



**AS THE BILLBOARD  
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ARRIVAL OF 1948,**

we are glad to wipe the slate clean and start the New Year fresh.

On the threshold of 1948, we wish once again to extend our appreciation for the many favors accorded us during the past year and to voice the hope that we may continue to enjoy just as pleasant relations the next twelvemonth.



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**Sandy Future Farmers Gather Around New Tractor**



Sandy high school Future Farmers of America are pictured above alongside the new tractor and disk which they recently purchased. The boys plan to pay for the machine by custom farming and work done on their own projects, according to Agriculture Instructor Harold

Babcock. The tractor formerly owned by the F. A. group was turned in as part of the down payment on the new machine. Other farm machinery equipment purchased at the same time included a five-foot lift type disk and a 16-inch plow.

**Many Cherryville Residents Celebrate Holiday Season With Family Dinners**

CHERRYVILLE — Holiday week guests at the J. Bartholomew's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Coe, Jr., of Portland; Mr. Bartholomew's sister, Miss Esther Bartholomew, Frank Bartholomew and family of Gresham; the Paul Poppenheimer family of Boring and eight college friends of Dean, who remained for a weekend of skiing.

Hugh Moore was taken to the veterans' hospital in Portland last week suffering from an undiagnosed ailment. Mrs. Moore and baby are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eggers. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelstrom and Valoy and Doyle and Cecil Birch spent Christmas near Banks with the brothers of Mrs. Kelstrom and Mr. Birch.

Christmas day guests at the May home were Dan May and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bottler of Portland.

John Tuescher, Jr., drove home from San Deigo to spend Christmas with his parents, wife and baby son. John has been taking post graduate work at college. His wife and baby returned to San Diego with him after spending several weeks in Cherryville.

**Tuescher Family Reunion**  
On Christmas day, for the first time in seven years, all the Tuescher family was together. Their Christmas celebration was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Dutton in Portland. Mrs. Dutton was Christine Tuescher before her marriage. Her two-months old baby is now doing well following an operation about a month ago.

Christmas afternoon the Tueseher's visited relatives at the Claude Beatty home near Vancouver.

**Christmas Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Con spent Christmas day at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burn Gibbons, of Wildcat creek. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Garrel and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rice and family.

The Rices have moved from Cherryville to the Richard Olson house on McCabe road. There were 12 members of the family present at the C. O. Cheney home for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bowder spent Sunday in Salem with Mr. Bowder's parents. Holiday guests at the Shockey home were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Holdt and L. E. Shockey of Portland and Sally Lane, a schoolmate of Linda's, who was an overnight guest Tuesday.

**Timber Cutting Permits Available**

Applications for 1948 combined harvesting and operating permits, which must be obtained by every person or firm harvesting timber for commercial purposes, are now available at the office of George N. Allman, state forest inspector, in Smith's garage, Sandy.

"These permits are obligatory for all operations connected with the harvesting of forest tree products on any Oregon lands and failure to obtain them makes the operator subject to closure and severe penalties," Mr. Allman says.

In the past the only permit required for logging operations was the operator permit, purpose of which was fire control.

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**Christmas Guests Are Entertained At Eagle Creek**

EAGLE CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rivers entertained the following guests at their home on Christmas Day: Mrs. Kate Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. William Franzen, and children Terry and Jannie, of Pullman, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wesson from California; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and daughters, Judy and Joan, of Estacada; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Potter and daughter, Karen, of Eagle Creek; and Bud, Donna and Laverne Rivers.

Jess Whistler has been doing some carpenter repair work on Bob Paine's garage this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shoemaker and son, Jack, returned home last Sunday night from a week's trip to Denning, Washington, where they visited Mrs. Shoemaker's mother, Mrs. B. F. Horton, and her two sisters, Miss Marie Horton, and her two sisters, Miss Marie Horton and Mrs. LaRue Fauver and family.

Carl Clark was badly bruised last week when he fell between a truck and the loading platform while working at Kastel's sawmill. Reports are that Mr. Clark is greatly improved and will soon be able to return to work.

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