

**SMITH RIVER**

*Engagement Revealed By Miss Betty Tyler*

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tyler, of Smith River, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty to Charles Gray, son of John Gray, and the late Melissa Gray of Long Beach. News of the engagement was made known when a number of friends were entertained Saturday afternoon, Dec. 29, at the Tyler home at State Line Coffee Shop. Miss Tyler is graduate of Del Norte High and Humboldt State College. She is home economics teacher at Brookings High at present.

Her fiance attended California State at San Luis Obispo. He is now employed by the California department of agriculture at the Smith River inspection station.

Refreshments were served to conclude the afternoon. The table was centered with a Happy Day Cake, with the names inscribed "Betty and Chuck". Pink Azaleas and greenery made an attractive

arrangement for the centerpiece. Guests present were Miriam Carson and Carol Lee Freeman of Harbor; Anne Smith of Brookings; Sara Mae Twigg of Palo Alto; Constance Luick of San Francisco; Frances Ward and Millicent McVay of Crescent City; Katherine Woods, Maxine Rhodus, Betty Mello, Phyllis Tedsen, Evelyn Reichlin, of Smith River, and Mrs. Pearl Tyler and Mrs. Mattie Knutson. The wedding is to be an event of June.

*Native Passes At Hospital*

Wedworth C. Penoyar, 67, died at Seaside Hospital, Jan. 4, after being taken there for treatment of a heart ailment. He was born at AuSable, Mich., Feb. 6, 1884. He has resided in Del Norte for several years, where he and his wife operated the Rivers End motel several years, on Hwy 101.

Surviving are his widow, Mary W., a daughter, Mrs. Betty Sierka, both of Smith River, a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Karatbenstein of Santa Cruz, and several grandchildren. The body was shipped

to Santa Cruz by Wier's Mortuary where services and interment are to be held.

*Federation Sets Meeting Date*

Del Norte County Federation of Womens clubs will meet Friday, January 18, at the social room at the Federated Church, Crescent City. A dessert lunch will be served at 1:30 with the Crescent City Womens Club as host. County President, Eunice Faris, will preside at the business session. Guest speaker will be Mrs. George W. Cornelius, of Southern California, state chairman of speech in the Club Federation, and highly recommended as a club speaker. All club members and friends are invited to attend.

*Smith River Notes*

Mrs. Rhoda Prock enjoyed a visit with her sister, Mrs. Kelly Welch, and family at Sixes, Ore., who motored down on New Years day and visited at the Procks.

Mrs. Lily Woodruff has returned home from Seaside hospital where she spent a week under medical treatment and observation by doctors.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Haight are the proud grandparents of their first grandson, a 9 lb. 4 oz. lad born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibbens at Redding. The young man has been named Steven Paul. Mrs. Gibbens is the former Helen May Haight, sister of Lois.

An ambulance arrived here on Friday from Pasadena to take Mrs. George Bachmann to Pasadena, for treatment after a fall several weeks ago. She was accompanied by her husband, Dr. George Bahman and nurse, Mrs. Mary Fisher.

Among Smith people who went to Brookings and enjoyed Christmas dinner at the Chetco Inn were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hursh and Mrs. Edna Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Crook were hosts to a reception at their home Thursday afternoon, honoring their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crook, who were married Dec. 21 at San Jose. A large gathering of relatives and friends were present during the afternoon and evening to extend congratulations to the newlyweds. Sandwiches, cake and coffee were served from a lace-covered table. The newlyweds received many gifts and cards.

*Power Outages Annoy*

Power outages, varying from a few minutes to hours, have been plaguing the area for the past month, causing disruptions to a number of businesses.

youth program for this area, the high school has appointed the following, as members of that committee:

- Beverly Glass, freshman.
- Deryl Hampton, sophomore.
- Patricia Hyland, junior.
- Henry Grootendorst, senior.
- Joe Moore, president of the H. S. studentbody.

The first committee meeting was held Wednesday night, at which time diffent ones were delegated to draw up by-laws, plans, and other factors working for the success of the movement.

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icing conditions, together with "tree trouble" in Smith River canyon, toward Grants Pass, are given as reasons for the outages.

**SCHOOL NOTES**

Langlois High will be here for two games of basketball, Friday evening at 7:30. There will be no volleyball game. Little can be learned about the strength of the visitors, but they have always been known to put up a good game regardless of their team strength.

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