the home and youth. The morning sermon is entitled, "Home-Growing." Concerning this topic, the Rev. H. V. Wilhelm says, "We speak of building a home, but that is incorrect. A true home is a living thing, made of living personalities, and we cannot build anything that had life. Living things must grow."

In the evening, the first of two sermons on youth will be preached. The one for this Sunday is, "The Church Challenges Youth," and this will be followed next Sunday by an opposite view, "Youth Challenges the Church." These sermons should be widely heard.

The men's Bible class is growing in numbers and enthusiasm each week. The practical discussions are enjoyed and are very helpful. Roy E. Cannon is the teacher.

The Epworth League meets at 5 for a social hour and at 6:30 for study and worship.

TEMPLE TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

The Undenominational temple organization will celebrate its fourth anniversary Sunday, November 27, with services suitable to the occasion. The pastor, the Rev. S. F. Pitts, will preach from the topic, "The Mountains of God." The choir will render special music in two numbers, "Uplift the Christ" and "Thanks Be to God."

Preaching services will be held again Sunday evening, the song service to begin at 7:30. Prayer service will be held Tuesday evening and Bible study Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. The young people's service is held on Friday evenings at which time the young people have charge and an enjoyable time is always spent. Sunday school will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

COUNTY P.-T. A. HAS HELPFUL MEETING

Multnomah County Council of Parent-Teachers' associations met at the central library, Portland, November 19, with Mrs. O. C. Sayles, the president, in the chair. During the morning session, president's reports were read from local circles and chairman reports as follows: good literature, Miss Jennie Fleming; service shop, Mrs. H. C. Miller; legislative, W. C. Lawrence; P.-T. A. literature, Mrs. Bush; publicity, Mrs. Minnie B. Altman. Other speakers were Mrs. W. W. Gabriel, state president, who spoke on the general problems of the organization; Mrs. Brown, president of the Clackamas County Council, who urged an increasing use of the "Child Welfare Magazine" and Mrs. C. V. Ross, who extended the hospitality of the city council to the county council.

The meeting adjourned for lunch during which a pleasant social hour was enjoyed at the Women's club with members of city circles as hostesses.

An address by Miss Edna Mindas of Oregon Normal school, on the subject of "Suitable Books for Children," and a talk by Miss Jean Beeson of the Oregon State Tuberculosis association on the health work completed the afternoon session. Both numbers were well received.

The January meeting will be held at Lynch school.

BANDIT GETS TEN-YEAR SENTENCE

Floyd Longwell, 21, who was shot in the shoulder August 13 when he attempted to hold up Leonard Neil, a butcher, near the Twelve-mile house, was sentenced Tuesday by Presiding Judge Tazwell of the circuit court to 10 years in the penitentiary.

It was stated by Deputy District Attorney Lyle Brown that Longwell has a record. Longwell pleaded guilty to the charge of assault with intent to rob. He pulled a gun on Neil, but the latter warned off the gun play by turning the trigger on his assailant.

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Football Team Wins on Field of Mud

For the most part Gresham citizens stayed at home yesterday, grateful for the many blessings of life and particularly thankful for shelter from the driving storm which visited this section during the entire day and preceding night.

But not all the discomforts of rain and wind, which at times approached the semblance of a flood, could dampen the ardor of football players and fans. Before 10 o'clock pedestrians and machines began wending in the direction of the high school, and by 10:30 a good sized crowd, seated mostly in protecting autos, had gathered to watch the G. U. H. S. team wallop their neighbors from Estacada, which was done to the score of 14 to 0 in favor of Gresham. Fond mamas did not relish the idea of son Johnny playing football on such a day and tried to keep him in, but when dad was approached on the subject, it was quickly settled as he said, "Of course let him play football, what do you think he is, a baby?" So those who did not play watched a one-sided but intensely interesting game, the last one of the season, and afterwards repaired to cozy homes where family and friends, a cheery fireplace and the aroma of roasting turkey shut out the depressing weather and made everybody thankful for home and its associations.

The day was largely given over to family gatherings. While the king of birds was rather steep in price, he still graced many ovens where he was roasted and basted to just the proper turn and served with all the fixin's. In many homes the humble chicken was the piece de resistance on the bill of fare and made a welcome substitute for his more lordly brother, the turkey.

The usual procedure of union church services was departed from this year and the meeting was held on Wednesday evening instead of Thursday morning. A good-sized crowd gathered at the Methodist Episcopal church where the Rev. D. B. Weintz, pastor of the Free Methodist church, gave a forceful exposition of the 107th Psalm. The Rev. E. G. Judd, pastor of the Baptist church, assisted in the service. Mrs. Henry Sorensen rendered a solo, accompanied at the piano by Miss Amy Cooper.

Other events of Wednesday evening, which possibly interfered with the attendance at the union services, were the senior class play at the high school gymnasium and the Arème club dance.

Both high and grade schools are enjoying a holiday today. Work at the two schools will resume as usual on Monday.

Coming Events

Friday evening, Nov. 25.—Father and son meeting at Masonic hall.

Friday evening, November 25.—O. E. S. card party, Troutdale Masonic hall.

Saturday evening, November 26.—Reunion and banquet Companies A, B and C of 41st Div. Engineers, World War, at Multnomah hotel.

Saturday evening, Nov. 26.—Entertainment and barn party under auspices of S. D. A. church at R. Treber's barn.

Tuesday evening, Nov. 29.—Moving picture film, "Abraham Lincoln" at Fairview schoolhouse.

Tuesday, Nov. 29.—Beginning of revival campaign and Bible conference at Swedish Mission church.

Saturday, December 3.—Ladies' Aid bazaar, dinner and play at Rockwood grange hall.

Saturday evening, December 3.—Pleasant Home Methodist Ladies Aid bazaar, supper and program at church.

Sunday, Dec. 4.—Shooting match at Gillis baseball diamond, Gillis station.

Tuesday, Dec. 6.—Gresham city election.

Wednesday, December 7.—Gresham Methodist annual bazaar and dinner in basement of church.

Friday evening, Dec. 9.—Arème club card party at home of Mrs. E. W. Aylsworth.

Saturday, Dec. 10.—Cottrell community church bazaar.

Thursday evening, Dec. 15.—Bazaar and dinner, basement of Baptist church.

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