

## Flood Victims' Benefit Party on February 26

(By Miss Margaret Mathiesen)  
MOUNTAINDALE—Mrs. James Mathiesen will be hostess with a benefit "300" party for the flood victims of her home on the afternoon of February 26. The money raised will be donated for the flood relief in the eastern states. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Connolly of Willamina spent the last week-end visiting relatives here. They were unable to go home until Tuesday due to the heavy snowfall.

**Officer Visits**  
Mrs. Ella Roper of Grants Pass, who is grand chief of the Pythian Sisters of Oregon, was a guest Friday and Saturday of Mrs. Loel Hollenbeck. She made her official visit to Friendship Temple at North Plains Friday night.

**School Closed Week**  
Harrison grade school started again Monday after being closed for the past week due to the snow.

**Meacham School Still Closed**  
Meacham grade school was unable to start Monday as there was still ten inches of snow on the ground there.

**Big Snow Delays Mail Deliveries**  
(By Mable B. Allison)  
MOUNTAIN HOME—The big snow of last week prevented mail from reaching this vicinity for the first three days of the week. On Thursday the News carrier made most of his route by frequent use of a shovel and with assistance from some of the patrons along the way. He went on and to Scholls, and up the mountain on the west road, to reach those living on the western end of the mountain.

Farmers here worked with four-horse teams on Wednesday and Thursday to open the roads, with home-made snow plows. Snow here Monday is still more than a foot deep.

**School Closed Week**  
Mountain Home school was closed all of last week, but resumed activity on Monday.

**Program February 19**  
Gibbs Community club is sponsoring a program to be given February 19. Important features will be two plays, "Corn-Fed Babies" and "Kidnaping Betty." This is the program formerly scheduled for February 5, but was postponed due to the weather conditions.

**Teacher Unable to Return**  
Gibbs school was closed most of last week as the teacher, Miss Eileen True, went to Portland and

## Beaverton Schools Closed for Week

BEAVERTON—Beaverton schools were closed the past week owing to the storm but opened again Monday.

Bus service here was badly crippled Monday but the machine was able to push through the snow Tuesday. The majority of Beaverton people employed in Portland were unable to reach their places of business Monday.

**Former Resident Dies**  
August Olson, husband of Grace Hall Olson, died in Portland recently. Mrs. Olson, formerly of this vicinity, is a sister of Mrs. Nellie Jamieson.

**Ladies' Aid and Missionary class** of the Congregational church met Thursday in the church. A pot luck dinner was served at noon with eighteen ladies present. This was the first meeting held this year owing to weather and illness.

**W. C. McKell** is again confined to his home suffering with eye trouble. Lester Davis is carrying the mail on Mr. McKell's route.

**T. B. Denney** has been confined to his home the past few weeks with an attack of lumbago.

**Samuel B. Lawrence** has been quite ill for the past several weeks.

**VICTOR B. RAYMOND**  
Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Pezz chapel in Beaverton for Victor B. Raymond, 79, who died Friday in his home there. Burial was in Greenwood cemetery. His widow, Mabel, survives.

was unable to get back through the snow.

**Party Postponed**  
The Double-Trees party, scheduled for this Friday evening, has been postponed until the second Friday evening in March.

County equipment worked on the roads in this district the latter part of last week. The snow was too heavy to move with the snow plows the first of the week.

**Afternoon church services** instead of evening services are being continued for a time at the Mountain Home church.

**Mrs. Bryan Dies**  
Mrs. Rosa M. Bryan, former resident of Mountain Home, died at her home in Eugene February 5 of pneumonia. Funeral services were held Monday in the Evangelical church at LaFayette cemetery, with interment in LaFayette cemetery.

Miss Betty Williams of Portland was a week-end guest of Miss Helen Schmeitler. The girls are roommates at Pacific college.

Miss Patricia Ego returned from Dallas Saturday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Rosenbalm. Mr. and Mrs. Rosenbalm spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson.

## Civic Club at Cornelius Will Present a Play

(By Dorothy Cooke)  
CORNELIUS—Civic club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Olanie. Rehearsals have begun on a play to be given Saturday evening, February 20, in the school auditorium. Mrs. Otto Osborne is directing the play and J. W. Peabody is directing a play to be given at the same program by a group of men. Proceeds will go for a stage curtain for the auditorium.

**Birthday Celebrated**  
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Engelen were host and hostess at a dinner party at their home Saturday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Dale Engelen of Hillsboro.

Robert Thompson and son Raymond were visitors in Canby on Saturday and Sunday.

Emil Bolin of Ukiah is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whiting.

Mrs. Henry Rithaler spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Archie Handewith of Portland, during the week.

**Resumes Postal Work**  
Mrs. Daniel Barrett resumed her duties Saturday as assistant in the post office following a serious illness of six weeks.

**School Closed Week**  
The local grade school, closed all last week due to the heavy snow and bad weather, opened Monday. Several resident teachers, teaching in outlying schools, also went back to their duties Monday as did local high school students attending both Forest Grove and Hillsboro high schools.

Miss Helen Allen of Orcharddale was a guest of Miss Geneva Shay last week-end.

**Snow Causes Barn at Orcharddale to Collapse**  
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