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Every board, every person handling public money, should publish an account of it.

GARDEN PROJECTS PROVE POPULAR IN ALL OREGON

People of Oregon are certainly "garden minded" this year, judging from the unusual number of requests that have been sent to Oregon State college for bulletins and other aids



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to vegetable growing. To meet this increased demand the extension service has just reprinted one bulletin, "The Farm Vegetable Garden," the supply of which was exhausted, and has issued a new one, "Growing Fall and Early Winter Vegetables."

Both of these bulletins are by A. G. B. Bouquet, professor of vegetable gardening, who is supplementing these and other of his publications by a series of radio talks on gardening which are being heard every Friday during the noon hour over KOAC, the college radio station.

Gardening this year is being furthered in many counties through definite projects of the county agents and home demonstration agents who have enrolled many hundreds of farmers and others in a program of year-around garden production. Those who enroll receive monthly letters giving suggestions for timely garden activities. It is hoped by this method to increase production and use of vegetables, encourage home preservation of foods and promote exchange of surplus production.

CHURCH NOTES

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

E. James Cain, Pastor.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day, so Mrs. Serell, our Bible School Superintendent, has prepared a special program. The school is going to present a bouquet of flowers to the oldest mother present, the youngest mother present, and to the mother who brings with her the biggest family. If you stand no show of receiving one of these bouquets, perhaps you can help some friend of yours to get one by bringing her.

In the morning service the pastor will speak of "The Prodigal Son's Home."

The evening meeting hour will be turned over to the Hermiston high school for their baccalaureate service. The Baptist church welcomes you, class of '32, with all your friends.

Last week the children's meeting was marked by a luncheon served by the pastor's helpers and some of the older of the children. We are having a great time and if your children are not attending our meetings they are missing a great deal.

Don't ever forget that you are welcome to our Wednesday evening prayer and Bible study hour at 8 o'clock. Bring with you your Bible so that you can check up on what the pastor says. Your Bible is the final and only infallible authority on religious matters.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Everlasting Punishment" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 1.

The Golden Text was, "Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness" (Gal. 6:1).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity;... None of his sins that he hath committed shall be mentioned unto him; he hath done that which is lawful and right; he shall surely live" (Ezek. 33:15, 16).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "We acknowledge God's forgiveness of sin in the destruction of sin and the spiritual understanding that casts out evil as unreal. But the belief in sin is punished so long as the belief lasts" (p.497).

Methodist Church Notes

O. W. Payne, Pastor.

Sunday is "Mother's Day", and will be fittingly observed in the Methodist church. There will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock and a program of special music and a sermon in keeping with the day.

No evening services on account of the Baccalaureate sermon at the Baptist Church.

Baptist-Christian Church

W. E. Jones, Pastor

The evening service will be dismissed due to the baccalaureate sermon but there will be Christian Endeavor at 6:30 o'clock instead of 6:45.

10:20 A. M., Communion.

10:30 A. M., Song Service.

10:55 A. M., Preaching service and Junior church for the little folks.

There will be a suitable remembrance given to the oldest mother, the youngest mother, and the mother with the greatest number of children present.

11:20 A. M., Teaching hour.

6:30 P. M., Christian Endeavor.

A special program will be held honoring Mother. Each Endeavorer and visitor is asked to bring his or her mother or someone else's mother to the meeting. Elsie Reeder and Pauline Stoop will be the leaders.

A bed that formerly belonged to John Adams, second President of the United States, was sold for \$1,625 at an auction in New York.

All Items Appearing in this Column are Contributed by the Hermiston W. C. T. U.

The following essay written by Carol Bunnell, won first prize in the contest sponsored by the W. C. T. U. Those deserving honorable mention as close contestants were: Barbara Reid, Thelma Swarner and Loretta Furr.

The essay follows:

"Would the drink habit make me become a better 'Miserable Doctor'."

I must abstain from drinking of alcohol if I am going to be a missionary doctor, because it is a poison. It will injure my health, it is a habit forming narcotic depressant drug.

I will need to abstain because it is best for mental efficiency. Dr. Mayo said, "You can get along with a wooden leg, but you can't with a wooden head, it is the brain that counts." Edison says, "Alcohol acts on the brain like sand in an engine." The Bible says, "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging, and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise."

Experimental work carried on in Europe and America by eminent scientists prove that alcohol, even in small quantities, retards mental activity. It destroys balanced thinking.

I must abstain because it makes for physical efficiency. Never before has there been such a demand for people with steady nerves in the industrial world as now, therefore, I must have steady nerves, clear eyes and a sober brain in operations and caring for the sick.

I must abstain because it means economic success. Money spent or strong drinks is worse than wasted. I must have money to help those in need. Poverty and liquor walk hand in hand and are boon companions.

I must have self-respect. If I become a drunkard, no one will respect me. My success in my work will depend upon my good habits. The drinking habit lowers the vitality of a person, disgraces his character among his companions, thus it makes him a menace to mankind. Really now what is the gain in drinking?

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy acceptable to God." Romans 13:1

STANFIELD NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ranney of Meacham are being congratulated upon the arrival of a daughter on Monday, May 2, at St. Anthony hospital. Mrs. Ranney was formerly Violet Shaw. The little girl has been named Catherine Phyllis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hoosier, Mrs. D. Z. Penney and Miss Dorothy Rumpel have returned to their homes after a week end motor trip to Portland.

Mrs. Guy Craven and small daughter returned Sunday from the Hermiston medical hospital.

The Pentecostal Mission installed a new piano in their church on East Main Street Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Baker and Mrs. J. F. Gibson were Pendleton visitors Wednesday. Mrs. Baker attended the meeting of the County Library board of which she is a member.

J. T. Lane, who is operating the dredger for the drainage district, returned to his work after spending the week end at his home in Parkdale. He was accompanied by Mrs. W. G. Wallace and Mrs. C. F. Thorne.

A group of tennis fans attended the tournament in Hermiston Saturday. Helen Connor contested for honors in singles, Evelyn Thorsen and Withelmina Hedrick in the girls' doubles. Paul Boker and Robert Starkweather in the boys' doubles, and Ina Sturdwand and Bob Starkweather in the mixed doubles. Stanfield lost the cup which she has held for the past two years.

The faculty and Juniors will sponsor the Junior-Senior Prom to be held in the evening of May 13.

Mrs. Veva Green is helping care for Mrs. C. C. Dunn who has been ill for several months.

Pine City and Stanfield met on the local diamond Sunday and what promised to be a very interesting ball game was cut short by local showers. At the end of the third inning the two teams sought shelter with the score at 4 - 1 in favor of Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Cooper and daughter Marjory were shopping in Pendleton Monday.

J. M. Richards was one of the speakers at the Hood River Pomona Grange Tuesday.

There will be church services following Sunday school in the Presbyterian Church May 8.

Mrs. Annie Burgess was honored Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hoggard by a surprise party for which the Rebekahs were hostesses. Mrs. Burgess will leave soon for an extended visit in the east and the affair was in appreciation of her work

in Rebekah circles. Those present were: Mrs. John Hall Mrs. D. R. Starkweather, Mrs. C. D. Connor, Mrs. E. A. Hoosier, Mrs. J. Villermore, Mrs. C. M. McCall, Mrs. B. F. Oatman, Mrs. W. G. Wallace, Mrs. M. C. Barogey, Miss Ora Berry, Mrs. W. T. Reeves, Mrs. Chas. Hoggard and the hostess. Refreshments were served and Mrs. Burgess was presented with a triple link pin.

Mrs. Guy Craven enjoyed a short visit from her mother Mrs. Nickolson of Goldendale Wn.

School calendar of commencement events:

May 15 - Baccalaureate services in the Presbyterian church conducted by Rev. J. F. Gibson.

May 18 - Commencement night. Rev. Wemett of Pendleton will deliver the address. The public is invited to attend each night. The high school wiss graduate eleven students. Namely - Helen Connor, Vivian Croter, Evelyn Thorsen, Marjory Cooper, Faye Green, Dorothy Rumpel, Robert Starkweather, Paul Baker, Richard Hamml, Herbert Gillanders and Earl Attebury.

Miss Edna Greathouse spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Greathouse.

"THE LAWD" TO WALK THE EARTH AT PORTLAND.

The famous 1930 Pulitzer Prize Play, "The Green Pastures," otherwise termed "the Divine Comedy in Blackface," which has held vast audiences in New York and Chicago enthralled for two years, is to be presented at the Portland Auditorium for five days, commencing on Tuesday evening, May 10, with matinee performances on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons. The engagement, outstanding feature of our times in stage offerings in the Northwest, is incidental to the tour of the unique organization to San Francisco to enter upon an indefinite engagement immediately following the Portland presentation. The other city will be played on the Pacific Coast with the exception of Los Angeles, from which the company will dash across the continent to Boston to open an engagement that is expected to continue through out the entire year.

"The Green Pastures" has broken all records of the American stage from Coast to Coast, and has established for itself a status that is unique, employing more than a hundred Negro actors and singers in its interpretation. The playwright, Marc Connelly, fashioned his classic from Roark Bradford's book "Olan Adam An' His Chillun." Despite the tremendous differences in theme, period, locale and personnel, the Connelly play is constantly likened to the favorite of other days, "Ben Hur." The only physical resemblance is found in the generous employment of mechanical treadmills in both. Psychologically, there is a generic similarity of a religious background, and a similarity of appeal alike to confirmed playgoer and to a numerous element that looks askance upon the theatre and seldom is found within its precincts. The latter swarmed to "The Green Pastures" in New York in such numbers as to almost crowdout Broadway's "regulars" creating a run of eighteen months, involving 540 consecutive performances in the same theatre—the Mansfield. This experience was repeated in Chicago, where 160 consecutive performances were played at the Illinois theatre.

"THE MIRACLE MAN" SCORES HIGH PRAISE.

As a silent picture "The Miracle Man" was one of the talking picture version, to be at the Oasis Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday, it is better, as much better as the talking screen is a more effective and natural medium than its silent predecessor for the telling of a story.

The cast chosen by Paramount for its revival of this screen classic is worthy of the vehicle and the memories that surround it. In the roles which brought fame to Betty Compson, Thomas Meighan and Lon Chaney in the silent version, the talking picture has Sylvia Sidney, Chester Morris and John Wray. Miss Sidney as the "come-on" girl of a gang of crooks, Morris as the sleek leader of the gang, and Wray as the fake cripple. Robert Coogan's playing of a crippled boy who is cured miraculously is one of the high points of the picture. Irving Pichel as the atheist father of the boy turns in another splendid performance. Hobart Bosworth gives a masterly and believable playing of The Patriarch, and Boris Karloff appears briefly as an underworld character.

The story, in case there is anyone unfamiliar with it, tells of a group of criminals who plan to exploit an unsuspecting faith healer for their own profit, but in the performance of a real miracle come face to face with a power that does things to their twisted minds and shriveled souls.

Mother's Day advertisement for First National Bank. Includes illustration of a woman and child, and text: "JUST THE THING TO GIVE HER ON MOTHER'S DAY—A BRAND NEW BANK BOOK WITH A SNUG LITTLE DEPOSIT TO HER NEW ACCOUNT. SURPRISE HER ON MOTHER'S DAY. FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Hermiston. Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits Over \$50,000. F. B. SWAYZE, President R. ALEXANDER, Vice-President A. H. NORTON, Cashier D. M. DEETER, Asst. Cashier"

DR. J. A. BEST REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE. Includes large portrait of Dr. Best and text: "A Square Deal For Everybody." (Pl. Adv.)

She is Remembered advertisement for The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company. Includes illustration of a woman on a telephone and text: "MOTHER'S DAY is Sunday, May 8. Go to her if you can. But if you cannot, what is more truly personal than your voice? Counties, states, oceans are spanned readily and clearly. How much your voice will mean to her... on Mother's Day and many another day. The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company Business Office: Main Street Telephone 511"

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