

Society and Clubs

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

OPERA PRESENTED BY HIGH SCHOOL

GLENDAL—The Glendale grade school presented an opera, "The Magic Christmas Bell," by Catherine Allison Christie, in the high school auditorium, Wednesday afternoon, December 22 at one thirty p. m.

Members of the cast are as follows: Santa Claus, Donald Fitzgerald; Santa's helpers, Ruth Lewallen, Elmo Ball; Swedish children, Betty Lee Caraway, Janet Smith, Laura June Cooper, Billy Sue Mosely, Marvin Ashman, Robert Pell, Billy Sparks and John Bigelow; Christmas puddings, Billy Hill, Billy Ward, Cecil Munyon, Edgar Johnson, Eugene Trozel and Dan Clare; Scotch lassies, Sharron Pell, Carol Christie, Barbara Kayser, Judith Ward, Charlene Borst and Azalea Hayes; Jack in the boxes, Billy Sether, John Sether and Rodland Bell; Christmas trees, Clifford Smith, Stanley Taylor, Walter Hill and Edward Ponder; Indian braves, Jerry Lassen, Robert Curtis, Billy Max Sparks and Bobby Williams; Spanish senoritas, Zoraida Martin, Ruth Allen, Margaret Ponder and Mary Young; dolls, Helen Bates, Barbara Jean Cook, Daisy Grant, Colleen Christie, Peggy Pfaff, Donna Hagen, Valerie Borst and Betsey Sparks; cowboys, David Payne, John Harbourn, Harold Van Volkenburg, Donald Winkelman, Bill Chandler and Arthur Munyon; balloons, Sally Tripp, Lynn Tripp, Beverly Miller, Dolly Grant, Dorene Borst and Jean Dodge; Rhythm band, Richard Hayes, Elmira Wilkerson, Freddie Johnson, Gordon Bushman, Floyd Burke, Priscilla Woodley, Junior Hounshell, George Cooper, Billy Trammell, John Gutierrez, Everett Hardin, Arthur Clayton, Buddy Bell, Larry Hagen, Samantha Swails, Melvin Trammell, Bobby Lane, Larry Hill, Parley Joe Cooper and Donald McNeil; two selections, "Country Garden," by Granger and "Stephanie Gavotte," by Czibulka, were played by the rhythm band.

The opera was under the direction of Mrs. Harold Cooley.

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Covers were placed for: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loney, Mr. and Mrs. Van Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Brittain Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Holgate, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Stearns and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson.

Contract bridge was enjoyed during the evening with Mrs. Loney and Loyal Stearns winning high prizes and Mrs. Holcomb and Clifford Parrott winning second high.

STATE PRESIDENT IS HONORED AT MEETING

SUTHERLIN—Sutherlin Rebekah lodge No. 218 held a special meeting Friday evening at the Methodist church in compliance to Mrs. Bertha McCollom, Portland, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon.

The basement was beautifully decorated with Christmas trees and Christmas motifs, arranged by Mrs. Brittain Slack.

Mrs. Juanita Holgate, noble grand, graciously presided over the meeting. The courtesy committee included Minnie Hartshorn, Lena Poole and Cora Allen, who introduced Bertha McCollom, president of the Rebekah Assembly, Ethel Bailey, vice president, Edythe Florence Kelley, past president of the Rebekah Assembly and past president of the A. R. A.; Ralph L. Russell, deputy grand master of the Oregon Grand lodge; and our own district deputy, President Adelaide Cooper.

Adelaide Cooper presented on behalf of the lodge, lovely corsages to the grand officers, also a lovely myrtlewood gift in behalf of the lodge to the president. Out of state visitor, Elizabeth Dopp, was introduced and welcomed. Many of the visitors gave very interesting talks.

A short program was enjoyed after lodge closed, as follows: Duets, "Whispering Hope" and "White Christmas" by Mary Cooper and Erma Martin. Piano solo,

"Mm Mazurk" by Erma Martin. Songs in unison, "Joy to the World," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "Silent Night," led by Lena Poole and accompanied on the piano by Erma Martin.

Delicious refreshments were served at beautifully decorated tables with Christmas motifs and tall tapers by Adelaide Cooper and Mable Ross. At a late hour everyone enjoyed the Christmas tree, which contained a gift for everyone.

Those enjoying the evening from Roseburg were: Mrs. Lena Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mrs. Edythe Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hartshorn, Mrs. Edith Bond, Mrs. Reba Hartley, Mrs. Margaret Rogers, Mrs. Gertrude Hatfield, Mrs. Ruby Bloom, also Mrs. Bertha McCollom of Portland, Mrs. Elizabeth Dopp of Denver and Mrs. Mable Ross, Mrs. Cora Allen, Mrs. Belle Cook, Mrs. Bertha Barge, Mrs. Savilla Bamber, Mrs. Leona Slack, Mrs. Vesta Thomas, Mrs. Juanita Holgate, Mrs. Ella Wegner, Mrs. Adelaide Cooper, Mary Cooper and Erma Martin of Sutherlin.

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HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER GIVEN MRS. BRITT

GLENDAL—A handkerchief shower honoring Mrs. Nora Britt was given by Mrs. Reese Gardner and Mrs. Giles Ashman at the Presbyterian church basement Monday afternoon, December 20.

Mrs. Britt received many lovely handkerchiefs and the afternoon was spent in visiting.

Later delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Arthur J. Fawcett, Mrs. George Mills, Mrs. O. C. Sether, Mrs. Matt Dahl, Mrs. Wilton B. Garrett, Mrs. Amy Wampole, Mrs. William Dobyono, Mrs. Marion Frost, Mrs. P. A. McNeil, Mrs. Herbert Y'Blod, Mrs. Jess Bowman, Mrs. Thomas Hunsacker, Mrs. Roy Cunningham, Mrs. Morris Swank, Mrs. Benjamin Mouchette, Miss Eley Walker and the hostesses, Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Ashman.

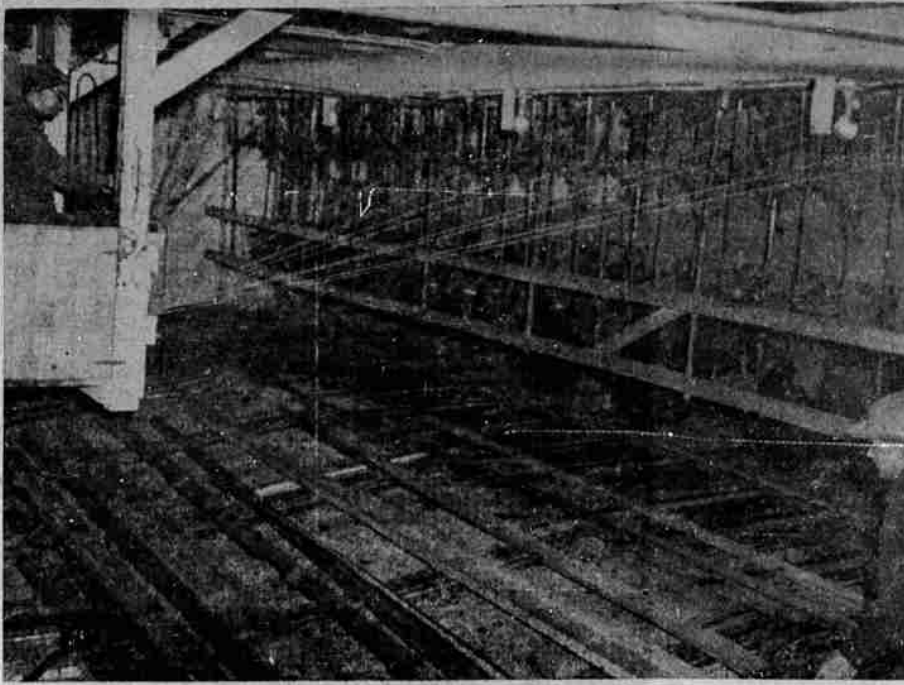
CHRISTMAS PARTY HELD BY GROUP

CAMAS VALLEY—Mrs. Nora Boyle and Mrs. Lillian Perry entertained at a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Perry Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyle read a very interesting paper, prepared by Mrs. Homer Grow, of Roseburg, on Christmas customs all over the world. Later the ladies made Christmas wreaths and decorations of green and other materials they brought for the purpose. The hostess served popcorn as refreshments.

Those present were: Mrs. Ruby Moore, Mrs. Rose Kinnan, Mrs. Bessie Wheeler, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Ellen Markham, Mrs. Ruth Lawson, Mrs. Ruby Wafer, Mrs. Milton, Mrs. Bea Thrush, Mrs. Helen Mayer, Mrs. Yola Haas, and the hostesses, Mrs. Boyle and Mrs. Perry.

Sutherlin Mill Lumber Trimmed



By PAUL JENKINS

Above is pictured the battery of trim saws in use at the Sutherlin Timber Products company mill at Sutherlin. Operated by compressed air, the battery consists of 20 saws, each about two feet in diameter.

The sawyer, seated in the cage in the upper left corner of the picture, controls their use, lifting them individually or collectively by means of a touch on a "keyboard" before him. As each length of lumber glides beneath him on its conveyor, he instantly sizes it up for grade, then cuts it according to the demands of numerous order slips he has for reference.

The sawyer is Claude E. Barber. Standing at the lower right and assisting him through manipulation of the conveyor is George H. Hoefler.

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER IS ENJOYED

SUTHERLIN—Mrs. Burton Avery was honored at a pink and blue shower Friday afternoon by Mrs. Gordon Williams and Mrs. Noel Miller, hostesses. During the afternoon games were played. After opening and reviewing the many beautiful gifts a delicious lunch was served to the following: Mrs. C. G. Wheelchel, Mrs. Walter Rusk, Mrs. Paul Hargis, Mrs. Rudolph Davis, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Van Holcomb, Mrs. Roy Starr, Mrs. Cyrus Wegner and the guest of honor, Mrs. Burton Avery.

GROUP HAS ENJOYABLE PROJECT FOR MONTH

SUTHERLIN—The Girl Scouts activities have been more to the sale of Christmas cards than any other for the past week, the troop having sold 145 boxes. This is the source of revenue for the troop treasury, which funds are used for materials for craft work etc. The usual Saturday night folk dancing was held at the school gym. At this time the plans were made for the Old Fashioned dancing party to be held sometime during the holiday week with the parents.

POET'S CORNER

"WHAT DO YOU DREAM OF THIS CHRISTMAS?"

What do "you" dream of Wac and Wave?

What do "you" dream of Spar?

What do "you" dream of Red Cross nurse?

When you forget for a moment just where you are?

What do "you" dream of brave marine?

What do "you" dream of Seabee?

What do "you" dream of Sailor boy?

As you fight on this night to be free?

What do "you" dream of Soldier now that Christmas again is here?

Ah—you too, think of a Christmas tree

And voices and hearts filled with Yuletide cheer!

—By Miss Muriel Hammersley, Riddle, Oregon.

British Suffer Little In Bagging Scharnhorst

(By the Associated Press)

The British admiralty gave the lie to German assertions that the diving battleship Scharnhorst had inflicted great damage on a Murmansk convoy before she sank with perhaps 1,460 Nazis and Admiral Otto Schniewind, German naval commander in the north. The convoy was unmolested and only minor damage was sustained by two British warships, a communique said.

Radio Algiers said the 10,000-ton Nazi pocket battleship Luetow was damaged in the battle, but there was no confirmation. Indications were that the combat might still be in progress in the ice of the Arctic above Norway. The admiralty was silent on details and the Germans said a task force had been dispatched with the Scharnhorst into the British home fleet trap.

Plea on Theft Charge Is Deferred Here

Wilbert R. Trent, charged with larceny of personal property, was continued in custody today in lieu of \$200 bail, following preliminary arraignment in the justice court at Roseburg. He was granted additional time to enter his plea to the complaint which charged him with the theft of a purse belonging to a Sutherlin resident, Judge Thomas Hartfield reported.

Fines paid in the Roseburg court, following pleas of guilty to the respective charges, were reported by Judge Hartfield as follows: Francis E. Smith, \$100 and 30 days suspended, drunken driving; William W. Buttini, \$25, speeding; Wade Fenton, \$10, no operator's license; Henry R. Cole, \$10, no muffler; John H. Coughran, \$40, speeding and \$10, failure to stop at a railroad crossing; Esco Colter, \$10, creating a disturbance; Claude A. Willey, \$10, no tail light; Robert F. Theiss, \$10, axle overload.

Life Term Imposed On Eugene Murderer

EUGENE, Dec. 28.—Benjamin J. Rogers, 37, Monday in circuit court pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in connection with the slaying of Warren A. Warfield here, October 27, and was given the mandatory sentence of life imprisonment by Judge Skipworth. He had previously pleaded not guilty to a first-degree murder charge and trial had been set for January 3.

Rogers was taken into custody by local police the day after the body of Warfield, shot through the heart with a .22 calibre rifle bullet, was found near his home in the College Crest district.

Riversdale Grange Sets Party for Friday

Members and friends of Riversdale grange are to enjoy a social evening at the grange hall Friday night. It was announced today. Dancing and games will provide entertainment for the New Year's eve party, and refreshments will be served. Persons attending are requested by the committee in charge to furnish a pie.

Gustave Doerr Funeral Set at Camas Valley

Funeral services will be held at Camas Valley at 10 a. m. Wednesday for Gustave Doerr, U. S. N., who died Dec. 19, in Virginia. The body arrived here last night accompanied by the widow, Mrs. Alice May Doerr, of Philadelphia. Arrangements for services are being conducted by the Roseburg Undertaking company.

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Local News

Goes to Ashland—Miss Ruth Froman is visiting at home in Ashland this week. She will return to Roseburg Sunday.

Home at Camas Valley—Miss Esther Brown is visiting her mother at Camas Valley, Ore., during the Christmas holidays.

Eagles Auxiliary to Meet—The Eagles Auxiliary will hold its regular meeting this evening, Tuesday, at the hall at 8 o'clock.

Returned to Roseburg—Dr. and Mrs. Lee A. Wells have returned to their home following the weekend in Albany visiting their relatives.

Leaves for McMinnville—Miss Floy Cooper is spending the holidays at home in McMinnville. She is an instructor at Fullerton school.

Leave for Portland—Miss Phoebe Hawthorne, senior high instructor, and Miss Margaret Carr, junior high teacher, are spending their Christmas vacations in Portland.

Return to San Francisco—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Meacham of San Francisco left today for their home after visiting over the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin C. Shanks on Flint street.

Returns to Salem—Bill Loomis returned to Salem last evening after spending the weekend in Roseburg. Mr. Loomis is employed with the state vocational education department in Salem.

Leave for California—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Weber left today for Camp Roberts, California, where they will visit their son, Pvt. Maurice Weber, Jr., who is stationed there with the United States army.

Return to Lebanon—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Connelly (Dorothy Eddy) and daughter Nancy, and son, Brian, left Monday for their home in Lebanon, Ore., following the weekend spent with Mrs. Connelly's mother, Mrs. B. L. Eddy, on Main street.

Return to Homes—Miss Bertha Kohlhaugen from Salem and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Zimmer and son, George Frederick, of Sherwood, Ore., left for their homes Monday following the weekend spent in Roseburg with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kohlhaugen, Sr.

Expected Home Tonight—Mr. and Frederick J. Porter are expected to return to their home in Roseburg tonight, following a week's visit in Seattle with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. (Bud) Watson (Marjorie Knight). They made a short stop-over in Eugene to visit Mrs. Porter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Houser, and in Portland to see her brother and sister-in-law, Attorney and Mrs. William W. Knight, and family. Mrs. Porter will return to her work at the News-Review office Wednesday.

Jerry's & Mary's Cafe 111 West Cass Street

We specialize in good food, quick service, all with a smile. Welcome to all our friends. Open 5:30 a. m. to 2 a. m.

Marshall Pengra III—Marshall Pengra, manager of Radio Station KRNR, is ill at his home in Laurelwood. He is suffering from influenza.

Winchester Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. John Wyatt of Winchester were in Roseburg Monday attending to business.

Business Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathews of Sylmon valley were in town on business Monday. Mrs. Mathews is a teacher at the Melrose school.

Visiting in California—Miss Nina B. Weaver, junior high instructor, left Friday to spend the Christmas vacation at her home in Pasadena, Calif.

Installation Tonight—Installation ceremony and work in the majority degree will be conducted at a public meet of Job's Daughters at the Masonic lodge hall at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Visits Parents—Bill Loomis, employed by the Oregon state division of vocational education in Portland, spent the holidays in Roseburg with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Loomis.

Kohlhaugen Improving—Word has been received that George Kohlhaugen, local meat dealer, is improving in health at a Portland hospital, where he was taken recently for treatment of a heart ailment.

Returns to Work—Mrs. Knute Kershner has returned to her work at the AAA office in the Perkins building after several weeks of illness at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kershner.

Guests At J. M. Judd Home—Pvt. and Mrs. James E. Judd and daughter, Virginia, of Eugene are guests at the home of Mr. Judd's mother, Mrs. J. M. Judd in Roseburg during the holidays. Pvt. James E. Judd is stationed at Camp Adair.

Return to Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Short, Jr. and son, Rex, returned to their home in Portland last evening after spending the holidays with Mrs. Short's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Conn, of Melrose, and Mr. Short's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Short, of Wilbur.

Enjoys Brief Leave—Charles E. Schulze, seaman first class, who has been serving with the navy in the South Pacific for more than a year, had a few hours leave during the weekend to visit at Brockway with his wife, the former June Munson, and infant son, "Skipper," and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schulze.

Return To Alpine—Mr. and Mrs. Larry DeWell and son, Brent, returned Monday to their home at Alpine, Oregon, after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. DeWell's grandmother, Mrs. C. W. Andrus, in Riverside.

Here From Portland—Miss Ruth Blake, who is employed in Portland, is spending the holiday week visiting in Roseburg with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blake, and her sister, Miss Louise Blake.

Glengary Sewing Club To Meet—Members of the Glengary Sewing club and their families will meet at seven o'clock at the Glengary school, Thursday evening for a potluck dinner and get-together party. All members and friends in the neighborhood are invited to attend.

Milk Subsidy Slated For January Retention

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The War Food administration is expected to announce this week a continuation of its milk subsidy program for the month of January.

The program was inaugurated last October for a three-month period ending Dec. 31, but officials have indicated the extension would be made.

Under the program, dairymen are paid subsidies ranging from 30 to 50 cents a hundred pounds on fluid milk and from three to six cents a pound on butterfat. The payments are designed to offset increased production costs without increasing consumer prices.

DON'T FORGET The Big New Year's Eve Show at the INDIAN and ROSE THEATRES.

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