

Society News and Club Affairs

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Golden Wedding Surprise Party Inspiration

A joyful surprise party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hedda Swart in honor of the golden wedding anniversary of Mrs. Swart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Brown accompanied by their son, Bert Brown and family of Des Moines, Iowa, who came for the sole purpose of surprising his parents on this occasion, were invited to spend the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Minto. When all the invited guests had arrived at the home of Mrs. Swart; she telephoned for her parents to return. When they arrived, they were greeted with songs celebrating their golden wedding.

A mock marriage took place in which Beverly Swart took the part of the bride, and Ruthie Brown that of the bride groom; while little Bobby Brown, as ring-bearer carried the ring on a small heart shaped pillow. The tiny Misses Velma Swart and Mildred Brown, very gracefully carried the bride's train. All taking part in this mock marriage were grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Brown. Mr. Bert Brown very ably took the part of the parson. After this ceremony an interesting program of songs and music was enjoyed by all.

After the program, the bride and groom Mr. and Mrs. Brown led the way to the dining room, where was arranged a long dainty table, on which were scattered many golden hearts, hanging from the chandelier to the corners of the table. The table was lit with gold colored candles in golden candlesticks. A bride's cake and also one for the groom, adorned either end of the long table.

Many beautiful gifts were received; also many golden anniversary cards and letters from friends in the east. After refreshments were served at a late hour the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Brown many more years of happy wedded life.

Those invited were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown and daughters of Des Moines, Iowa. Miss Annice Crossland, of Seattle, Wash., Mr. E. W. Purvine, Mrs. Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Minto, Jack Minto, Mrs. Belle Tompkins, Dr. Max A. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Moon, Miss Beverly Swart, Velma Swart, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moon, of Portland, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Hedda Swart.

Miss Gene Belle of Portland, will be the house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Belle, for over the holidays.

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Mrs. Roy Keene, who with her husband and wee daughter Madeline Glee, is spending the Christmas vacation in Southern California. Mr. Keene is coach at Willamette university.

Silverton Wedding Creates Much Interest

SILVERTON — The announcement of the approaching wedding of Miss Frances Lyne, the daughter of Henry Lyne, formerly of British Columbia, but now making his home at St. Helens, Oregon, to Theodore Hobart, the youngest son of Mr. A. F. Hobart of Silverton, is of great interest. The wedding, which is to be a church affair at Vancouver, British Columbia, has been set for sometime in February. Following the wedding the young people will make their home at Silverton.

Mr. Hobart was graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1927, receiving at that time both her Bachelor of Arts and her nurse's degree. Since her graduation she has been employed as health nurse at schools in Kootenai, British Columbia.

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ST. PAUL — Sunday evening the third card party of the series of six, that are to be given, was held in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Mrs. Laurence Banning won ladies first prize, Mrs. C. S. Mullen, second prize and Mrs. Caroline McKay consolation. The men's first prize was won by Mr. Kirkwood, second prize by S. J. Merrett and consolation by Harry McKay. Marie Kirsh also won a prize. There were 20 tables of five hundred and three tables of bridge. The first prizes in bridge were won by Mrs. Irene McKillip and Harold Davidson, consolation by Mrs. Marie Connor and Charles Gooding.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Miller Friday. The young man has been named Charles Everett. Mr. and Mrs. Miller reside at 1010 North Cottage street.

Salem Heights Folk Entertain

A delightful surprise was given Mrs. Cecile Wiegand, principal of the Salem Heights school Saturday evening, at the home of Mrs. Fisher. The students of the seventh and eighth grades presented Mrs. Wiegand with many nice Christmas gifts.

The evening was spent playing games and in singing.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Booth and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Charles Ratcliff, Irene Fisher, Neal Fisher, Harold and Glendon La Duke, Audrey La Duke, Thomas La Duke, Jack Bohannon, Daniel Williams, Lee May, Frederic Thelisen, Hazel Bedient, James Riffe, Marjorie Pruitt, Lorene Pruitt, Irma Robare, Billy McReynolds, Doris Battles, Elizabeth Casebeer, Erika Ohm, Harold Monroe.

Miss Edith Hazard and her father, E. W. Hazard have returned from a short visit in Seattle. They will have as guests at their home over Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sawyer, Mrs. Hazard and daughters Mary Elsie and Katherine all of Seattle.



The Merry Christmas, with its generous boards, Its fire-lit hearths, and gifts and blazing trees, Its pleasant voices uttering gentle words, Its genial mirth, attuned to sweet accords, Its holiest memories! — The fairest season of the passing year — The merry, merry Christmas time is here. — George Arnold

G. T. Club Is Roberts Guest

ROBERTS — The Christmas party held by the G. T. club members Thursday at the home of Mrs. George Higgins was a jolly event.

The rooms were decorated with Christmas greens and a miniature trimmed tree centered the table. A turkey dinner was served at one o'clock by Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. J. P. Bressler.

In the afternoon gifts for each member was taken from a decorated tree in the living room. Those present were:

Mrs. Alice Coolidge, Mrs. C. D. Query, Mrs. E. C. Davenport, Mrs. John Orsborn, Mrs. Bud Stutesman, Mrs. William Meier, Mrs. W. P. Kugel, Mrs. W. V. Johnson, Mrs. C. W. Brown, Mrs. George Higgins, Mrs. Forest Edwards, Mrs. L. F. Clymer, Mrs. B. D. Fidler, Mrs. Flora Holley, Mrs. W. C. Pettyjohn, and Mrs. H. B. Carpenter, who will have the club January 16 with Mrs. C. W. Brown assisting.

Alberts Celebrate At Santiam

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Albert will celebrate Christmas with a big family party in their cabin on the Santiam. They will leave in the morning for the cabin and will not return until late Wednesday night.

Guests for this party will be Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Krause and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sigel and daughter Suzanne, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith, of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Eoff, Mrs. J. C. Griffith, Miss Josephine Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McClure and Bruce Spaulding.

SILVERTON, Dec. 23.—Miss Althea Meyers was hostess at an interesting little party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Meyers, Sunday evening in honor of her brother's, Ludwig's, birthday. A Christmas tree and games and music were enjoyed during the early part of the evening and later a delightful supper was served in the dining room where the Christmas decorations were also carried out. A tiny Christmas tree formed the centerpiece and on each side of this were tall red tapers. Little place cards and favors in the Christmas colors further carried out the Christmas motif.

Those attending were Inez Lee, Cora Goplerud, Francis Nelson, Martha and Helen Thompson, Esther Borvick, Ludwig Meyer, Richard Holm, Clifford Klund, Merl and Iri Grace, Arnold Thompson and Harbo Thompson.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday
All day meeting of the Woman's Relief corps, Fairgrounds, sewing and a pot-luck dinner at noon will be enjoyed.
Friday
Last meeting of the year for the Daughters of Veterans, at Woman's clubhouse, 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Lilburn Is Hostess

One of the jolly studio parties of the Christmas season was that for which Mrs. Frank Lilburn was hostess at her kindergarten studio Monday morning, in compliance to 35 of her young students.

A clever program of especially arranged musical numbers, both voice and piano solos, duets and trios were given by the young students. Also several numbers were given by the rhythmic orchestra. This was followed by such fun from well planned games. And the morning was brought to a joyful close with the presentation of gifts from the brilliantly lighted Christmas tree. Mrs. Lilburn was assisted by Miss Lois Plummer, Miss Barbara Barnes, and Miss Frances Mercer.

PARTY ENJOYED AT WEST SALEM HOME

WEST SALEM, Dec. 24.—(Special)—A very pleasant time was enjoyed Friday evening at a party given at the Jack Summers home honoring the birthday of their son, Bill Summers.

A lighted Christmas tree made a very attractive setting for the party.

Bill received a large amount of useful and nice gifts from his friends.

The young folk spent the evening playing games, which everyone enjoyed. At a late hour refreshments including a large birthday cake with candles, were served by Miss Clara Summers assisted by Miss Lenora Burk.

Those enjoying the evening were Miss Esther Fox, Miss Doris Hanby, Miss Lillie Shipper, Miss Lenora Burk and friend, Miss Elizabeth Weatherby, Miss Ruth Thomas, Miss Clara Summers, Shirley and Jean Summers, Otis Fisher, Tom Grier, Winston Gosser, Leo Stevens, Bill, Sam, and Jack Summers, and Chester Fredrickson.

SCHOOLS UNITE IN ROBERTS PROGRAM

Roberts, Halls Ferry, Sunday Schools and Community Join

ROBERTS, Dec. 24.—The Christmas program given by the Roberts and Halls Ferry school Sunday school and Community club Saturday night was attended by one of the largest crowds on record at the church here. Standing room was at a premium.

The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens. A lovely big electrically lighted tree stood at one end of the platform and a small one on the piano. An artificial fireplace with its glowing embers was the center of a number of the dialogues and exercises put on by the pupils.

The following program was given:

Song by all, "Joy to the World." Exercise by four primary pupils. Reading, "Santa's Whiskers" Gerald Storey. Song by primary room, "Down the Chimney and Up So High." Reading "Who Santa Is" Martha Selby. Solo, "Cradle Song" Donald Salchenberg. Recitation by Master Eddy Goodrich, Duett, Milton and Wallace Beckett, Quartette, "Those Evening Bells." Mrs. W. C. Pettyjohn, Mrs. Forest Edwards, George Veal and George Higgins. Play, "A Christmas Gift" by fourth grade pupils. Song "Star of the East" pupils of older grades. Recitation — "Grandma's Remembrance" Romayne Goodrich. Primary Exercise and song, "A Christmas Wish," exercise by fourth grade pupils.

Sole "O Come, All Ye Faithful," Dorothy Rice. Dialogue, "A Merry Surprise," by pupils of Hall's Ferry school. Play by Hall's Ferry school, "A Christmas Pudding." Song "Jingle Bells," Hall's Ferry school. Play "Punkin Heller School," by older pupils of Roberts school. Janice Higgins acted as teacher and June Edwards took the part of the aunt who visited school and made remarks about everything that was done. The pupils put on a program and many pranks and amusing witticisms were offered by them. Solo: Miss Julia Query accompanied by Miss Maxine Pettyjohn on the saxophone. Both wore costumes representing the sixteenth century. Miss Query dressed as a lady, gracefully curtsied and Miss Pettyjohn as a gentleman made many profane bows. As an encore they acted a short pantomime. The teachers, Mrs. Minnie Beckett and Mrs. Helen Larson of Roberts school and Miss Julia Query of Hall's Ferry school deserve great credit for the manner in which their pupils were trained for their parts. The program came the old yet ever new custom of giving out boxes of candy. Bliss Fidler acted as Santa and his helpers were Maxine Pettyjohn, Dorothy Rice, Janice Higgins and June Edwards. Every one present was given a box. The evening ended with the audience singing "Silent Night."

OFFICERS SEATED AT WEST SALEM

WEST SALEM, Dec. 24.—(Special)—At the last Community club held by the people of West Salem, new officers for the coming year were elected. They were as follows, president—Walter B. Gerth, vice president—Ray Ferguson; secretary—J. A. Gosser; directors—W. L. LaDue, Elmer Cook, Guy Newgent and J. J. Arnold. It is hoped that everyone will cooperate in making the community club very prosperous. The new officers seem to be very hopeful for West Salem's future.

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