

SMITH RIVER

Word has been received here by friends, telling of the death of Mark Wood, old time resident of this valley, who passed away at his home in Santa Rosa, Christmas day, following a short illness. He was born at Visalia, Feb. 9, 1878, where he spent his boyhood days. He was married to Miss Bertha Wood in Nov. 1910. With his bride, he came to Smith River where he conducted a general store with his brother for a number of years, selling to buy the Harbor store which he conducted for many years, selling to Elmer Hanscam. After disposing of his land at Harbor they moved to Santa Rosa. Surviving are, the widow: Bertha, two sisters, Julia Orthma, of Oakland and Louise Kin-

delt of Knight Landing; three brothers, Ford of Bakersfield, Norman of Vallejo, LeRoy of Fresno; several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Dec. 28, at Welti Funeral home at Santa Rosa, with a reader of Christian Science officiating. Final rites were held at Chapel of Chimes crematory at Santa Rosa.

The annual New Years Ball, held at the community hall, Saturday evening, was a grand success, with a large crowd from all parts of the county and other localities, to welcome in the new year. The hall was decorated with evergreen and three large bunches of colored balloons at the ceiling, which were let down at midnight along with noisemakers and hats to welcome in 1950. Proceeds of the dance will go toward upkeep of the community hall.

The first New Year treat to the county when residents were awakened Monday morning to

look out the window was the blanket of snow. Children of the community had a jolly time playing in the snow and making of snowmen. Tuesday a heavy frost and plenty of ice, caused water pipes to be non-operative. It was on Jan. 21, 1949 that the community also was covered with snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall and daughters, Billie and Barbara, were hosts for a dinner party at their home New Years Eve. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Slater and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rowley and two daughters, Rev. E. C. Hicks. The group enjoyed an evening of visiting until midnight, when they greeted the new year.

Mrs. James Curley and two children of Chehalis, Wash., arrived here to join Mr. Curley, who operates the C. & R. Garage. The children enrolled in the school, Tuesday. The family is building a new home and plan

to make their home here.

Mrs. Eddie Westbrook is guest of her sister, Mrs. Ada Hursch and daughter at the Variety Store, while her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Westbrook are spending the holidays with relatives at Milbrae, Calif.

LOCAL NEWS

Howard Groesbeck, with the U. S. Marine Corps, was a visitor in the area during the holidays. He is a graduate of the Brookings high school.

Dr. Doane and G. W. Milford, of Rivers End, were visitors in town, Tuesday, attending the Rotary club meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hassett and two children of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. F. T. McTimmonds, parents of Mrs. Frank Hassett, were New Years visitors at the Frank Hassett home. Mr. and Mrs. Hassett spent Christmas at Coquille, at the home of their

daughter, Mrs. Ray Olson, and family.

Warren Young, of near Portland, state Grand Master of the I. O. O. F., will be an official visitor of the local Odd Fellows, Thursday evening.

Mrs. G. P. Christenson and sister, Mrs. Stan Patterson, returned last Thursday from Paradise, Calif. where they had visited their mother for a few days following Christmas.

The Carl Berger family spent the holidays visiting relatives in and near Eugene.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank all those kind friends of Brookings and Harbor for their many acts of kindness, for their cards of sympathy and those floral pieces in our recent bereavement. They have helped so much.

Mrs. Irene McPherson,
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoops,
Mr. and Mrs. Dean McPherson.

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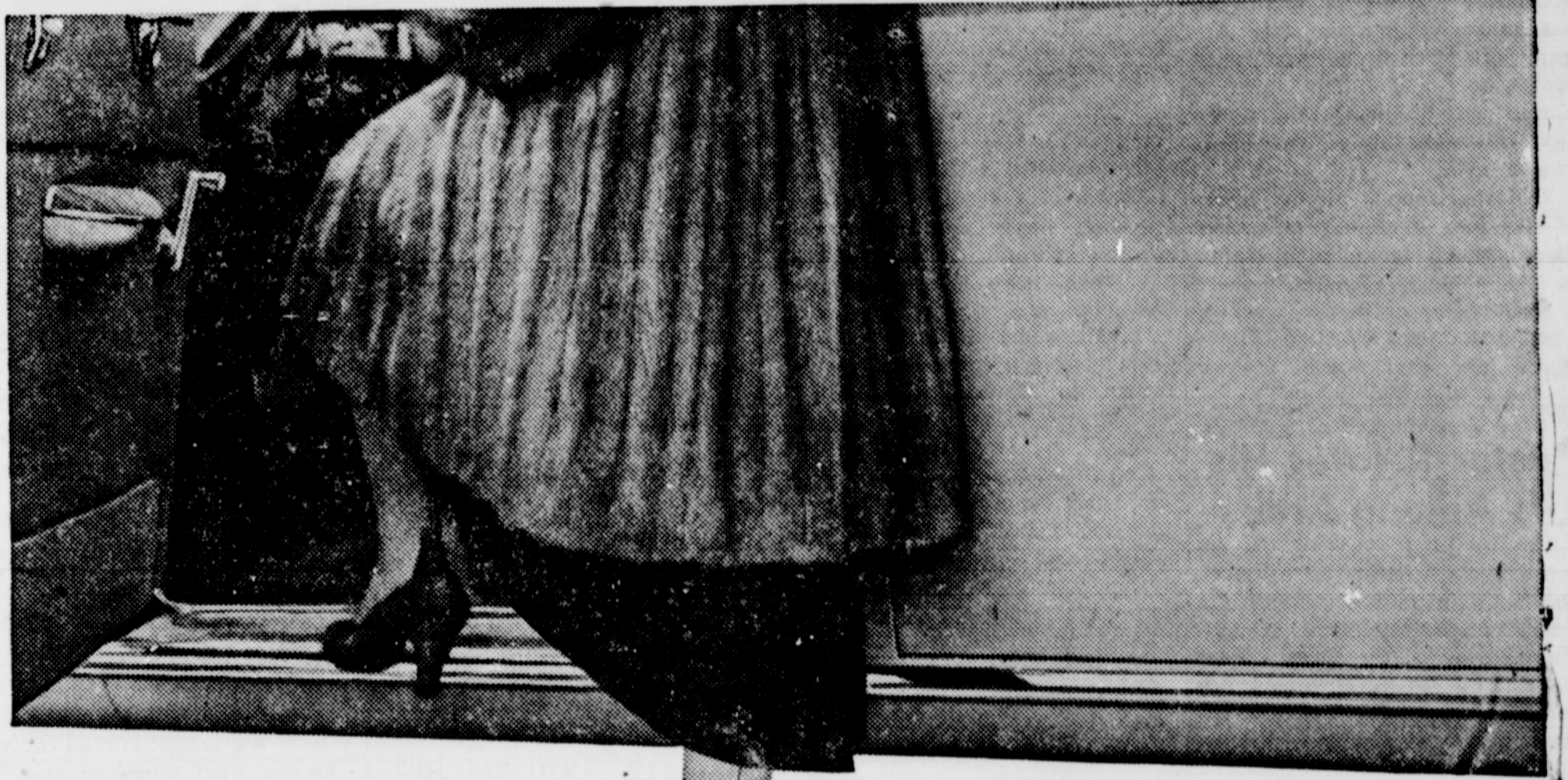
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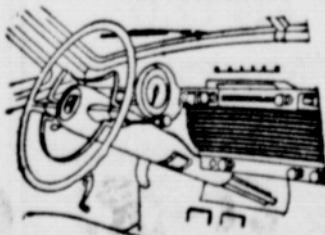
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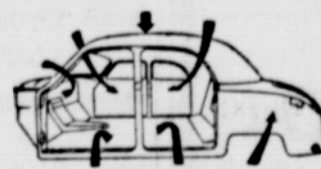
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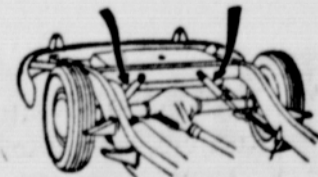
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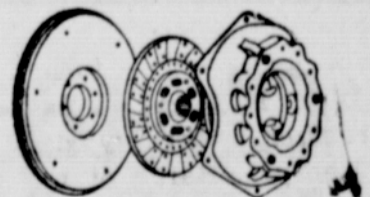
Now! Famous Tru-line steering made even sturdier, smoother, safer. To make bad-weather driving easier, windshield wiper blades have been re-designed!



Now! Noise and dust virtually sealed out by new insulation; you talk in conversational tones at any speed; arrive fresh, relaxed and clean!



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Now! New type of silent, "Velvet-action" clutch, plus re-designed gear-shift bell crank, gives the smoothest gear-shifting known!

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