

CLEAR LAKE IS GIVEN PROGRAM

Beautifully Decorated Tree Background for Extensive Ceremony

CLEAR LAKE, Dec. 29.—The Christmas program given by the Clear Lake Sunday school Christmas eve was quite well attended. The church was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors and a large tree graced one end of the platform. At the close of the program, candy, nuts and oranges were distributed to all present. The following program was rendered:

Song: "Joy to the World," audience; song, "Come All Ye Faithfuls," solo; recitation, "Christmas," Maxine Coons; recitation, "Christmas Gifts," Loretta Smith; song "Ringing in the Midnight Clear," Junior choir; solo, "Star of the East," Loretta Smith; recitation, "The Christmas," Marion Robertson; song, "Silent Night," choir; drill, Intermediate and Junior girls; solo, "Away in a Manger," Estelle Smith with Oscar Bair at the piano; dialog, "Christmas Visitors"; song "Heavenly Gifts," Junior choir; solo, "The Holy Mother Sing," Robert Massey; anthem, "The Glory of the Lord," choir; dialog, "Merry Christmas Joke"; anthem, "The Lord is Born," choir; benediction, Rev. H. R. Schoegerman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pugh were dinner guests Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Evans in Monmouth.

TEACHERS LEAVE ON HOLIDAY TRIPS

JEFFERSON, Dec. 29.—Members of the faculty of the Jefferson school, which closed Wednesday, are scattered throughout the neighborhood during the Christmas holidays.

Prof. Lyman W. Patton and family motored to Portland Wednesday evening for a visit with Mrs. Patton's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Irving, Mr. Patton also will attend the State Teachers association convention while there. Miss Maude Durfee, commercial teacher, is spending her vacation at her home near Lewiston, Idaho. Miss Mardian Medlar, English teacher, is visiting her parents at Wasco, Oregon. Miss Frances Chambers, left Wednesday evening for Portland, where she will spend the holidays at her home. Mrs. Flo Young, seventh and eighth grade teacher, is spending the vacation at her home in Albany. Miss Frances Pierce, fifth grade teacher, is spending her vacation at Kelo, Wash., where she will visit her father and sister. Miss Geraldine Regeater, third and fourth grade teacher, went to her home in Lebanon. Miss Bertha Dillon, primary teacher, is spending her Christmas vacation with her brother, Walter Dillon and family at Molalla. Miss Elynn Ely, teacher of the Parrish Gap school, is spending the holidays in Walla Walla, Wash.

MCKEE'S ARE HOSTS

JEFFERSON, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee were hosts at a Christmas dinner. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKee and daughter, Verma, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKee and daughter Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee and daughter, Virginia.

SOME SICKNESS IN KINGWOOD HEIGHTS

KINGWOOD, Dec. 29.—Roy Tansey, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. William Hacker and Mrs. J. C. Cannon, Mrs. Cannon is quite seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Compton are spending a fortnight on their homestead at Alsea. Misses Elnora and Winnie Emmett with Arnold Coffee of Salem are the Compton's guests for a few days. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald C. Larkin were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Oppen, their sons, Chester and Arthur, and their daughter, Mrs. Harold Goodrich, all of Tillamook. Mrs. Theodore Bernard returned Sunday from Portland where she was the guest of relatives over the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Sparling Visits Mrs. Laura Sparling of Monmouth is at the home of her

MEN TO STAGE AFFAIR Macleay's Grangers Plan Large "Wedding" JOLLY TIME ON FRIDAY

MACLEAY, Dec. 29.—The men of the grange held a meeting at the hall Friday night to complete plans for the program which they will put on at the grange meeting Friday night, January 2. To quote the men "this will be the best program of the year." Among the attractions offered will be "The Wedding" with over 30 characters in it. All parts will be taken by the men.

CONGRESSMAN AND YOUNG BRIDE



Representative Charles Bateman, 75 years old, of Sterling, Colorado, with his bride, the former Mrs. Robert Wood Elliott, 22, of the Census Bureau. The bride is a former head waitress at the Congress Hall Hotel. The newlyweds will go to Cuba on their wedding trip.

Capacity Crowd Gathers For Big Program Put on By Hubbard School Folks

HUBBARD, Dec. 29.—A capacity crowd greeted the students and teachers of the Hubbard school at the Christmas program Tuesday night. A glittering Christmas tree, a Santa Claus, and a candy treat by the Hubbard business men added much to the enjoyment of the evening. The program opened by the selection, "Adeste Fideles" (Come all ye faithful) sung in Latin by the high school glee club.

The junior school orchestra directed by Dr. A. F. de Lespinausse played several selections. "Primary Exercises" by grades 1-2 under the charge of Mrs. Lora Duncan the teacher, featured recitations by Virginia Carl, Edward Johnson, Glenn Ingalls, Bobby and Junior Grims and La Verne and LeRoy Vredenberg, each of whom received hearty applause from the audience.

Pantomime Part On Grades 5-6 supervised by Mrs. Lottie Fry, teacher, contributed the song "Star of the East," a pantomime and the stunt song, "Pickaninies Christmas," the latter being an outstanding number on the program. Five little girls from Mrs. Fry's room dressed in beautiful costumes pantomimed the song "Little Town of Bethlehem" while the high school glee club sang. "Christmas in Mother Goose Land" by grades three and four under the charge of Miss Frances Hatch, teacher was a pleasing number featuring Santa Claus (Omer Bidgood) and Mother Goose (Barbara Cornell), her son Jack (Hardy Dimick), and all the characters of the mother goose land, each of whom was made happy by a gift from

VALLEYS GETTING ELECTRIC LIGHTS

BRUSH CREEK, Dec. 29.—Both Brush and Evans Valley districts are getting electric light systems installed. Evans Valley hopes to have its lights ready for use by January 9 at which time a group of Salem people will give a program at the schoolhouse. The Brush Creek school is wired and has been enjoying lights for a year. The new line being extended in that district will reach up Paradise Alley. It will also serve J. C. Larson and William Maurer. Those on Paradise who will have the lights installed include John Dybvik, Mrs. Anna K. Jensen, Theodore Grace, Mrs. Einar Anderson, L. H. Meyer, Mrs. Carolyn Madsen and Victor Madsen. LeRoy Peterson of Minnesota arrived at the L. H. Meyer home Saturday night and will spend some time visiting there and with other relatives in the Willamette valley. Peterson will visit at the P. S. Mober home at Scotts Mills, the Alvin Williams home at Hubbard and the Sam Williams home at Lyons before returning to his home. Peterson is a son of one of Mrs. Meyer's cousins. This is his first trip west.

Green Family At Valsetz is Hosts at Bridge

VALSETZ, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Green entertained Saturday evening with two tables of bridge. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lefner, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dodson. Mrs. Lefner and Mr. Dodson were the prize winners. Mrs. McDonald, and Mr. Lefner low score. A daily lunch was served by the hosts.

Albert Mader Will Take the Part of the Bride; Milton Kephart will be Ring Bearer, and A. Bowen and W. Frink, dressed as small boys will be the train bearer. F. Bowers will perform the ceremony.

Notables from all over the world will be impersonated. It is predicted that gorgeous costumes will be displayed. The program is in charge of Walter Hesel, M. M. Marce and H. E. Martin.

ALUMNI MEET AT AUMSVILLE

Extended Session Enjoyed; 3-act Play Decided on; Many Attend

AUMSVILLE, Dec. 29.—The alumni had an all day meeting at the schoolhouse Monday, with a banquet at 8:30. It was decided at the business meeting to give a three-act play. Present were Sylvia Keene, Mable Hall, Yvonne Pickell, Eunice Lewis, Mable Sherman, Emily Brauk, Helen McCollough, Grace Richards, Rose Darley, Walter Bottlinger, Kenneth Porter, Everett Kaiser, John Frosdal, Verne Chamberlin, Noble and Robertus Bradley, Elmer Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Warner Empey, LaMar and Gordon Bell and Robert Mountain guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bell and children expect to leave for their home at Grants Pass after spending a week here with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McCollough, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dregnie left Wednesday afternoon for Canby, where he will visit several days with his parents. From there he will go to Seattle to visit relatives before returning to resume the school work. School will start on January 5.

Mrs. Ralph Germond is here from North Bend to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ammon and family of Portland spent Christmas here with Mrs. Ammon's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkpatrick.

AUMSVILLE CLUB HAS JOLLY PARTY

AUMSVILLE, Dec. 29.—The Aumsville community club gave its Christmas entertainment Tuesday night at the school house. The room, tree and stage were decorated for the occasion. A large crowd attended.

The Bethel Sunday school gave its Christmas entertainment Wednesday night. The church and tree were beautifully decorated. A large audience attended the program. Misses Myrtle, Mae and Mabel Lacey are spending the holidays in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moe; their aunt and uncle. Mae will return there to finish this year of school. Mae has been in ill health for some time. Those entertained at the Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Highberger home Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Albus and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson, Mrs. M. M. Schweder and Mrs. Bill Herman and son, Robert, Miss Mattilda Highberger of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Highberger and children and Lee Highberger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Warner Empey are spending the holidays with Mrs. Empey's parents at Junction City. Mr. and Mrs. E. Gillespie and son Charles of Portland are spending their vacation here with Mrs. Gillespie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Neal.

BUTTS NEW HEAD OF ARCH MASONS

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 29.—The Royal Arch Masons held their annual meeting Friday evening. Fred E. Butts was elected high priest; F. E. Chambers of Monmouth, king; J. G. McIntosh scribe; Dr. H. C. Dinsmore, treasurer and P. M. Schweder of Monmouth, captain of hosts. Others elected were: P. W. Jones, royal arch captain; K. L. Williams, master third veil; H. G. Nelson, master second veil; G. G. Mattison, master first veil; Dr. M. J. Butler, sentinel. Dr. Dinsmore installed the officers in their respective chairs.

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Independence Homes Open To Receive Many Guests; Dinner, Parties Enjoyed

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pomeroy entertained with a Christmas dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Monte Ward and son and Mrs. Anna Owens of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mattison and daughter of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Newton and three sons of Portland are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Karre. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams entertained with a dinner party at their home Christmas day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bush, Mrs. Dell Bush and Mr. Morris of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wahler and two children, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tallent of The Dalles, and Mrs. Link Allen of Hoskins, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Versteeg, Mr. and Mrs. N. O'Keefe, Sim Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Riely, Miss Gladys

HOLIDAY AFFAIRS AT GERVAIS PLEASE

Churches, Schools, Community Join; Schools Now on Holiday

GERVAIS, Dec. 29.—The community Christmas exercises held at the city hall Saturday night drew an even larger crowd than last year and the program is thought to have been better. The hall was beautifully decorated and the outdoor tree was lighted, adding much to the joy of the children. Approximately 400 bags of candy were distributed to the children.

The Presbyterian church was beautifully decorated Sunday evening for the Christmas exercises given by the Sunday school and standing room was at a premium. The church choir from Aurora under leadership of Mrs. C. E. Diller with Mrs. Strickland and Mrs. E. H. Drexler and Mr. and Mrs. Doran Dickinson and two children of Portland.

Willard Ingermanson of Portland is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ingermanson. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ruch and children spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ruch at Orville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wunder had as their dinner guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wunder of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. S. Riggle of Sandy. Mr. and Mrs. James Robbie spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson of Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wunder and daughter, Marjorie, were dinner guests of Mr. Wunder's mother, Mrs. Herman Wunder, in North Independence.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Jacobson in North Salem. Mrs. May Good is spending the holidays with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Good, of McMinnville.

Orchard Heights Home Receives Numerous Guests

ORCHARD HEIGHTS, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Fisher's sister, Mrs. Marie Tommasene and family, in Portland. Mrs. J. R. Chapman, who has been ill for more than a month with complications following a severe attack of flu, has suffered a relapse and is again confined to her bed.

The Cash Roberts family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Goodspeed in Salem. Mrs. Goodspeed is Mrs. Robert's mother.

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HENRY FAMILY AT HOME TO GUESTS

Zena Vicinity Jolly Place As Holiday Season is Celebrated

ZENA, December 29.—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry entertained with a family dinner at their home Christmas day. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henry, Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Handie and children Lois, Helen and Edna, and Mrs. W. Kenneth Henry and infant daughter Corinne and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crawford and daughter Alice and Wilma and son Robert of Zena were Christmas dinner guests at the home of former Zena residents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawford now of Salem. Additional out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Crawford and daughter Gladys, Mrs. Alice Simpson and Willard Marsh of Kelo, brother of Mrs. E. C. Crawford, E. C. W. N. and S. D. Crawford are brothers.

Jessie Smith marries Zena folk were surprised to learn of the wedding of a former Zena girl, Miss Jessie Smith who was united in marriage to Walter Winn of Unionvale December 23. The happy couple have gone to Marshfield on their honeymoon. They will make their home at Unionvale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Handie and three children Lois, Helen and Jack of Cottage Grove left Saturday for their home after having been guests since Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry of Zena. Mrs. Handie and Helen are sisters. The Handie family are well known here and in Salem where they resided before moving to Cottage Grove where Mr. Handie is pastor of "The church on the Highway" of Baptist denomination.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Judson and children of Salem were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. French of Zena Christmas day.

Maurice Shepard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Shepard was a visitor here during the Christmas holidays. Maurice is a student at Oregon State college.

Sunday School Program Greatly Enjoyed by Group

SALEM HEIGHTS, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galloway, Ralph Merwin Stoltzheise and wife of Woodland, Wash., C. M. Landaker of Salem and Mrs. C. M. Landaker of Eugene were guests at the Stoltzheise home Christmas day. Miss Esther Gardner of Salem and Neva Stoltzheise of Portland were weekend guests at the home of Neva's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Stoltzheise.

Mrs. Henry Peck who has been suffering a severe case of rheumatism and who has been staying at the home of her daughter Mrs. R. D. Cooper is reported as being much improved in health.

Van Loans at Monmouth to Visit Homes

MONMOUTH, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Van Loan spent several days of their vacation visiting with relatives in Salem and with the former's parents at Monmouth, going into Portland for Christmas day at the home of the Schroeder family, parents of Mrs. Van Loan.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Van Loan are graduates of the Oregon Normal school, and are former Salem teachers. This year Mrs. Van Loan has charge of a private school in Ashland; and Van Loan is in Eugene where he has an assistant professorship on the teaching staff of the University of Oregon.

Miss Agnes Campbell, a native of Monmouth, and formerly an art instructor in the Oregon Normal school, is here from Los Angeles to visit her aunt, Miss Cassie Stump. Miss Campbell is now in charge of an art school of modeling in the south; and is author of a book, "Fragrance of Sage," brought out a few months ago by an English publishing house.

Miss Campbell is a sister of David Campbell, Portland pianist, and of the late Prince L. Campbell who was for many years president of the University of Oregon. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Heffly for the holidays are their daughters, Miss Josephine and Miss Florence Heffly, Portland Teachers; and Mr. and Mrs. W. DeBoer of Gravel Ford, Coos county and their small daughters, Betty and Helen. Joining them also at the Christmas dinner table were Mrs. Velma Smith and sons, Maurice and Donald.

CENTRAL HOWELL'S PROGRAM ENJOYED

CENTRAL HOWELL, Dec. 29.—The splendid program given by the school Tuesday evening was enjoyed by a crowd as was also the generous treat handed out at the close of the evening. The program contained the following numbers: Song, "God Has Promised," by the advanced room; exercise, "The Lights of Christmas," by primary room; dialog, "Aunt Hepsy's Christmas Stocking," by advanced room; song, "The Christmas Story," by five little girls of primary room; dramatization, "The Ruggles' Christmas Party," playlet, "The Little Pine Tree," by primary room; song, "Over the Lowly City," advanced room; play, "Christmas at the Stobins'," advanced room; song, "Starry Sky, Lovely Night," advanced room; exercise, "Christmas in Many Lands," short cantata, "The Coming of Christmas."

The public service commission Monday suspended the tariffs of the Columbia Utilities company, which supplies electrical energy for the towns of Eagle Point, Butte Falls, Prospect, Merrill and Main. The order of suspension was based on informal complaints relative to rates and proposed service.

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