

**PUPILS ORIGINATE OWN YULE PROGRAM**

Number of Visitors From Away Spend Holiday at Scotts Mills

SCOTTS MILLS, Dec. 28 — Pupils of the Noble school planned, prepared and presented a Christmas program at the school Friday night without the aid of the teacher, except as advisor. This was done in keeping with the Fulkerson plan of instruction being carried on in the school by the teacher, Mrs. Grace Dunagan. Children participating were: Margaret, Violet and Clarence Landwing; Joe, Anthony, Francis and Margaret Bielenberg; Evelyn Taylor, Bobby Schmittz, Earl McKillop, Charles Wade, Stanley Rich, Eugene Ennis, Leo Vincent and Albert Gersch. The children will return to school January 2. Among the holiday family gatherings here was that at the J. N. Amundson home, where all the children were present: Mr. and Mrs. George Krause and daughter of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Van Ness Johnson of Tangent; and Miss Beatrice Amundson of St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes and son entertained his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Dwyer of Newberg and his cousins, Charles Haynes and Miss Mamie Haynes of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Magee and sons at Crooked Finger were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. A. Muek and daughter of Falls City. Mr. and Mrs. Hanz Ziegler of Corvallis, Miss Emily Magee, who has spent the past year in California.

**SCHOOL CHILDREN GIVE FINE PROGRAM**

ROCKY POINT, Dec. 28 — An interesting program and tree was sponsored by the Rocky Point school Friday night. The program interspersed with songs by the various grades, included: dialogues, "Christmas Crazy Class," by Grace Knappke, Bernice Lambrecht and Hazel Blocker, Leonard and Stühr, Fred Montgomery and Paul Blocker; "The Stranger Child," Germaine Eitel, Anna Blocker, Elven Shatto, Rhinart Smith, Johnny Shamberger, Pearl Shatto and Alice Blocker; "Extra Stocking," Anna Blocker, Fred Montgomery, Earl Blocker and Norris Hunt Jr.; "Christmas Acrostic," by the primary grades; readings by Fay Montgomery, Alice Blocker, Pearl Shatto, Norris Hunt Jr., Earl Blocker, Lyle Montgomery, Anna Blocker, Ruth Williams, Elvin Shatto, Fred Montgomery, Paul Blocker, Bernice Lambrecht, Germaine Eitel and Angie Shamberger; Miss Agnes Walker gave two vocal selections accompanied by her sister, Gertrude Walker on the guitar. Henry Tatta, entertained with a Christmas dinner Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Hunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hunt and family, Mrs. J. T. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tate. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knight are the parents of a baby son born at the Deaconess hospital Monday evening. This is the first child.

**AUMSVILLE, BETHEL SCHOOLS ENTERTAIN**

AUMSVILLE, Dec. 28 — Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuson Christmas day were B. I. Plummer of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin and daughters Margaret, Gwen and Charlotte, Charles Nelson, Mozart Tappin, Miss Gladys Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Galus Fuson and son Doyle, Mrs. Martha Fuson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fuson and the host and hostess. A very enjoyable Christmas program was given at the Christian church Saturday night. Talking parts were by Henry Porter, Raymond Latta, Emma McClellan, Betty Snyder, Charlotte Marten, Mrs. D. W. Lamb. There was also a Christmas pageant followed by the exchange of gifts and the distribution of treats. Interment Made The burial of the remains of Mrs. Mary Davis was held at the Aumsville cemetery Monday morning. Mrs. Davis passed away at the home of her daughter at Alsea with the funeral at Corvallis and interment at Aumsville. Mrs. Davis was at one time a resident of this place. A Christmas tree and program was also given at the Bethel church Saturday night, with those folks taking part: Rev. Otto Fuson, Ida Pomeroy, Evelyn Castle, Willie Castle, Archie Pardee, Vernon Castle, Desmond Fuson, Edd Wallace, Lavina Pomeroy, Orville Prunk, Archie Pardee and Will Fuson.

**Pioneer Entertains Guests From Outside**

PIONEER, Dec. 28 — Among the guests here for the holidays were Glen Robson and family of Orengo at the Blodgett home. Clarence Dornhecker and family of Albany at the Curtis, Domachofsky and Dornhecker homes. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dornhecker of Eugene at the Frank and Lawrence Dornhecker homes. C. S. Aydelott and Beulah and Loy and Mrs. C. Mahaffee and Consience of Eugene at the Clyde Robbins home. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Anderson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Chet Newwald of Walla Walla and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frakes of Airlie and June Schneider of Dallas at the John Keller home.

**PROGRAM WELL ATTENDED TALBOT, Dec. 28**

The Christmas program at the Talbot school house Friday night was well attended.

**QUIET HOLIDAY IS REPORT AT HOWELL**

Numerous Family Gatherings Highlight day for Rural Homes

NORTH HOWELL, Dec. 28 — Christmas day passed quietly as usual here with family dinners and home affairs, the only community program being the one at the school house Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Coomler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCarroll, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Pruitt of Salem were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coomler; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rickard and family drove to Eddyville for the day; Mrs. Warren Gray and daughter Dorothy of Marion and Ralph Higgin of Seattle, were callers at the A. B. Wiesner home; Alan Wiesner of Portland was also a guest at his parents' home over the weekend. The Charles Hagan family entertained with a family dinner Christmas day, including Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hall and children of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Beals and little son. Mr. and Mrs. August Woolke and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hagan and Mr. and Mrs. W. McGarvey were dinner guests at Mrs. M. Engebretson's in Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stevens enjoyed the Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Manning and the two grand children at Gervais, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Richter and family were dinner guests at the A. T. Cline home.

**Two Couples Wedded Long At Silverton**

SILVERTON, Dec. 28 — That January weddings are "good," two Silverton couples will vouch for. Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Steelhammer will observe their 61st wedding anniversary here January 6, and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus L. Latham will observe their 63rd anniversary January 13. Both anniversaries will be the occasion for quiet family gatherings. Mr. and Mrs. Steelhammer were married at Winona, Minn., Jan. 5, 1871. In 1882 they moved to North Dakota and in 1891 they came to Silverton, where they have since made their home. For years Mr. Steelhammer personified Longfellow's "Village Blacksmith" to Silverton school children, who were never told they were in the way when they stopped at the shop to watch Mr. Steelhammer at work at the anvil. Mr. Steelhammer has in years gone by served in almost every political office and has been associated with county politics. A few years ago, no gathering in the local community was held unless "Daddy Steelhammer," as he is still called, was there to make a "speech." Mr. Latham is Silverton's sole remaining Civil War veteran. He was born on August 11, 1841 at Troy, O., and in 1861 he enlisted with the 41st Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He served with this unit until he was wounded three years later. It was while he was on a furlough that he was married on January 13, 1864 to Mrs. Latham, then Miss Marcia Weaver. In 1865, Mr. Latham re-enlisted and served seven months with the 18th Ohio Volunteers. At the close of the war, Mr. and Mrs. Latham lived in Ohio, then moved westward coming on to Oregon in 1915.

**Pringle Children Give Program as Holidays Arrive**

PRINGLE, Dec. 28 — The Pringle school held its annual Christmas program Friday evening under the direction of the teachers, Mrs. Clara H. Rees and Mrs. Julia Starrett. A varied entertainment featured the event, with special numbers given by: Roger Emery, Frank Vlastak, Anthony Nunn, Curtis Emery, Kenneth Hiltiker, William Clark, George Richards, Ellis Richards, Henry Grabenhorst, John VanLydegraf, Ruth Starrett, Alice Swift, Warne Nunn, Mary Alice Jones, Lorene Prapat, Ruby Foster, William Clark, Jesse Evans, Charles Van Cleave, Willow Van Lydegraf, Charles Grabenhorst, Earl Casselhus, Roy Ramey, Walter Ramey, Eugene Martin, Roger Penney, Howard Conklin, Richard Parker, Marianna Lane, J. T. Evans, Madama Lane, Kent Wechter, Stanley Kamberg, Viola Swanson, Eula Husted, Inez Hiltiker, Melvin Hiltiker, Bobby Ann Grabenhorst, Wallace Ramey, Elsie Furrer, Bobby VanCleave and Marjorie Nunn.

**Watch Party Will Follow Seating of Union's Officers**

MARION, Dec. 28 — The Marion Farmers' Union will hold its next meeting on Saturday night, January 1 at which time the officers for the ensuing year will be installed, followed by a New Year's eve watch party, with a pot luck lunch. Members may invite friends. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gray have had their daughter, Dortha Belle and Mrs. R. D. Wiggins of Seattle as their house guests over the weekend. Mrs. Gray accompanied them home Monday and will visit in Seattle for two weeks. MRS. IRVINE BETTER INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 28 — Mrs. Sara Irvine, 88, who has been critically ill with influenza, is improving. Mrs. Irvine is a pioneer of Independence and has lived about the town most of her years. She is being cared for at the home of her son, C. W. Irvine.

**Miller's Announce Their Annual YEAR-END CLEARANCE**

BASEMENT, MAIN FLOOR, SECOND FLOOR, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY.

**Thousands Of Dollars Worth Of Fine Merchandise To Be Cleared Quickly Before Inventory! Clothing And Household Needs For Every Family At Greatly Reduced Prices!!**

WOMEN'S COATS—DRESSES—SUITS—SWEATERS—MILLINERY—LINGERIE—CORSETS—HOSIERY—SHOES—COSTUME JEWELRY—BLANKETS—SILKS—COTTONS—BED SPREADS—RAINCOATS—UMBRELLAS—MEN'S SUITS—OVERCOATS—TROUSERS—HATS—BATH-ROBES—GLADSTONE BAGS—WORK SHOES—INFANT'S WEAR—GIRL'S COATS—BOY'S SHEEP LINED COATS—GIFT WARES—LAMPS—TOYS—CHENILLE RUGS—ETC.

**MAIN FLOOR**

- SWORMA SILK AND WOOL BLANKETS \$2.85
- THREE PIECE CHENILLE BATH ROOM SET \$2.49
- CANT SLIP CHENILLE BATH ROOM RUGS 98c
- CRETONNE OVER DRAPES, READY TO HANG, PAIR 50c
- HASSOCKS MADE OF CLIPPED LAMB SKINS \$1.49
- ENGLISH AND CREPE FINISHED PRINTS, YARD 11c
- LOT OF WOMEN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS, PAIR 49c
- SHOE POLISHING BRUSHES—EACH 7c
- CHILDREN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS FELT AND KID 59c
- CHILDREN'S RUBBER BOOTS, FEW PAIRS AT 59c
- LOT PUMPS, TIES, STRAPS, BLACK AND BROWN \$2.95
- LOT OF IMPERFECT SILK HOSIERY, PAIR 15c
- VERY SHEER SILK CHIFFON HOSIERY, PAIR 98c
- REGULAR \$1.50 SILK MESH HOSIERY PAIR 98c
- LOT MISSES' LONG HOSE TO 50c NOW PAIR 15c
- RAYON AND WOOL BLOOMERS AND PANTIES 79c
- FLOOR, RADIO, BOUDOIR AND TABLE LAMPS LESS 1/4
- ONE TABLE OF GIFT WARES TO \$1.00, CHOICE 25c
- SILVER PLATED SUGAR, CREAMER AND TRAY SET \$1.39
- THREE PIECE MODERN IVORY TOILET SET \$2.50
- FANCY DAVENPORT PILLOWS, LARGE SIZE LESS 1/3
- BUCILLA HAND EMB. MODELS NOW YOUR CHOICE AT 1/2
- CLEARANCE OF COSTUME JEWELRY, NECKLACES 39c
- GENUINE ROCK CRYSTAL NECKLACES, SPECIAL LOT, EACH 19c
- FABRIC GLOVES, BLACK, BROWN, BEIGE, NOW 69c
- ODDS AND ENDS OF SILKS AND WOOLENS PER YARD 59c
- LOT OF SILKS, FLAT CREPES, CANTONS, PRINTS NOW YD. 98c
- 54 INCH NOVELTY WOOLENS, VAL TO \$2.50 NOW YD. \$1.00
- SATIN FINISHED PLAYING CARDS, THREE DECKS FOR \$1.00

- LEATHER CORNERED DESK PADS WITH CALENDAR NOW 98c
- GENUINE LEATHER DIARIES IN NEW DESIGNS EACH 98c
- FANCY BRIDGE PADS WITH EXTRA FILLER, EACH 15c
- ONE LOT OF MOTTOES, YOUR CHOICE OF ENTIRE LOT 15c
- OREGON WOOL BATH ROBES FOR MEN, STRIPES, CHOICE \$3.98
- ONE LOT MEN'S SUITS, BLUES, TANS, GREYS, ETC. \$12.50
- ONE LOT MEN'S SUITS TO \$33.50, YOUR CHOICE \$15.00
- ONE LOT MEN'S GLADSTONE CASES TO \$22.50 NOW \$14.50
- BOYS' SHEEP LINED COATS, 12 TO 18 YEARS \$1.98
- ONE LOT MEN'S TROUSERS, VALUES UP TO \$6.00 NOW \$2.98
- CHOICE OF ENTIRE STOCK MEN'S HATS NOW \$2.98
- ONE LOT MEN'S ALL WOOL OVERCOATS, CHOICE AT \$7.95

**SECOND FLOOR**

- WOMEN'S POLO COATS \$6.66
- WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED COATS \$13.50
- WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED COATS \$26.34
- WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED COATS \$33.00
- WOMEN'S FINEST FUR TRIMMED COATS \$46.34
- OREGON CITY SPORT COATS 1/2 PRICE
- ENTIRE STOCK WOOL DRESSES 1/2 PRICE
- WOOL KNT DRESSES \$3.25
- SNYDER WOOL SUITS—8 PIECE \$15.00
- WOMEN'S SILK DRESSES \$5.00
- WOMEN'S SILK DRESSES \$7.95
- ALL SILK KNT VESTS TO \$2.98 NOW 50c

- CLEARANCE OF WINTER HATS ONLY \$1.00
- MUNSWINGWEAR BLOOMERS AND STEPINS 39c
- TALON FASTNER GIRDLES, 3 LENGTHS \$1.00
- GOSSARD COMPLETES, A FAMOUS CORSET \$2.98
- LUXITE SNUGGIES, WINTER COMBINATIONS 69c
- FRENCH CREPE GOWNS AND PAJAMAS \$1.98

**BASEMENT**

- GROUP WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED AND PLAIN COATS \$6.66
- GROUP WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED COATS, REG. \$16.95 NOW \$10.85
- WOMEN'S KNT DRESSES, REGULARLY TO \$8.48 NOW \$1.95
- ONE LOT WOMEN'S AND MISSES COATS—CHOICE \$1.98
- 66x80 PLAID, PART WOOL BLANKETS 69c
- FANCY LIGHT OUTFINGS, PER YARD 7c
- 36 INCH LIGHT AND DARK OUTFINGS, YARD 9c
- ODD LOT OF BEDSPREADS, FULL BED SIZE 79c
- ODD LOT BEDSPREADS IN RAYONS \$1.98
- FANCY DAVENPORT PILLOWS, CHOICE 85c
- PERFUMES, TOILET ARTICLES, YOUR CHOICE 10c
- THREE PIECE DRESSER SETS COMB. BRUSH, MIRROR 79c
- LOT OF EMB. SCARFS AND DOILIES, REG. 98c NOW 39c
- CHILDREN'S SATEEN BLOOMERS, REG. 85c NOW 19c
- WOMEN'S OUT SIZE BURSON HOSE, PAIR 39c
- BOYS' OUTFING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS 69c
- BOYS' PART WOOL SLIP-ON SWEATERS 39c
- MEN'S TWEED CLOTH BLAZIERS CHOICE \$1.48
- BOYS' PLAID WOOL BLAZIERS, CHOICE \$1.29
- BOYS AND GIRLS' RUBBER BOOTS, CHOICE 98c
- BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHOES AND OXFORDS, CHOICE \$1.00
- WOMEN'S DRESS PUMPS, TIES, OXFORDS \$1.98
- MEN'S HEAVY WINTER WORK SHOES, CHOICE \$1.98

