

Annual Bazaar of Church at Jefferson is Scheduled Today

Prayer Meetings Resumed Weekly

Jefferson Family Leaves To Spend Holiday In Arkansas

JEFFERSON, Dec. 6.—The regular weekly prayer meetings of the Evangelical church have resumed, and will be held every Wednesday night at the church beginning at 8 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. Herbert Bennett, is conducting an interesting bible study on the book of Job. At the Sunday school a board meeting was held and plans made for the Christmas entertainment. The main features of the program will be a pageant, "The Story Beautiful," by various members of the school; and a play, "Because He Came," by the children. Rehearsal will begin immediately.

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will hold its annual bazaar and cooked food sale at the parsonage, Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. George C. Mason, Mrs. Charles McKee and Mrs. E. C. Hart will be in charge of the cooked food and will serve the lunch at the noon hour. Mrs. Earl Phelps and Mrs. Guy Roland will conduct the game department. Mrs. J. G. Fontaine, Mrs. R. C. Thomas and Mrs. Earl Lynes are in charge of the miscellaneous booth, and Miss Addie Libby and Mrs. D. Y. Hamill will be in charge of the candy booth. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hamby and son Ellis left Tuesday morning on a motor trip to Berryville, Ark., for a visit with Hamby's parents and other relatives. They are going the northern route and will visit in Idaho and Colorado. They expect to be away about a month, and will return home by way of Arizona and California.

Mrs. Herbert Looney has charge of the sale of tuberculosis seals in this district. The seals were placed in the schools at the first of this week, and the children are busy selling them.

For the purpose of closing last year's activities and making plans for next spring, the baseball club party at the home of Henry Ammon two miles southwest of here. Following a brief business meeting old-fashioned square dances and party games were enjoyed.

Regular Session Of Club Is Held

PIONEER, Dec. 6.—The Dallas community club met at the home of Mrs. C. Weideman Wednesday afternoon for its regular semi-monthly meeting. Members present were Mrs. Anna Cooper, Mrs. Ed Harris and daughter, Edna; Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Strankky, Miss Anna Ladstock, Mrs. H. Smith, Ann Smidth, Mrs. L. G. McBee, Mrs. G. C. Dornhecker and Mrs. Mary. Mrs. Mark Bodegit, Mrs. Frank Dornhecker, Mrs. Chet Newland, and the hostesses, Mrs. May Landru of Vancouver was a guest. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Henry Tuesday. Mr. Allphine and son have just completed a log cabin on the Hartport road. It is located near the road between the Roy Bird and Roy Black places. This makes about 12 cabins which have been erected in the past year for woodcutters and their families.

Parent-Teachers Give Baby Shower

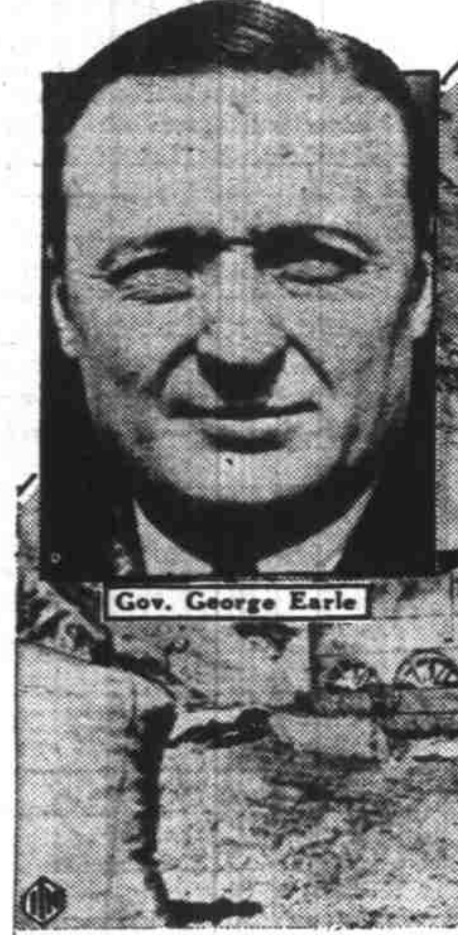
AUMSVILLE, Dec. 6.—A delightful afternoon was spent by a number of local people Wednesday, at an unique shower for the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Cone, sponsored by the sewing club of the Parent-Teacher association. Perry Spellbrink, chairman of the association, presided. A short program was given. "Rock-a-by Baby" was sung by the women present. Miss Nora Ham favored the group with a piano solo; Mrs. T. C. Mountain read an original poem to Larry Cone upon the presentation of the quilt by a group of women; T. C. Mountain, Perry Spellbrink, Miss Doris Neptune, Mrs. Julia Starrett and Miss Eva Corser assisted about the gift table. Mrs. William Forgy was assisted in serving by Miss Clara Dodson, Miss Charlotte Martin, Miss Neva Ham, Mrs. D. A. Lowe and Mrs. T. C. Mountain.

Harry E. Sines Dies, Portland

WOODBURN, Dec. 6.—Harry E. Sines, 60, of 197 Oswald street, died at the Veterans hospital in Portland Wednesday night after a lingering illness. He had lived in Woodburn for the past three years moving here from West Woodburn where he had lived for about 11 years. He was born in Indiana, March 19, 1875. He survived by his widow, Mrs. Josephine Sines; three children, Gordon, Melvin and Ethel, all at home; a brother, J. T. Sines, of Oakland, California; a sister, Mrs. Etta Dunn of Fresno, Calif., and a cousin, George Sines, of Salem. He was a member of Woodburn American Legion post No. 46.

Funeral services will be held from the Beecher-Killian chapel Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. Conley D. Slesby of the Church of Christ officiating. Music will be by Mrs. Slesby and Mrs. Jesse Wagenaar. Interment will be in Belle Vista cemetery with graveside services in charge of the Legionnaires.

Coal Bootlegging Baffles Operators



Intermittent and long-smoldering warfare between mine operators and miners in the anthracite fields of northeastern Pennsylvania threatens to break into open hostilities. Demands of owners that Gov. George Earle of Pennsylvania use his authority to stop the bootlegging signals a decision on the part of operators to have a showdown with the miners. It is estimated that more than 4,000,000 tons of hard coal, valued in excess of \$25,000,000,

are mined annually by the 15,000 or more unemployed miners who eke out a living by secretly working coal lands not theirs. Numerous unsuccessful attempts have been made by operators to stop the bootlegging which began several years ago when mine owners closed colliers and collectively worked those which had the lowest production costs. This plan threw entire sections of the coal region out of work.

News of West Salem

WEST SALEM, Dec. 6.—Dr. and Mrs. Vinton Scott of Salem will present some of their experiences in the foreign mission field by means of moving pictures Sunday in the Ford Memorial church at 7:30 p. m. The Waakia Camp Fire Girls and the Boy Scouts of West Salem report a fine response to their plea for old toys. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clegg and family will move to Salem at the end of this week.

Grangers' News

FAIRFIELD, Dec. 5.—The next regular grange meeting will be held Friday night, December 13. The grange has accepted an invitation to attend the all-day meeting December 28, at Butteville when a joint installation of officers will be held. Officers to serve for 1936 include: D. B. DuRette, master; Allyn Nusom, overseer; Francis Saffeld, lecturer; Miriam Nusom, reelected secretary; Laura Dittler, chaplain; John Fahey, reelected steward; J. W. Johnston, assistant steward; Mary E. Hill, L. A. S.; Iva McGilchrist, reelected treasurer; F. M. Hill, reelected gatekeeper; Ward Lundy, C. E. Allenback, M. B. Lucas, executive committee; Mrs. E. Ballweber, Mrs. Helen DuRette and Mrs. M. B. Lucas, Flora, Pomona and Ceres; Mrs. M. B. Lucas, H. E. chairman; B. C. Hall, agricultural committee chairman; J. W. Johnson, fire insurance agent.

Ottaway Is Heard Drama Broadcast

AURORA, Dec. 6.—Hollis Ottaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Ottaway, was heard in a play broadcast by KOAC Tuesday morning. The play was given by a dramatic class at Oregon State college where Ottaway is majoring in engineering and was centered around the tubercular Christmas seal drive.

Funeral Is Held For Earl B. Watt

FALLS CITY, Dec. 6.—Funeral services were held in Dallas Thursday afternoon for Earl Bryant Watt who passed away in the Dallas hospital December 3 after an eight days' illness. Pneumonia with heart complications was the cause of death. Services were conducted by the Masonic order with Rev. Harold H. Miles officiating. Interment was in the family plot in the Amity cemetery.

Faculty to Give Christmas Drama

WOODBURN, Dec. 6.—Celebrating the Christmas season and maintaining the school tradition, the faculty of Woodburn high school is throwing aside its class-room dignity to present a Christmas play, "The Goose Hanks High" Thursday, December 19. All of the school instructors are taking part. The play is being coached by Esther Hettlinger, English instructor, who studied speech at the University of Wisconsin, known for its speech department. Characters are Burton P. Dunn, superintendent, father; Muriel White, mother; Gilbert Oddie, older son; Isabel Van Waning, his fiancée; Barbara Reed and "Skeet" O'Connell, the twins; Vera Bogard, grandma; Helen Guiles, aunt; Kenneth Ashby, her son; Milton Gralapp, old family friend; Sidney Johnson and Howard Miller, two policemen; and Miss Hettlinger, old family servant. Tickets are being sold under the interclass-rivalry plan, the contest being started next week. The production will be given in the high school auditorium.

Mill City Gets New Play Shed but City Hall Is Not Sought

MILL CITY, Dec. 6.—Published reports that WPA had allotted Mill City \$4690 for a city hall brought no response here — for the simple reason that Mill City had not applied for such a project. Presumably the fund was really allotted to Stayton, which had submitted a project for a new city hall at that figure.

Old Residents Visit

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Blaser of Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Charles Partridge, Jr. of Erma Blaser, were guests Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Blaser lived in Independence about 10 years ago.

Yule Spirit to Shine from Tree For Entire Town

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 6.—A committee from the chamber of commerce will garb the large Christmas tree with lights and decorations, which will be placed in the center of Main and "C" streets again this Yuletide season. Smaller trees will be placed about town to aid in the spirit of the season.

Peculiar Accident

RICKLEY, Dec. 6.—Donald Gesner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gesner, is suffering from a double fracture of his arm. While feeding his pet horse she bumped him with her head, knocking him down, the fall breaking his arm.

Christmas Trees from Silvertown Will Help to Spread Holiday Air Over Homes of Hollywood's Actors

SILVERTON, Dec. 6.—Hollywood should enjoy Christmas this year. Of the 1637 Christmas trees that left Silvertown for the south this week, 466 of them go to the Hollywood movie folk, according to R. M. Lees, of California, who has been directing the shipping of the trees by truck this week at Silvertown. Mr. Lees declared he had never seen such beautiful Christmas trees and that "Hollywood is going to know where they came from." All of which Silvertown feels is not more than fair as three of the motion picture actors and actresses who have gained more or less prominence during the movie cycle have at one time claimed Silvertown for "home." Juanita Hansen and Marguerite Fischer, whose star-days have become somewhat dimmed, and Clark Gable, who is at present shining very brightly, have lived here, the two former both being born here and the latter employed at the Silvertown mill for a time.

John W. Merrifield Asks For Bankruptcy Relief; Assets Stated at \$1160

SILVERTON, Dec. 6.—John W. Merrifield, against whom the circuit court jury recently found a \$10,000 automobile accident suit brought by Lawrence Solie of Silvertown, has filed petition in bankruptcy in the district federal court at Portland. Liabilities are \$14,508, assets \$1160.

To Work at Condon

SILVER CLIFF, Dec. 6.—Floyd Fox and Ivan Darby left Tuesday for the Buck Horn ranch near Condon, where they will make repairs on the buildings. Mrs. Kenneth Warnock is in Portland to be near her brother who is ill at the Coffey clinic.

Dayton Lodge Is Host for County

DAYTON, Dec. 6.—At the Dayton Odd Fellows temple Wednesday night 65 members of the county gathered and witnessed the initiatory degree work. Six lodges were represented with delegates. One candidate, Raymond Coffey, of Carlton, received the obligations and instructions put on by the Dayton degree team.

Veteran Hunter's Gun Brings Death To Coyote in Hills

SILVERTON HILLS, Dec. 6.—The first coyote killed here for nearly a year, was brought down this week by J. H. Maulding, veteran hunter of the Hills district. Coyotes have been doing considerable damage in the Hills vicinity during the autumn and farmers are making a consistent effort to hunt them down.

Success Attends Student Dramas

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 6.—The three one-act plays put on by the students of the high school Wednesday and Thursday in the training school auditorium were a huge success. The plays were splendid and both directors and students taking part deserved a great deal of praise.

Back at Teaching

ELDRIDGE, Dec. 6.—Miss Eleanor Barth, teacher at Eldridge in the primary room, is able to resume her work after an attack of influenza. She remained at her home in Salem during her illness. Mrs. W. R. Hicks taught the primary grades during Miss Barth's absence.

Another Teacher to Be Hired for Falls City; Turn Hall to Firemen

FALLS CITY, Dec. 6.—At a special meeting of the voters of school district No. 57, it was voted by a large majority to turn Victory hall over to the Voluntee Firemen's association, who plan to remodel and turn it into a community hall. It was also decided at this meeting to hire another teacher for the grade school, necessary due to the large increase in attendance this year.

Community Clubs

EVEN'S VALLEY, Dec. 6.—Plans are underway for the December program of the Evens Valley community club. The meeting will be held December 14. Preparing the program are Albert Funnrue, Raymond Funnrue and Genevieve Pederson.

Yule Customs of Other Countries Theme Talks Planned for Civic Club

MOLALLA, Dec. 6.—Christmas customs of other countries will be the theme of a series of short talks by club members at the next meeting of the Civic club December 12 at the home of Mrs. Carl Nelson. Musical numbers will also be on the program. The new chairman of the program committee is Mrs. Alfred Olsen. Assisting her are Mrs. S. A. Knapp and Mrs. Fred Henriksen.

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