

Holiday Greetings

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Residents Here—
and Mrs. James Pavel, of
Wisconsin, are visiting
with Mrs. Pavel's niece Mrs.
Doss. Senior, Mr. and Mrs.
are quite elderly people, Mr.
being past eighty but they are

making a nine months trip over the
west coast, and are enjoying it im-
mensely. They will spend about
two weeks in Roseburg.

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Special Chicken Sale

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JUST A FEW PRICES IN OUR
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Fancy Oranges, doz.	35c
Fresh Ranch Eggs, doz.	38c
2 Loaves Bread	15c
Soda, A. & H., pkg.	5c
Seedless Raisins, pkg.	11c
Lemon Snaps, pkg.	5c
Sliced Peaches, can	15c
Canned Sweet Corn, can	14c

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RIVER BEDS WOULD
YIELD VAST FORTUNE

Two Billion Dollars Is Easily Re-
coverable Says State Bureau
of Mines In State of
California

(By United Press.)

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 22.—Two billion dollars in gold, a treasure greater by a quarter of a billion than that extracted from California mines by the hardy Forty-niners, is easily recoverable, according to the State Bureau of Mines, and can be secured from the river beds of California rivers without interfering with other industries.

Such a statement would seem wildly improbable were it not for the authority given by the government agency that has made the investigation. Great as were the fortunes laboriously wrested from the earth during the days of the goldrush, the gold the adventurers let slip through their fingers was even more valuable. Their haste to get the more available gold led them to use wasteful methods which recovered only a small portion of the yellow metal.

Hydraulic mining, as it was practiced by the first miners to try it in the state, recovered from the earth the coarsest gold while the fine dust was carried down to the river with the silt and fine earth washed from the hills. This earth filled the river beds so rapidly that rivers were often forced from their channels and did great damage to the lands they overflowed.

Under the plan proposed by Fletcher Hamilton, State Mineralogist, the enormous riches in the alluvial deposits in the riverbeds is easily recoverable by methods now well understood.

Hamilton further declares that the operations of recovering the gold would indirectly benefit the state by cleaning the river beds, making the rivers navigable for great distances, and preventing annual deluges and flood damage. He proposes the building of retaining dams that would keep mine tailings from filling the river channels in the future and that would, at the same time, conserve floods while furnishing water storage for summer irrigation.

Hamilton concludes his report with the declaration that "This is a development project which, if carried to a successful conclusion, would be of immeasurable benefit to every citizen of the state, not only for the time being, but for the next hundred years."

INSTALLATION HELD
BY EASTERN STAR

The Roseburg Chapter No. 8 of the Eastern Star, last evening, held installation services, installing their new officers for the ensuing year. A large attendance was present, while the following officers were installed:

Worthy Matron... Mrs. Mary Bahar
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Associate Matron... Mrs. Russell L. F. Lintott
Associate Matron... Mrs. Hazel French
Conductors... Mrs. Andy Ford
Associate Conductor... Mrs. Lucella Sether
Secretary... Mr. Free Johnson
Treasurer... Mrs. T. E. Singleton
Marshalls... Mrs. Ethel Hughes
Chaplain... Mrs. Carrie Bell
Aids... Mrs. Warren Burt
Ruth... Mrs. Fred Bond
Ester... Mrs. Alta Williams
Martha... Mrs. G. A. Shaddock
Electa... Miss Ethel Webb
Organist... Mrs. Frances Lintott
Sentinel... Mr. L. L. Ghehey

The installation work was in charge of Past Matron, Mrs. Runyan, with Mrs. Quinn as installing Marshall. At the close of the installation Past Matron, Mrs. William Bell presented Mrs. Runyan with her Past Matron's jewel. Mrs. Runyan's reply was well given and contained many splendid remarks.

The music for the ceremony was furnished by Mrs. Young's orchestra which was very good, and enjoyed by all present. They also played several other selections, which were well received.

After installation, the members and guests adjourned to the banquet hall for a light luncheon. The hall was very beautifully decorated with Christmas trees, and poinsettias which were furnished by the "Fern." Much credit is due the committees in charge of the decorations and banquet, as all was exceptionally well arranged.

After lunch a few short snappy remarks were given which closed the evening session with every one happy and all expressing what a splendid meeting they had. The next meeting, the first in January will be the regular social meeting.

LITTLE FOLKS IN
"CANDY SHOP"

Mrs. Charles Heinline, of the Heinline Conservatory of Music, will present her kindergarten pupils, in "The Candy Shop," at the First Methodist Episcopal church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The musical program given this year, has been cleverly arranged and differs from those given any year before. The children will be most entertaining in their rhythmic games, songs, and piano solos. The

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FOR GENTLEMEN

Dress Shirts	\$1.49	Suit Cases	\$4.98
Ties	79c to \$1.98	Auto Robes	\$8.90
Velour Hats	\$3.98	Initial Handkerchiefs	15c
Silk Hose	58c	Double Grip Hose Supporters	49c
Bath Robes	\$4.98	Auto Driving Gloves	\$3.75
Leather Hand Bags	\$8.90	Pajamas	\$1.98

FOR LADIES

Fancy Garters	49c	Purses	\$1.98
Perfume Sets	\$1.49	Vanity Boxes	\$6.75
Silk Hose	\$1.69	Gold Plated Vanity Cases	50c, \$1.00
Boxed Stationery	69c	Glove Silk Hose	\$2.98
Slipper Soles	49c	Silk Umbrella	\$5.90
Silk Gowns	\$5.25	Hand-Made Camisoles	\$1.98

FOR THE CHILDREN

Dressed Dolls	\$1.39	Tree Lights	\$2.98
Doll Beds	\$1.49	Toy Pianos	98c
Train and Track	\$4.25	Mechanical Elevators	\$1.98
Sand Dumping Cranes	98c	Hula Hula Doll	98c
Rook	69c	Weary Willies	49c
Pit	69c	Rocking Horses	\$2.49, \$2.98

Shop as Early as You Can

program has been divided into four parts, first, the Candies in order of their appearance, second, Rhythmic games, third, piano solos, and fourth, Dunning kindergarten demonstration.

Those who will take part in the program are: Cloyce Taylor, Arthur Norbas, Jean Geddes, Genevieve Moore, Grace Butler, Clyde Laughhead, Jack Bathrick, Mavis Melvin, Shirley Mae Brown, Robert Kenny, Mildred Ziegler, Helen Wetherell, Francis Metzger, Merrill Gray, Alena Brown, Irvin Brown, Jr., Mary Bell Geddes, Lois Ann Whipple.

HARDING URGED TO
RELEASE I. W. W.

Pickets Posted At Gates of White House Grounds Asking Him to Free All Political Prisoners

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Pickets of the Joint Assembly committee, posted at the entrance to the White House today carried banners asking Harding to "make the freedom of speech your Christmas gift to the nation," through the release of political prisoners.

Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, is now urging Harding to release 28 prisoners convicted in I. W. W. trials in Chicago in 1919 as Christmas executive elements.

POLICE CHECKING
NAMES LOST GIRLS

Making Thorough Investigation of Story Told by Waitress That Cash Waiter Murdered Young Girl in Bathhouse

(By United Press.)
PORTLAND, Dec. 22.—The police today were checking up in the names of five girls reported missing, about September 21st when Cash Waiter, according to a story told to the police by Mrs. Helen Lewis, a waitress, fired a young girl in an isolated bathhouse there and killed her in an orgy.

VALUE OF EDUCATION
WILL BE DETERMINED

Reclamation Projects in Oregon Will Receive Large Sums According To Announcement Made Today

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The annual supply bill for the various branches of government under the interior department carrying \$294,215,000, reported to the house today. The total is almost \$3,000,000 less than last year. The amounts recommended for reclamation projects included:

Baker river, Oregon, \$500,000.
Flathead, \$200,000.
600.

DANCE CHRISTMAS NIGHT
The big dance of each year, the Firemen's Christmas Ball, will be held at the armory Monday night, Dec. 25. Lay everything else aside and be there. Most everyone's going.

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SHOPMEN WILL BE
FREED BY CHRISTMAS

(By Associated Press.)
PORTLAND, Dec. 22.—George Scherman and Robert Green, convicted of violating the anti-picketing injunction during the shopmen's strike last August and sentenced to sixty days in jail and fined \$100 each, will be released before Christmas by order of Judge Wolverton on motion of Arthur A. Murphy, counsel for the Oregon-Washington railroad and navigation company.

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COMMUNITY XMAS TREE

Sylvan Valley Parent Teacher Association will sponsor a Community Christmas tree at the Sylvan Valley school house Saturday, evening Dec. 23. Everybody should feel free to place their gifts upon the tree, the children of the Sylvan Valley school will give the program at 7:30 and a good time is assured those who will attend.

DISC WHEELS

Disc wheels for all makes of cars, cheaper than wooden wheels. Auto Paint Shop, Roseburg, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Rader, well known residents of the Tyee vicinity, were in town today shopping, and looking after business matters.
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Squier, of Sutherlin, have gone to California, where they will remain for a few weeks visiting friends and relatives in and around Long Beach.

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IS MORE
HUMIDITY
IN AIR

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