

LINCOLN STUDENTS GIVE BIG PARTY

February Graduating Class Honored by June, 1914, Schoolmates.

CHRISTMAS JOY REIGNS

Mrs. R. A. Letter and Mrs. Ellis Lazell Hostesses-to-Be at Large Bridge Tea for Mrs. George N. Davis When 10 Tables Set.

The June, '14, class of Lincoln High School gave an informal Christmas party in honor of the members of the February, '14, class.

One of the prettiest dinner tables at the Multnomah Hotel Monday evening was presided over by Jordan Zan, who entertained informally.

This afternoon the attention of society will be diverted from Christmas preparation for a few hours when the Dancers at the Hotel Multnomah will be the attraction.

Oskar Huber and two daughters, the Misses Dorothy and Winnifred, will leave Friday for a trip of several weeks in the East.

A wedding of interest which was solemnized at high noon Monday at Vancouver, Wash., in that of Earl J. O'Brien and Miss Helen Loretta O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sehnke are being felicitated upon the arrival of a baby daughter, born Sunday.

SUIT AGAINST 'PASTOR'

STATE ASKS THE DISSOLUTION OF UNITED CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE.

Charge Is Organization, Headed by St. D. Martin and Wife, Alms to Defraud Oregon People.

Suit to dissolve the United Christian Conference of the Church of Christ, of which St. D. Martin and his wife, Mrs. Mary M. Martin, are directors, was filed yesterday by Attorney-General Clegg.

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Several little girls contributed \$10 toward paying off the debt of \$40 which still remains and threatens to cause the loss of the home of a woman who must support a family and care for a paralyzed husband.

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CHRISTMAS SPIRIT UNEQUALLED HERE

Contributions to Fund of Associated Charities and The Oregonian Total \$3220.

RUSH TO HELP POOR IS ON

One Man Donates 50 Pairs of Shoes and "Minute Men" Squad Form Junior Government Keeps Busy Aiding Organization.

People of Portland have outdone themselves this Christmas in the generosity with which they have remembered the poor.

With contributions amounting to \$3220 reported last night, the Christmas relief fund raised by the Associated Charities and The Oregonian, has surpassed any fund ever before sought by a charitable organization for relief work in Portland.

More than \$400 in cash was received yesterday, besides innumerable contributions of goods and supplies and cash calls from individuals who desired to take full charge of one or more of the cases which the Associated Charities has on its list this year.

Secretary W. R. Manning last night said that he believes the fund for relief Christmas week and during the winter months will reach at least \$3500 with the closing of the campaign tonight.

Shoes Are Donated. Among the larger contributions of goods sent in yesterday was a pledge for 50 pairs of shoes by A. Aronson.

During the week at campaign last summer Mr. Aronson donated 20 pairs of shoes to the children.

In a letter to Mr. Manning accompanying the pledge yesterday, Mr. Aronson said:

"Being but a grown up boy myself, and appreciating how hard it is to follow in the footsteps of a father, I authorize you to give 50 pairs of shoes, to poor boys of Portland in need of them."

"My good friends and neighbors, the Rosenthal Shoe Company, on Tenth street, between Washington and Alder, have consented to furnish the shoes at actual cost to them, and fit them on the boys."

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Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes entries like 'Previously acknowledged \$284.24', 'A. J. McComb 5.00', 'Portland Dairy Association 5.00', etc.

Majestic THEATER. Presents the Famous Player, TOMAS W. ROSS. In the Great Racing Play "Checkers". In Six Great Parts—250 Thrilling Scenes. Produced under the direction of Augustus Thomas. "Checkers," as a book and play, has delighted HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS. As a moving-picture play, it is bringing delight to MILLIONS. Thursday and Friday, Dec. 24, 25, 26. DOORS OPEN 11:30 A. M. COMING "THE THIRD DEGREE". The Great Detective Drama, in Five Parts. One Week Beginning Next Sunday, December 28.

Fernwood School, in charge of Miss A. M. Ryan, gave the play, "Santa Claus, Junior," using the library-room adjoining the auditorium. All the scenery and fixtures used at the Fernwood School when this play was given first were used yesterday.

non-suit in the case of H. M. Terry vs. Clackamas County, brought here on a change of venue. Terry was driving an automobile along the Milwaukie road, in Clackamas County, one night last summer, and in rounding a curve leading to a bridge, ditched his machine. He alleged personal injuries, for which he had asked damages, and also asked for the damages to the car, the total amount sued for being \$124.10. The costs were assessed against Terry.

FIRST DAY'S WORK FATAL. Man Dies Trying to Earn Money to Give Wife Merry Christmas. George Wilson, 60 years old, is dead after his first day at his new job. His widow is destitute. Wilson is thought to have worked too hard after a long period of idleness. He wanted to be able to give his wife a merry Christmas.



There Is No Better Light For The Home

than the soft mellow glow of a good oil lamp. Scientists indorse it; common sense recommends it. The

Rayo Lamp. How to Make the Best Cough Remedy at Home. A Family Supply at Small Cost, and Fully Guaranteed. Make a plain syrup by mixing one pint of granulated sugar and 2 1/2 pints of warm water and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of pure Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and fill it up with the Sugar Syrup. This gives you a family supply of the best cough syrup at a saving of \$2. It never spoils. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Clackamas Case Ends in Non-Suit. HILLSBORO, Or., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—Judge Campbell yesterday granted a

Widow Is Destitute. Case 51—A widow in a destitute condition cannot provide any Christmas cheer for her three small children. A Christmas basket and some toys for the children are needed.

Case 52—Two children, a girl 11 and a boy 9. The mother a widow. A Christmas basket and toys and gifts which the mother is not able to provide would make Christmas cheerful for them.

Case 53—A widow with two children, one 5 and one 4 years old. Unable to provide Christmas cheer for her little ones, asks that a basket and some toys for them be provided.

Case 54—A family in a serious state of destitution. Three children too young to help earn the livelihood. The mother is unable to provide Christmas cheer for them.

Case 55—A Christmas dinner for her four children is asked by a widow. The children would be acceptable. There are two boys, 13 and 8 years old, and two girls, 11 and 14.

KLICKITAT SNOW FALLING. Valley's Farmers Welcome Protection to Fall Wheat.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—Snow that has been looked for by the farmers of the Klickitat Valley for the last month fell here to a depth of six inches. The snow storm was preceded by a sudden cold wave Saturday and Sunday, accompanied by a strong east wind. It is still snowing heavily.

While the snowfall in the Simcoe Mountains was unusually heavy during November and December, this is the first heavy snowfall in the valley, and is a fine thing for the protection of Fall wheat. Many wheatgrowers were becoming impatient as it was feared that freezing weather without snow would injure materially the crop prospects. Weather conditions for winter wheat have been excellent so far.

CHILDREN MADE HAPPY. 250 Have Christmas Tree at Peninsula Park Building.

More than 250 boys and girls had a beautiful Christmas tree and had an entertainment yesterday afternoon in the recreation building of Peninsula Park, through the efforts of officers and members of the North Portland Women's Auxiliary. The tree was placed in the auditorium between the two gymnasiums. It lacked nothing to make it attractive and was illuminated with electric lights.

C. C. Lawrence, Mrs. J. H. Nolta and Mrs. J. W. Cook were in charge and delivered the presents and bags of candy to the delighted children.

In connection with the tree the sixth and seventh-grade children from the

Somebody Is Going to Win Some Mighty Easy Money

Maybe you've been so busy with Christmas shopping that you haven't had time to enter the contest—

But there's lots of time yet. The contest doesn't close until January 1, 1914, and the one who enters the last day is just as apt to win as the first entry.

Get your chart today—they're to be had FREE of charge at the principal office building, cigar stores and also at Sig Sichel's and J. R. Smith's cigar stores or phone, write or call at our salesrooms, Broadway and Burnside.

Better Get Busy—Contest Closes January 15

H. L. Keats Auto Co.