

MRS. CLINE IS GRANGE CHOICE

North Howell Groups Name Ena Harmon Lecturer; Brown Is Speaker

NORTH HOWELL, Dec. 12—Election of officers for the coming year at the regular meeting of North Howell grange resulted as follows:

Master, Mrs. A. T. Cline; overseer, Martha Vinton; lecturer, Ena Harmon; secretary-treasurer, Ellis Stevens; steward, Thomas Bump; assistant steward, George Cline; chaplain, Kathryn Bump; gatekeeper, George Wigner; Ceres, Evanel Esson; Pomona, Jessie Coomer; Flora, Mabel Drake; lady assistant steward, Sadie Shubert; musician, Helen Wiesner; executive committee, M. A. Dunn, Earl Harmon, and E. G. Wiesner.

Bernice Summer's application for membership was read and the baseball affairs concluded for the past year.

New gravel has been hauled in the driveway making a much needed improvement.

Senator Brown of Gervais gave some interesting information on road matters, taxes and the oleo question. W. H. Stevens announced a meeting of the county agricultural committee at Silverton on the second Wednesday in January.

Returns from the primary election of state grange officers resulted as follows: master, Ray Gill; overseer, M. S. Shrock; secretary, Bertha Beck.

An invitation from Silverton grange for joint installation was accepted, Ellis Stevens, E. G. Wiesner and Frank Hynes were named on a committee to interview the local telephone company and ask for lower rates.

New Phones For Campus At Chemawa

CHEMAWA, Dec. 12—Work is now underway by the engineering department on the installation of the local telephone exchange. This exchange is to facilitate communication between the different departments of the institution, and will fill a long felt want. There will be 20 telephones on the system which are automatic and independent of each other. Four simultaneous conversations may be carried on at the same time.

These telephones will be installed in the following buildings on the campus: McNary, Mitchell, Brewer, Hawley, McBride, and Winona Halls, power plant, grade and high school buildings, hospital, physicians' and superintendents' residences, main office, automobile shop, carpenter shop, gymnasium and Crampton hall. This complete exchange has been purchased from a Seattle firm.

P-T to Aid In Looking After Needy

STAYTON, Dec. 12—The P. T. A., who in past years have sponsored the annual Christmas trees with the generous help of other local organizations, have decided this year to dispense with the tree and treat for the children, and will spend their time and the money usually used for this purpose in looking after needy families and providing them with food and clothing.

Anyone knowing of needy families in this community are asked to get in touch with the P. T. A. committee, Mrs. H. N. Champ, Mrs. Claude Lewis, Miss Helen Patton, R. G. Wood, L. H. Wright or Floyd Crabtree. Ernest Denny, local committeeman, for the P. T. A. is also working with this group.

The association promises to do its best, after investigating any needy cases brought to their attention.

STUDENTS REHEARSE FOR YULE PROGRAM

RICKREALL, Dec. 12—The Rickreall grade school students are busy rehearsing their Christmas program which will be given Thursday night, December 17, at the high school auditorium.

The four upper grades which are under the supervision of Mrs. Lawrence Dew, will present a play entitled "A Christmas Stocking". There will be some recitations and music by the five club.

Florence Coville, who is an eighth grade pupil, has written the story, "The Happy Prince", by Oscar Wilde, into play form and dramatized it. She is directing her play for which the characters are also from the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

Miss Catherine McEwen, who has charge of the first four grades reports several songs and musical numbers by the Rhythm orchestra will be presented by her pupils. Also a play, entitled "Merry Nature's Household" will be a feature of the evening's entertainment. The students are making the scenery for their play.

The school bazaar will be on both before and after the program.

Cooks' Club Formed At Rosedale School

ROSEDALE, Dec. 12—Mrs. Lesta Bates organized a cooking club at the school Thursday afternoon. Eleven pupils are planning to take the project. They will meet every second Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn went to Eugene Tuesday to visit Mr. Glenn's parents. They returned Thursday but left again Friday for Longview, Wash., where they will spend the next few weeks.

CAST IS GIVEN FOR SCHOOL'S COMEDY

STAYTON, Dec. 12—The "Hidden Guest", a mystery comedy, will be presented by Stayton high school the nights of December 18 and 19. The play deals with a debutante, a college boy and an escaped convict, who suddenly and unknown to each other invade the home of a quiet spinster, which part is taken by Naomi Tobie. From their enforced contact in the carrying out of their individual schemes arises the mystery, comedy and romance of the play.

A quaint character relief is contributed by a semi-deaf servant girl (Sylvia Stupka) who is a devout attendant at spiritualistic services. A society widow (Lulu Lewis), and a girl motorist, also add zest to the comedy parts.

The part of an up-to-date society girl is taken by Hazel Murphy; another society girl of the athletic type, Valeta Darley; Dixon Parry takes the part of Jud Tompkins, a well groomed and successful man; Gerald Marking takes the part of Bert Jenkins, a young collegian; Vernon Snoddy, the role of a leek deferential man; Marion Leampman takes the part of Otto Huber, a hard faced, shifty eyed and clever malefactor about 25 years of age; Stewart Mayo takes the part of Ted Wilson, a young college chap with a sense of humor and Raymond Kerber takes the part of McCarty, a tall muscular policeman.

Nearly Half Students on Honor Roll

RICKEY, Dec. 12—An unusually good record was made during the past two months by the school children. Almost half of them were neither absent nor tardy and received grades high enough to entitle them to have their names on the honor roll.

There are over 60 people enrolled, with those on the honor roll as follows: Margaret Spide, Robert Fulton, Billy Clearwater, Richard Bohsen, Raymond Beard, Frances Flood, Leo Bixseth, Hazel Dell Sheridan, Gladys Crabb, Hazel Magee, Loyal Sheridan, Walter Crabb, Lawrence Sheridan, Oats Binegar, Jr., and Edward Jr.'s son, Donald, W. W. Rutherford and son Leonard, G. G. Looney and sons G. Allen and Glen, Jack Ktatch, Mr. Dettering, Earl

4-H Club Organized For Mountain View

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Dec. 12—County Agent J. R. Beck came down Wednesday afternoon and after the close of school assisted in organizing a boys' 4-H club.

Glenn Southwick is leader and officers were elected as follows:

president, Warren Davis; vice president, Roy Tansey; secretary, Jimmy Smart. The date of the first meeting will be announced later. Members enrolled are Jimmy Smart, Roy Tansey, Warren Davis, Dorval Binegar, John Doran and Ammon Adams. The new organization is known as a calf club but Mr. Beck thinks exceptions may be made in favor of two boys, one of whom wishes to raise a pig and the other fowls.

Anne Waters Head Of Pythian Sisters Group From Dallas

DALLAS, Dec. 12—Dalore Temple No. 53, Pythian Sisters of Dallas held its annual homecoming Thursday night. Elections resulted as follows:

Anne Waters, most excellent officer; Carrie Dunn, excellent officer; Lily Flammert, excellent junior; Ruth Hyde, manager; Beulah Holman, mistress of records and correspondence; Fay Brown, mistress of Finance; Alice Wilson, protector; Winona Hooker, guard; Jessie Morrison, installing officer; Lucy Springsteen, captain of staff; Florence Hunter, trustee; Lulu Robinson, musician; Esther Friar, past chief; Lulu Sibley, press correspondent.

CALL ON DEMPSEYS

RICKREALL, Dec. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce and Mrs. Jones Davis of Portland were callers at the home of Mrs. Jennie Dempsey Tuesday.

43 FATHERS, SONS AT CHURCH BANQUET

HAZEL GREEN, Dec. 12—Forty-three were present at the Father's and Sons banquet Friday. The decorations featured the Christmas season. Rev. S. E. Long, pastor was toastmaster. Rev. R. V. Wilson, pastor of U. S. Brethren community church Salem, gave the address. His subject, "What Is Best in Rural Life." He showed that the unity of home is better kept in country, figures were given showing over 90% of divorces, 84% of crimes, 85% boys and girls running away were urban.

Fred DeVries, president of Sunday school work of Marion county gave a talk. Three minute talks were given by Leonard Rutherford and G. Allen Looney. Clifton Clemens was song leader, Mrs. R. V. Wilson of Salem, pianist. Fathers and sons present were: Rev. Oliver, Rev. R. V. Wilson and Rev. S. E. Long, all of Salem, Fred DeVries, Pratum, Rev. A. Bowman, Orville Luckey and sons Cecil and Norman, Lester Vard Cleave and son Kenneth, Milo Barnett and son Kenneth, Herman Wackea Sr. and son Rudolph, Tom Van Cleave and son Alvin, and Alvin's son, Marvin, J. V. Lehrman and son Melvin, Edward Dunningan Sr. and son Ed-ward Jr. and Edward Jr.'s son, Donald, W. W. Rutherford and son Leonard, G. G. Looney and sons G. Allen and Glen, Jack Ktatch, Mr. Dettering, Earl

GRAVESIDE SERVICE IS HELD FOR HALL

MONMOUTH, Dec. 12—Graveside services were held Thursday at Belcrest Memorial Park, Salem, for William Samuel Hall, 84, who died Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. T. J. Weekly at Myrtle Point. Mr. Hall's death came just one week after that of his wife, who died Nov. 29.

He was born Dec. 2, 1847 in Christian county, Mo., and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, came to Coos county in 1871. Mr. Hall was married Jan. 7, 1877 to Miss Martha Malinda Hall at Gravel Ford where they lived on a dairy farm for more than 40 years.

About ten years ago they came to Monmouth for Mrs. Hall's health. Surviving are seven children: Mrs. Weekly and Thomas A. Hall of Myrtle Point; James Hall, Forest Grove, Mrs. R. P. Mathany of Monmouth, Mrs. Lulu Morehouse, Arland, Cal., Mrs. Bertha Singleterry, Tuisa, Okla., and Mrs. Mary Harvey, Leo, Ore.

Club Will Raise Funds for Treat At Christmas Tree

LIBERTY, Dec. 12—The Community club met Friday night at the hall. The school Christmas program was announced and it was decided that the club stand the expense for necessary stage fixtures.

The matter of raising money for the Christmas treat for the children was discussed. The evening's program consisted of several ensemble and special duet and solo numbers by the boys' chorus; solo, Dorothy Browning; reading, Dr. Blatchford; solo, Leland Scott; recitation, Pauline Foster; Irish stories, P. G. Judd.

Attempt to Restore Use Legs Made

MONMOUTH, Dec. 12—Fred Smith of Cloverdale, a former Monmouth resident, underwent an operation this week at a Portland hospital in an endeavor to recover normal use of his legs, the tendons of which were badly burned three years ago last August when he was employed with the state highway construction service in charge of a steam shovel. Smith was lighting a fire in the implement early one morning, and used gasoline by mistake instead of coal oil.

His garments were burned to a crisp, but he managed to extinguish the flames which soon would have destroyed the shovel. He then drove a mile to Cloverdale and was taken by ambulance to a McMinnville hospital. His health has been below par since, although he has received hospital care several times. Mrs. Smith is in Portland with her husband at present but will spend part of the winter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Partridge.

AURORA, Dec. 12—Miss Elizabeth Muesig, who is taking a nurses' training course at a Salem hospital, and who is with relatives here, while convalescing from an operation which she underwent for appendicitis, will not be able to return to her work at the hospital until January.

PUT ON BROADCAST

ROSEDALE, Dec. 12—Two carloads of young people from the Highland Friends church came out Friday night to put on the radio missionary broadcast. A fair sized audience greeted them and were much interested in the various experiences of the missionaries.

Don't Forget SHIRTS

Dress Shirts

Plain broadcloth or rayon striped patterns, each one in a Christmas box. Regular \$2.00 value—Special

\$1.35

3 for \$3.85

BUY YOUR NEEDS NOW!
BUY FOR CHRISTMAS NOW!

FREE HATS

With every Monroe Suit or Overcoat sold we give you a hat absolutely free! You will have your unrestricted choice of any hat in the store—All of the new styles and colors are included in this offer.

Monroe Suits

PERFECTLY HAND TAILORED ALL WOOL

\$22.50

Monroe O'coats

IN TWEEDS AND CAMELS HAIR FINISH

and Remember, A FREE HAT with Every Monroe Suit or Overcoat!

CASHMERE HOSE

Regular 75c values in plain and fancy colors. Extra Special... 2 pair 75c

Rayon & Silk Hose

All desirable light and dark colors in sizes 9 1/2 to 12. Regular 50c value now... 3 pairs 89c

G. W. Johnson & Co.

469 STATE ST.

TOY TOWN

At Hamilton's — A Youngster's Paradise

Such a collection of toys is gathered once a year in Salem . . . at Hamilton's. For years Hamilton's has been at the head of the field in its selection of children's toys. This year it's greater than ever!

. . . You May Be Sure You Get the Most for Your Dollar Here . . .

Dolls to Suit Any 'Mother'

The most varied selection of dolls we have ever shown. From the tiniest "Baby" to the large "mama" dolls—we have them all. In prices ranging from . . . **49c to \$14.95**

For Little Brother

Electric Trains

The most complete line of electric trains we have ever shown. If your boy has a train buy him extra parts such as track, signals, tunnels, extra cars, switches or water tanks. WE can supply them at reasonable cost.

Trains, from \$3.95 to \$55

See the Ives Special Includes Trains, Track and Transformer Only \$3.95 Complete

Toys for Baby's First Christmas

The little one, too, must celebrate Christmas. Fluffy teddy bears, dolls, etc. Fun for baby, but harmless. See the musical teddy, a regular \$5.00 value. Special at . . . **\$1.98**

Others 89c and up

For Sister

Perhaps your little sister or daughter already has a doll, a favorite one she won't give up. Why not a doll buggy for that doll? They're reasonable here.

Genuine Floyd buggies in a complete range of sizes.

Visit Our Toyland

C. S. Hamilton

FURNITURE CO.

340 Court St.

See The Eastman Kodatoy