

# JENNINGS LODGE

MRS. HUGH ROBERTS, Correspondent.

## Pupils Will Stage Tom Thumb Wedding

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—Fifty pupils from the Jennings Lodge school will go to Portland Tuesday, December 27th, for the purpose of staging the Tom Thumb wedding and Christmas Carols at an entertainment to be given at the Masonic Temple under the auspices of Ivanhoe Lodge Knights of Pythias. This is the fourth time the Tom Thumb wedding has been staged by the Jennings Lodge pupils. It was first given at the graduation exercises last June. Later it was repeated at the Gladstone Chauvauna and at an entertainment given by the Oregon City Lodge Knights of Pythias. The pupils are trained by their teacher, Mrs. Florence Morse, and have made a decided hit at each appearance.

## Xmas Party Planned By Lodge Families

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—One of the pleasant Christmas parties will be made up of Hugh Roberts and family, A. L. Roberts and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Maple, and George E. Morse who will leave Christmas morning for Woodburn, where they will spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Theron Finch and family. With the exception of Mr. Morse they will return home Sunday evening. Mr. Morse will go direct from Woodburn to Scio where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

## Glen DeVenish Is Painfully Injured

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—Glen DeVenish while engaged at his work with the Hawthorne Dock Company last Thursday met with a painful accident when he was stuck in the eye by a quantity of carbolicum. After being treated by a specialist he was able to return to his work the following day.

## Services Held For Mrs. John Jennings

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—Funeral services for the late Mrs. John F. Jennings were held last Friday conducted by Rev. A. B. Snider, pastor of the Jennings Lodge Community church. Final services were at the Sellwood crematorium. Mrs. Moritz and Mrs. Dan Jones sang with Mrs. H. F. Hendry as accompanist.

## J. C. Maple Hurt at Brooklyn Car Shops

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—J. C. Maple met with an accident at the Brooklyn car shops last Friday, his hand being injured in such a manner as to prevent him from attending to his work for several days.

### COMMUNITY CLUB MEETS

JENNINGS LODGE, Dec. 20.—The Community club held their regular monthly social meeting at the school house Wednesday evening, with a good attendance. "500" was a feature of the evening's entertainment. Refreshments were served.

### JENNINGS LODGE LOCALS

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# OSWEGO ITEMS

Mrs. Cora Bullock

## Reorganization Is Planned by Club

OSWEGO, Dec. 20.—The Oswego Hydro-Electric Club voted to reorganize itself into a community club at its meeting held last Wednesday night. Declaring the office of president vacant, a committee be appointed to amend the by-laws and indorsed a movement to provide Christmas cheer to two or three needy families. Vice-president Frank Huffman presided over the meeting, which was one of the largest that the club has ever held. They expect to get a lot more of Oswegonians to take interest in the meetings, and help to organize a large club here.

## Campfire Girls to Spread Xmas Cheer

OSWEGO, Dec. 19.—The Camp Fire Girls are planning Christmas surprises in the way of baskets of nice things which will be presented to those who would otherwise have to forego a celebration this year.

### STAGE STUCK IN SNOW

OSWEGO, Dec. 20.—Sunday the Portland Salem stages were held up on Elk Rock hill on account of the snow for several hours but after a short time were able to get up over the hill on their way to Salem.

### OSWEGO LOCALS

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## Oregon City Visited By Circle Members

OSWEGO, Dec. 19.—Vesper Circle No. 363 visited Solo Circle of Oregon City on Friday evening and were entertained with a very nice program and a nice lunch, also all the candy and nuts they could eat. Those who went from Oswego were Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and daughter Aida, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. George Bullock, Mrs. Anna Conway, and son Harold, Mrs. T. R. Clinefelter, Mrs. Ella Davidson, Mrs. Arthur Davidson, Mrs. Ida Worthington, Mrs. Mildred Roley, Mrs. Louisa Kempin, Mrs. Tate. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

## Plan for New Bank At Oswego Endorsed

OSWEGO, Ore., Dec. 15.—Businessmen of Oswego, in a mass meeting last night, accepted the credentials of Thor Fagstad, and agreed with him to support a bank here. The institution will open with a capital stock of \$25,000 and with a \$5000 working surplus. Quarters in one of the business blocks will be leased at first, and then a modern concrete bank building will be erected. A movement is also gaining impetus to incorporate the three communities of Oswego, Old Town and South Town under one charter as Oswego.

## Janette Duncan Honored at Party

OSWEGO, Dec. 20.—Janette Duncan was the honor guest Sunday at a surprise party, which her mother was hostess. The event was in honor of her birthday. Those who attended were Marie Johnson, Cella and Marjorie Duncan, Marion Weidman, Pat Neer, Mamie Battersby and Niza Merrick.

## Oswego Bride to Live in Seattle

OSWEGO, Dec. 20.—Miss Esther Erickson, another one of Oswego's most popular girls and an O. A. C. student was married to W. W. Potter Tuesday in Portland and left for British Columbia on their honeymoon. They expect to make their home in Seattle where Mr. Potter's work is for the present.

### BANK IS ENDORSED

OSWEGO, Dec. 23.—Oswego businessmen have given their endorsement to a bank which it is expected will be started in this town about the first of the year. Men said to be affiliated with the State Bank of Portland are behind the new institution.

# SANDY DEPARTMENT

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## Leading Questions Taken Up By Club

SANDY, Dec. 17.—A rousing community club meeting was held at the Odd Fellow's hall last night with C. O. Duke, president, in the chair. Reports from various committees were read but no definite action was taken, as investigations were not complete. The club voted to affiliate with the state organization which, it was stated, will prove beneficial to the club in many ways. The question of honorary membership brought forth much discussion and it was decided to admit them on the same terms as active members.

Hal E. Hoss and Jas. B. Johnson of the Oregon City Enterprise were present and presented a plan for a whole Sandy page in the Weekly Enterprise, which plan was referred to the newspaper committee.

A. L. Mattingly was a prominent speaker of the evening and through his presentation of the subject a resolution was adopted against the proposed Woodward school bill.

Harry Dodson and others discussed the need of a city water plant in Sandy, and this was named as one of the "big things of the town to handle."

The refusal of Multnomah County to make good its pledge, and other live questions were talked over. The Sandy quartet sang a "home made song" which urged all to stand together and work for our own home own. The next meeting will be the third Thursday in January which will also be the annual election date.

## Living Conditions In Germany Hard

SANDY, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Carl Wendland of Sandy received a few pieces of chocolate colored porcelain money last week from Dresden, Germany. This money is used by the people for their own exchange, as the gold and silver is applied on the war debts to France and England. An American dollar is almost a "fortune" in that country, and many Americans are flocking there to "live high" as the same expenditure here would not be a half living with American prices.

Mrs. Wendland's sister writes that "conditions are worse than during the war because of small crops and the war tax. The poor people are living mostly on potatoes. There is enough of other foods, but the prices are so high they cannot buy. The Ebert regime is not popular except with the official and moneyed classes. The officials fill their own pockets, caring little for the needs of the people."

"Bolshevism is getting hold, and it seems impossible that such conditions could exist especially when Germany was not invaded."

Conditions in the farming sections are fairly good, but the farmers hold the prices up, as was shown by Mrs. Wendland's sister who went out into the country to buy potatoes, and the farmer laughed in her face because she could not pay the exorbitant price, and went home in tears the day she mailed her letter.

A nephew of John Buccobitz who arrived at Brightwood recently from

Germany tells the same story of suffering. He said this situation is so desperate that starving people would sometimes stop women on the street and strip off their clothing and of they they were shot. The condition is growing worst all the time is the report.

## Ladies Aid Gives Supper and Bazaar

SANDY, Dec. 18.—There was a big time at the Pleasant Home Methodist church Friday night when the Ladies' Aid, which is a prosperous adjunct of that church, gave a supper, bazaar and program, proceeds of which are to be applied on the improvement of the church property. A splendid chicken supper was served from 5 to 8 o'clock in a very "homey" manner. Booths were arranged along one side of the church for sale, most of which was needwork. After the big crowd was fed a program was given under the direction of Mrs. Alta Gentry as follows: Instrumental music, Fred Radford and Clarence Browning; Solo, Carl Alder of Gresham, Reading, Anna Lenaartz; Song, Sandy quartet; Instrumental music, Radford and Browning; Duet, Mrs. J. M. C. Miller and Mrs. R. E. Esson of Sandy, Reading, Ms. Carl Alder; Song, Sandy quartet; Reading, Mrs. Alder. The entire affair was under the direction of Mrs. Martin Lenaartz who is the president of the Ladies' Aid, and who was ably assisted by other members and friends of the church. Miss Elsie Lippold accompanied for the Sandy quartet.

## Sandy Country Is Hit by Blizzard

SANDY, Dec. 20.—A young blizzard has been raging here the past three days. Sunday morning dawned with about five inches of snow covering the section of the country, and the East wind then picked up it's ears and began to blow.

From Government Camp to Gresham it has not ceased for a moment, in fact blew harder last night than before, and at noon today there is no moderation in velocity or temperature. At Government Camp yesterday it was 12 degrees above zero, 16 below freezing at Zig Zag and 12 below freezing at Sandy, and the thermometer here has varied little in the past twenty-four hours. The flying snow fills the air and the wind sweeps it away. The question was asked Cottrell this morning where is the snow all going, and the reply was "to Troutdale." Two years ago at this time there was more snow and the temperature as low, but there was no wind. The continued blizzard makes it difficult to keep the homes warm, and is very uncomfortable for those who have to be out.

## Officers Elected At Grange Meeting

SANDY, Dec. 18.—The following officers were elected at the annual grange meeting here yesterday: Master, J. G. DeShazer; Overseer, Louis Gherke; Lecturer, Mrs. J. M. C. Miller; Steward, Will Bell; Assistant steward, Thomas Hagan; Chaplain, Mrs. Will Bell; Treasurer, A. L. Morrison; Secretary, James Bell; Gate keeper, R. A. Chown; Ceres, Mrs. Emma Hagan; Pomona, Mrs. E. D. Ladd; Flora, Mrs. J. G. DeShazer; Lady Assistant steward, Caroline Chown.

A Christmas tree was prepared by members of the order, also a box of presents for everyone to "draw," brought the Xmas spirit into the meeting, and an unusually fine dinner was an enjoyable feature. Recitations were given by Ellsworth Bell, Alta and Florence DeShazer and Dualta Strack.

## Club Will Study History of State

SANDY, Dec. 19.—The Women's club changed it's last meeting to the home of the president, Mrs. Shelley and the following ladies were present: Mrs. Shelley, Mrs. Ruth Reed, Mrs. Myra Hoernicke, Mrs. A. W. Bell, Mrs. R. C. Shipley, Mrs. R. S. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Duke, Mrs. R. E. Esson, Mrs. George Beers, Mrs. Sadie Bosholm, Miss Lulu Eddy and Mrs. F. D. Eason.

After the business meeting was concluded, during which hour the standing committees were appointed, songs were sung and a social hour enjoyed. The club expects to begin the study of Oregon history with a splendidly arranged program at it's next meeting. This study promises much for the educational phase of the club's work.

## Action on Funds Of Loop Opposed

SANDY, Dec. 18.—One of the resolutions adopted by the Sandy community club at its last meeting was its following: "Resolved that members of the Sandy Community club in open meeting do energetically disapprove of the action of the Tax Payer's Conservation committee in repudiating Multnomah County's agreement with the state highway commission and Clackamas County Court in financing the Mt. Hood Loop Highway."

The club also went on record as being unanimously opposed to W. F. Woodard's "measure" to allow any legal voter, whether a taxpayer or not to vote on school questions.

## Visitors Attend Meeting at Lodge

SANDY, Dec. 19.—Sandy Lodge No. 155 A. F. and A. M. had a big meeting Friday night which was attended by about 40 visitors from Hood River, Portland, Gresham, The Dalles, Eugene, Tacoma, Oregon City and one guest was from New York City. Three candidates were initiated a big "feed" was served and the splendid session was enjoyed by all.

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Tony Pallo and his two friends left for Portland last week after the rock crusher work was put in the hands of a new contractor. Tony hated to leave town as he "had been treated fine" here. He left a voluntary contribution for our community Xmas tree.

Miss Lulu Eddy belongs to a good sized teacher's training class in the Pleasant Home M. E. Sunday school.

Mrs. W. F. Strack says the recent rain storm brought Cedar creek up to the highest mark since she has lived there. The water was a veritable flood and took out whole trees, moved immense boulders, took out stumps washed out the dam and moved the falls. There is a pile of debris over thirty feet high left. The high water came very nearly taking out the Strack sawmill and would have done so but for work that changed the course of the water.

"Happy" Hauglum went to Pleasant valley a few days ago and brought out two heads of cattle for Mr. Shumway. Jimmy Hoyt of Portland has been visiting with Happy for a week.

Jerry Duke has made himself very useful during the cold snap, doing errands for the neighbors and helping here and there and yonder.

Charles Krebs has been at work on the new road already. He was working east of Lohrman's place when the snow came on.

While looking at the full moon early one morning last week little Donald Smith said to his father, "Daddy, I see Jesus up in the moon."

Considerable objection is made in this section to Clackamas county going back into the large road districts and doing away with the smaller districts.

It was so cold Sunday night that the Community song program was not very well attended and the church cooled off so fast that the audience was dismissed before the program was finished.

Mrs. Alma Maroney entertained Mrs. Thomas Hagan from Saturday till Monday.

Mrs. Maroney also entertained Mrs. Katie Wolfe at dinner one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and daughter "Ethel of Mound City, South Dakota, visited at the John Maroney home two days during the week. Mr. Davis is a nephew of John and George Maroney and Marshall Davis of Sandy, and formerly lived at Albany, but went east several years ago to take the editorship of the Mound City Monitor, which paper he is still editing, but has a leave of absence for a year which he expects to spend in Oregon visiting. The Davises went to Albany where they will stay with relatives.

Sandy was pleased to have Hal E. Hoss, editor an manager of the Oregon City Enterprise and Jas. B. Johnson, editor of the Weekly Enterprise. These gentlemen attended the Community club meeting and their presence and talks were appreciated.

### SANDY SCHOOL

SANDY, Dec. 20.—Miss Jennie Ten Eyck came home from the Oregon "U" last week to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Burch of the Pull Run school had a little Xmas tree and program for the school children last Tuesday. Each child drew a present and all were happy.

There were only eleven pupils in Mrs. Malar's room, and ten in Mrs. Connor's room last Monday on account of the cold and snow. Only one of the high school students was absent.

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Tony Pallo and his two friends left for Portland last week after the rock crusher work was put in the hands of a new contractor. Tony hated to leave town as he "had been treated fine" here. He left a voluntary contribution for our community Xmas tree.

Miss Lulu Eddy belongs to a good sized teacher's training class in the Pleasant Home M. E. Sunday school.

Mrs. W. F. Strack says the recent rain storm brought Cedar creek up to the highest mark since she has lived there. The water was a veritable flood and took out whole trees, moved immense boulders, took out stumps washed out the dam and moved the falls. There is a pile of debris over thirty feet high left. The high water came very nearly taking out the Strack sawmill and would have done so but for work that changed the course of the water.

"Happy" Hauglum went to Pleasant valley a few days ago and brought out two heads of cattle for Mr. Shumway. Jimmy Hoyt of Portland has been visiting with Happy for a week.

Jerry Duke has made himself very useful during the cold snap, doing errands for the neighbors and helping here and there and yonder.

Charles Krebs has been at work on the new road already. He was working east of Lohrman's place when the snow came on.

While looking at the full moon early one morning last week little Donald Smith said to his father, "Daddy, I see Jesus up in the moon."

Considerable objection is made in this section to Clackamas county going back into the large road districts and doing away with the smaller districts.

It was so cold Sunday night that the Community song program was not very well attended and the church cooled off so fast that the audience was dismissed before the program was finished.

Mrs. Alma Maroney entertained Mrs. Thomas Hagan from Saturday till Monday.

Mrs. Maroney also entertained Mrs. Katie Wolfe at dinner one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and daughter "Ethel of Mound City, South Dakota, visited at the John Maroney home two days during the week. Mr. Davis is a nephew of John and George Maroney and Marshall Davis of Sandy, and formerly lived at Albany, but went east several years ago to take the editorship of the Mound City Monitor, which paper he is still editing, but has a leave of absence for a year which he expects to spend in Oregon visiting. The Davises went to Albany where they will stay with relatives.

Sandy was pleased to have Hal E. Hoss, editor an manager of the Oregon City Enterprise and Jas. B. Johnson, editor of the Weekly Enterprise. These gentlemen attended the Community club meeting and their presence and talks were appreciated.