sons Install New ficers at Drain

RAIN—At the last regular ting of Sunset Lodge No. 144 . & A.M. installation of officers for the new year was held follows: Worshipful Master, R. Randall; senior warden, J. Whipple; junior warden, Wil- Griswold; senior deacon, H. Goodmanson; junior deacon, ney Meachem; senior steward, Bernatzski; junior steward, D. Martin; secretary, Lloyd ns; treasurer, H. A. Woolman; shal, Dan Wright; tyler, Den- Bodle.

homas C. Huckins of the ted State navy spent the holi- s here at the home of his ents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huck- He was joined here by his , Mrs. Lenore Huckins, who ches school at Cottage Grove. Ward Henderson, who has been tioned in the U. S. army, in the nama Canal Zone. arrived e last week, for a visit with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl nderson, and sister, Mrs. Vir- ia McDonald and family. This Ward's first visit home since left three years ago. He has 20-day furlough.

S. CLARA THOMPSON

SHEDD. — Several from here nt to Albany to attend the eral of Mrs. Clara Thompson, resident of the Shedd neighbor- od. She was born in 1859 on her her's donation claim, the daugh- of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Morgan. 1883 she married Clell Thomp- who died in 1925. Surviving a son, Claude Thompson of hmond, Cal., two daughters, s Pearle Thompson of Metzgar, Mrs. Gladys Metzger of ringfield. Another daughter, la, died in childhood. Survivors o included two grand daugh- s, Mrs. Ivan Doty of Depoe Bay Miss Donnagene Nelson of ringfield and a great grandson, ude Lee Doty. Interment was the Brownsville Baptist ceme- y. Pallbearers were John Koos, hn Cornett, Elzy Morgan, Wayne oper, Roy Cooper, and Richard rwell.

TRIANGLE LAKE

TRIANGLE LAKE—Mr. and s. Glen Winny of Eugene, Mr. d Mrs. Jess Roush of Albany joyed Christmas with Mr. and s. Clarence Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Defoe and by of Noti spent a few days the home of the latter's par- ts, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil New- an.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Yardner and n, Glen, spent a week visiting latives at Sixes, Ore.

Miss Shirley Pontius and Mrs. ary Ellen Dodge of Camp Adair, ent their Christmas vacation ith Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pontius d Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ramsdell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carley Baker and ughter, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. orman Baker, Bruce and Helen, r. and Mrs. Bert Van Silus and ys enjoyed holiday dinner with r. and Mrs. Perry Baker at Eu- ne.

Carl Blankenship has moved in- the two room cabin at Dennetts ore and will board at the Christ- r home.

Mr. and Mrs Howard Walters of alifornia moved into Burch's cab- last week. Mr. Walters is work- g in the woods for Mike Sava- ch.

DELIGHT VALLEY

DELIGHT VALLEY—Mr. and rs. Ray Hite of Portland spent e holidays at the Dave Hite ome.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stalder and n, Frank, were holiday guests their daughter, Mrs. Paul chumpf in Portland.

Recent overnight guests at the ee Nixon home were Mr. and rs. Oscar Jackson of Eugene and rs. Ralph Blank and daughter everly of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Howard ave moved from the Horn ranch Walker, where the former has mployment at the Zumwalt- Villiams mill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Haight had holiday guests, Wesley Nich- lson, LaVerne Wattels, Mrs. Mary aul, son Gene and niece Elsie aight, all of Eugene.

Recent dinner guests of the harlie Conners' were Mr. and rs. Elmer Panko and son Stanley onner of Portland, Harry Con- er of McCredie Springs has pent the past week at the Conner ome.

T SHEDD

SHEDD.—Rev. J. W. Hamilton as returned from Portland after pending Christmas there with rs. Hamilton.

Mrs. Nellie Satchwell is spend- g some time in Salem with her daughters, Mrs. Robert Gatke and rs. Phil Merriam.

School has reopened after a hort Christmas vacation.

Junior Schlegel of the U. S. ma- ines is visiting his brother, Wil- ard Schlegel and family.

Lt. (j.g.) Orval Thompson and wife of Portland spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thompson.

The Girl Scouts enjoyed a Christmas tree and gift exchange recently at the home of Mrs. Doris Latimer. A potluck luncheon was served and a business meeting held.

The Priscilla club met recently at the home of Mr. Lee Elliott. The main feature of the afternoon was a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts. Miss Flora Mae Chandler was a guest.

Railroads in the first year of World War II handled in special trains and special cars alone 11,600,000 troops and their equipment, or more than four times as many as carried in the first year of World War I.

OES Installation Held at Shedd

SHEDD—The O. E. S. installation was held last week. Mrs. Mildred Oliver of Albany was installing officer for the O. E. S., assisted by Mrs. Esther Bond, marshal. Mrs. Lola Junkin, organist, Mrs. Gertrude Shoemate, chaplain. The following officers were installed: Mrs. Wanda Bailey, worthy matron; Pierce Jenks, worthy patron; Miss Katherine Pugh, associate matron; Balf Bond, associate patron; Miss Lucile Shedd, secretary; Mrs. Lyda Githens, treasurer; Mrs. Sylvia Townsend, conductress; Mrs. Hattie Peterson, associate conductress; Mrs. Lillie Blankenship, chaplain; Mrs. Esther Bond, marshal; Mrs. Fay Githens, organist; Mrs. Wilma Sloper, Adah; Mrs. Grace Jensen, Ruth; Mrs. Elida Jenks, Esther; Mrs. Meller Muller, Martha; Mrs. Vivienne Abraham, Electa; Carl Ronenkamp, sentinel; Mrs. Laura Thompson was unable to be present to be installed as warder. Special music was furnished by Miss Joan Graham and Miss Betty Bailey of Corvallis. Refreshments were served.

The Shedd Garden club met recently at the home of Mrs. Lena Pugh. The business meeting was followed by an exchange of plants and the serving of refreshments.

The roof of the gymnasium is being reshingled. Carpenters from Salem are doing the work.

Daffodils are up and in some sheltered spots are over an inch high.

FROM DRAIN

DRAIN. — Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Condon of Omaha, Neb., are visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leonard have returned from Kelso, Wash., where they visited Mrs. Snodgrass and family.

Mrs. Lottie Vandervert and granddaughter, Patty Cannon spent the holiday vacation in Klamath Falls at the home of the former's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cool and family spent the holidays at Glendale, at the home of Mrs. Cool's mother, Mrs. Gilbert Olson.

FROM REEDSPORT

REEDSPORT. — The annual Christmas program was given in the Gardiner school auditorium and those taking part were as follows: play, "The Lights of Christmas," with Florence Rookard, Billy Ping, Nancy Baldridge, Dora Mae Crowder, Donne Gerhard, Patty and Corkey Liggett; readings by Jimmie Serfling, Richard Vaughn, Jackie Lee Rookert, Charles Pfieffer, Johnie Townsend, Sally Conger, Jackie Jensen, Gene Hurd, Shirley Pitcher, Evelyn Van Tassel, Carolyn Lewis and Donna Fairchild; play, "The Real Santa Claus," with Nadine Byers, Louise Neispo, Hugh Minsker, Chester Perry, Margaret Crowder and Donald Reavis; Christmas carols by the primary room and a play, "A Christmas Tree for Josie," with Donna Abott, Wilanna Fisk, George Gerhard, Roy Stogsdill, Kim Campbell, Bill Townsend, Oscar Anderson, Betty Baldridge, Marilyn Gerhard, Penny Neispo, Marna Vaughn and Bernice Perry.

Clinton L. Cleveland, Jr., U. S. army, stationed in Panama, is a visitor at his home in Ada, having been called there due to the illness of his mother, Mrs. C. L. Cleveland.

Lt. and Mrs. Mike Morris (Genevieve Baldridge) are the guests of Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baldridge.

AT PLEASANT HILL

PLEASANT HILL. — Mrs. Joseph Neely has left for San Francisco where she is to join her husband who has a brief shore leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLeod, who are making their home in Roseburg for the winter, spent the holidays with son, Harold, and family at Pleasant Hill.

St. Mary's high school of Eugene and Pleasant Hill high played a practice basketbal game at the Pleasant Hill gymnasium this week. Pleasant Hill winning both games.

Miss Dolores Giustina, who is a student at St. Vincent school of nursing in Portland spent the New Year week-end at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parrett of the Willamette River ranch enter- dessert party recently.

tained 40 guests at a Christmas

The Pleasant Hill community was entertained by youthful Christmas carol singers one evening when a group of grade school children accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Otto made calls by automobile (modern sleigh) at a number of homes.

SAGINAW NOTES

SAGINAW—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keene and children were holiday guests at the Amos Ketcherside home in Cottage Grove. Guests Sunday at the Keene home were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cline of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cline and son of Disston.

The Harley Williams family spent Christmas with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Zumwalt of Delight Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Krebser and daughter, Diane of Ridgefield, Wash., visited recently at the home of Mrs. Krebser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Benston. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Willey and daughter Ruby Faye of Corbett, also visited at the Benston home.

Shirley Kraal of Blue River is spending the week at the Harley Williams home.

Lorane School Group Will Meet Thursday

LORANE — Lorane Patron-Teachers association will meet at the high school Thursday night, Jan. 6. The program will be given by army men from Eugene. Moving pictures will be shown. Refreshments will be served by the losing side in a recent membership contest. The side led by Dan Warnock had 67 members and the side led by Mrs. Peggy Davidson had 101 members.

The Neighborhood club, a Red Cross Sewing club, held a Christmas party recently at the home of Mrs. Arthur Barker. Gifts were exchanged. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Terrell.

Maxine Guggisburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guggisburg of Siletz, and Pvt. George Louis Dey, son of L. S. Dey of Lorane were married at Marshfield Christmas day. They visited this week with L. S. Dey. Pvt. Dey is now stationed at Camp White, Medford.

Holiday dinner guests at the L. N. Ashley home were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barker, Jimmy and Mary Ann, L. S. Dey, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherman of Cottage Grove.

The "Busy Bee" 4-H sewing club held a Christmas party recently in the home economics room at the high school. Refreshments were served and gifts exchanged. Mrs. Dan Warnock and Mrs. George Lynch are club leaders. There are 20 girls in the club.

IN CHESHIRE

CHESHIRE — M. A. McClain spent Christmas at Reedsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Wisdom have returned from a business trip to California and a visit with their son, Shirley, and family near Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Sorensen entertained at the annual family reunion. Among those present were their son-in-law and daughter, Cpl. and Mrs. Davis Eastwood and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Ellis of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sorensen and family of Cottage Grove.

Oscar Hult of the Tyee Lumber Co., has moved operations near Roseburg.

Recent visitors of the Emil Johnsons have been Mrs. E. E. Fisher of Eugene, and Miss Freda Peterson of Portland who has been here for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cheshire and two children of Portland arrived last week to spend Christmas and several days here with relatives.

Frank Jackson who is with the navy and stationed at Bremerton, was home recently.

IN ALPINE

ALPINE.—Mr. Gus Raysic, who spent a week in California, has come home.

Phyllis Irvin, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Irvin, was taken to Ball's hospital in Corvallis recently with a broken leg. She was injured when she fell off of a horse she was riding. Virginia Davidson, riding another horse was with Phyllis when the accident occurred.

Students of Alpine school had one week of vacation; school reopening on January 3.

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FROM BELLFOUNTAIN

BELLFOUNTAIN — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stanturf have received a letter from their son, PFC Gordon Laverne Stanturf, stating that he has arrived safely overseas. He is now stationed in North Africa. Private Stanturf also wrote that he had been presented with a Red Cross kit on Thanksgiving day and enjoyed it very much.

H. F. Irvin, assisted by J. A. Hensyel, has been building a car top for the new C. M. Miller mill transportation truck the past week. The bus will transport from 20 to 30 men from Monroe and other outlying districts to the I. P. Miller Lumber company's mill and logging woods west of Dawson. William Hull also assisted with the construction.

Mrs. Evadna E. Stahl received a communication recently from her son, Sergeant Technician-3 Clair F. Stahl, who has been stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, for several months, stating that he has arrived safely at his destination and is now located in the North African sector. S. T.-3 Stahl has spent a year or more in England with the U.S. army. His brother, Staff Sergeant Charles Arden Stahl, has been in England for a number of months, with the U. S. army.

Miss Dorothy Larkin, who is employed in the public schools of Irrigon spent Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Larkin.

WALDPORT ITEMS

WALDPORT—It is announced that the Elkins court, recently damaged by fire, will be rebuilt for the continued use of the coast guard unit.

Fishermen in this vicinity are taking up their shark nets and preparing for early crabbing this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McKinney and son, Gary, of Elkton spent the holidays at the Keady home in Waldport. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Pauk Keady of Beaver Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall and family of South Beach.

High tides of the past week came during clear weather and did no damage. Frosty nights and beautiful sunsets have prevailed.

The local postoffice handled a record amount of mail during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mills and son Mickey, spent Christmas with Mrs. Nannie Hall at Vernonia.

Many varieties of flowers are blooming in Waldport gardens.

Willard and Cliff Hall and their families spent the holidays with the Medford relatives.

G. G. Rohrer, whose auto court was recently damaged by fire, has accepted a clerical job at Portland. It is not yet known what disposition he will make of the Waldport property.

Rev. V. Louis Livingston, who is in charge of the Episcopal churches in Toledo and Newport, is planning to conduct services in Waldport once a month during 1944.

AT PHILOMATH

PHILOMATH — Pvt. F-C and Mrs. Charles Shaw are the parents of a Christmas day daughter. Pvt. Shaw is with the 362nd Infantry, 91st Division, Camp Adair.

Funeral services for Loren Francis Hurt, 6-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hurt of Portland were held at the Keeney Funeral Home in Corvallis. Rev. M. Goodrich of Portland officiated. Interment was made in the Mt. View cemetery. Mrs. Hurt is the eldest daughter of Lloyd and Alberta Hart Hyde, for many years residing in and near Philomath.

HOLIDAY EVENT

DORENA — Holiday guests at the Otis Chapman home were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whetham, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Burleson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Johnston and family, Mrs. Mary Enwright, of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long and family, Mrs. Jim Bridges and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carpenter, of Cottage Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Boxa of Mosby Creek, also Miss Betty Chapman of Portland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Chapman.

SAT PREDATE WORK ON DRESSINGS

PLEASANT HILL.—The yearly report of the Pleasant Hill Red Cross unit engaged in making surgical dressings for the army; shows that more than 250 women have received instruction during 1943. However the average attendance during the past few months has been between 20 to 25. As these dressings are needed by the armed forces it becomes the duty of every woman in the community to contribute a few hours weekly to the cause.

The meeting place is Pleasant Hill high school domestic science room and the time, Tuesday from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.; Thursday from 1 to 4 p. m. and from 7 to 10 p. m. There is ample table room to accommodate 20 workers at a time.

WAC GETTING REVENGE

FORT DEVENS, Mass.—(U.P.)—The Nazis took away her job as a court reporter seven years ago, so now Tina Abraham of Philadelphia is training with the WAC to take a crack back at the Axis.

Auxiliary Abraham, a law graduate of Frankfort University in Frankfort-am-Main, Germany, came to the United States three years ago.

SOUTH PARIS, Me. — (U.P.) — To borrow books in this village you have to go to jail. For 67 years prior to its conversion, the Hamlin Memorial Library was Oxford County's Old Stone Jail. Except for minor changes in the roof and removal of the cells, the building has undergone no alterations. The entrance is guarded by a heavy iron door and still there is the door of the "solitary" cell.

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PROGRAM AT CHURCH

REEDSPORT. — The Gardiner Community Methodist church was the scene of a Christmas program recently, the program being as follows: Opening prayer by Rev. Mr. Hotchkiss; "The Awakening," chorus, by the choir; reading, "Christmas candle," by Alice Neispo; song by Hugh Minsker, Shirley Pitcher and James Stogsdill; reading, "A Charing Christmas," by Ruby Stogsdill; tableau, "The Healing Christ,' with Sam Minsker, Muriell Paull and Doris Ann White; reading, "The Olden Story," by Evelyn Van Tassel; song by Donna Abbott and Nadine Byers; songs, by Mr. and Mrs. Hotchkiss; reading, "Christ Is Born," by Linnie Mae Serfling; tableau, Nelson Durbin, Oscar Anderson, Florence Rookard, Bill Townsend, George Gerhard, Gerry Minsker, Johnnie Townsend, Jackie Jensen and Donna Gerhard; reading, "Gifts for the Christ Child," by Hugh Minsker; reading, "Christmas Eve," by James and John Serfling and Hazel Stogsdill; reading, "The Santa That Wouldn't be Fooled," by James Stogsdill; and a prayer led by the pastor. Following the program Christmas treats were given all of the children present.

J. H. HENDERSON

PHILOMATH — John Hood Henderson, 85, died Wednesday at the home of his brother, Lige Henderson in Philomath, following a few days' illness. He was born in Lane county, Sept. 20, 1858. His parents, John B. and Susan Mulkey Henderson, were early pioneers. He married Ella Mulkey many years ago. They were the parents of nine children all of whom and the mother are dead. He is survived by two sisters and two brothers and a number of grandchildren.

SON BORN

FALL CREEK—Word has been received here of the birth of a son, Donald Clarence, Dec. 22, to Cpl. and Mrs. Clarence J. Kendall of Pueblo, Colo. Mrs. Kendall formerly was Rose K. Warner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norton Warner of Fall Creek.