Group Formed ...mira School

...A—A group of parents ...chers met at the Elmira ...gh school this week and ...d a Parent-Teacher club. ...wing officers were elect- ...sident, Mrs. Ivan Parke; ...sident, Mrs. Goldie Burns; ... Violet Inman; treas- ...lian Peterson. Following ... committees: program ... Rose Stacks; member- ...irman, Ethel M. Parker; ... chairman, LeRoy Scott; ...d means committee, Mrs. ...s. Mills March, and Mrs. ...th; publicity, Mrs. W. L. ... Meeting dates are the ... Tuesday of each month. ...freshments will be served ...eeting. Mrs. Lulu Gile, ... She will be assisted by ...e economics teacher and

...t the main projects they ...nsoring this year is the ... organized band of the ...A meeting place to practice ... selected. Donations are ...licited. The soliciting com- ...: W. L. Parker, chairman, ...arsh, Ralph Johnson, and ...cil Carlisle.

...van Parke and Mr. Ains- ...are to attend a special ...in scouting, sponsored by ...ene council. They will at- ...th Saturday and Sunday. ...out Christmas party is to ...the grange hall Saturday ...Dec. 23. All scouts, their ...asters, and the scout coun- ...to attend.

...on 4-H Club ...ers Meet

...TAGE GROVE—A regular ... of the London 4-H ...s' club was held this week ... clubhouse. A covered dish ...n was served at noon. ...rs worked on articles for ...aar. At the business meet- ... report on the state travel- ...rary was made by Mrs. ... Phillips, club librarian. ...have been returned to the ...brary. Since many of the ... loaned were taken by ... children who are served ... school library, it was de- ...ot to maintain the library ... clubhouse during this win-

... Jeanne Morton reported ... "G.I. Jane and G.I. Joe" ...mas gift packages given to ...merican Legion for hospi- ... service men and women. ...s were made for the an- ...Christmas party to be held ...dnesday, Dec. 20. No work ...le is planned for the day. ...member was asked to bring ... decorations for the tree ... gift for the exchange. A ...d dish dinner will be ... at noon. One new mem- ...Mrs. Edward Brissette, was ...ed into the club. House- ...n for the day were Mrs. ... Stump, Mrs. Doran Ritter, ... Gale Roby. Mrs. George ... was in charge of the nurs- ...ring the afternoon.

...eets

... Presbyterian Ladies Aid ...in the church parlors on ...esday afternoon. Mrs. Roy ... president, presided during ...siness session. Mrs. J. P. ...m led the devotions, the ...e being, "The Christmas ..." An announcement was ... that the aid had pledged ...0 a year for three years to ...urch. Late in the after- ... refreshments were served ...s. Carl Rynearson, Mrs. C. ...kins, and Mrs. Schofield ...rt.

... Frank E. Brown, minister ...e Cottage Grove Methodist ..., announces that the topic ...e Sunday morning service ...e, "Good in the Home."

...s Sunday

... Christmas Cantata, entitled, ...y in the Highest," by Roy E. ... will be presented at the ...odist church at 5 o'clock on ...y afternoon, Dec. 17. This ...a contains the following ...ers: "Songs of Gladness," ... by the choir, with soprano ...o by Mrs. Lois Leonard; ...thetic Voice," by the choir, ... a bass solo by Frank E. ...: "Tidings of Salvation," by ...oir, with a alto solo by Joyce ..., and a soprano solo by Mil- ...Safley; "Break Forth Into ... sung by the choir and a ... chorus; "On the Silent Mid- ... Thrilling," by the choir, ... a soprano and alto duet by ...ed Safley and Sara Bjorset; ... To God," sung by the ... "The Manger Lullaby," con- ...solo by Kathleen D. Rich- ... "O Vision Blest,' by the ... and a soprano solo by Elean- ...ilver; "Let Us Go Unto Beth- ..." by the choir and a bass ... by Robert Graham; "The ... of His Birth," by the choir ... a soprano solo by Lois C. ...rd; "Star of the Sages," by ...oir with a tenor and bass ... by Brighton Leonard and ... E. Brown; "Ring Forth, Ye ... of Bethlehem,' sung by the ..., with a soprano and alto duet ...honor Culver ad Joyce Clark. ...e cantata is directed by Kath- ...n Richards. Irene Schaffer ...ist, and Mrs. J. W. Englund ...anist. The public is invited ...end.

...e of the most ambitious ef- ... at international organization ...e World War I was the sec- ...Hague Peace Conference of ... called by Czar Nicholas II ...ssia at the suggestion of ...sident Theodore Roosevelt to ...ish international cooperative ...ency for the prevention of

...person who has suffered sun ...e is thereafter always sus- ...ble to heat.

Church Groups At Creswell Active

CRESWELL. — The Christmas party of the Sisterhood of the Christian church was held as a no-hostess event Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Minnie Henriksen. Mrs. E. A. Schwering was in charge of the program which consisted of scripture reading of the Christmas story, Mrs. F. B. Good; reading, Mrs. A. L. Hazzard; scripture reading and a Christmas prayer, Mrs. Schwering; contest games and the distribution of presents from a decorted tree. Names were drawn for secret pals. Mrs. Henriksen was assisted in serving by her daughter, Mrs. Loyd Wheeler. Mrs. C. I. Kent was a guest.

The postponed meeting of the Presbyterian Aid society was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Catherine Dorris with Mrs. A. R. Land assisting hostess. Mrs. C. H. Harrold conducted the devotions and read the Christmas story from Luke 2, also Longfellow's poem, "I Heard the Bell." Mrs. Minnie Anderson read an article. Mrs. K. C. Schwering presided at the business meeting. Gifts were distributed from a lighted tree. Guests were Mrs. Roy Hanson, Mrs. Gabriel, Mrs. H. S. Joslin and Mrs. Cameron.

Mrs. Billy Grant, Mrs. Frank Gardner, Mrs. Lillian Whitwer and Mrs. George Hayes were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Camas Swale club Tuesday. A potluck dinner was followed by a short business meeting at which Mrs. E. E. Allen was elected president; Mrs. Fred Trumbly, vice-president, and Mrs. A. B. Smith, secretary. Hostesses appointed for the next meeting are Mrs. O. H. Smith, Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mrs. W. L. Scott and Mrs. Guy Calhoun. Mrs. Carroll Bush will present the program. Mrs. G. R. Miller was in charge of the program for the day. Christmas carols were sung by all, Mrs. Calhoun read a poem and a quizz was held. Mrs. Malone was a guest.

The Youth Fellowship group of the Methodist church held a party at the church annex Wednesday evening. Twenty members with their adviser, Mrs. George Ross, and the pastor, Mrs. C. L. Camp, were present. Billy Fox, a former member, who is visiting here was a guest. Games were played until serving time. The Youth Fellowship circle closed the meeting.

FROM CRESWELL

CRESWELL—Mrs. Arthur Mogstad presided at the regular meeting of Honor Rebekah lodge Wednesday evening in the absence of Mrs. L. H. Brown, noble grand. Plans were discussed relative to the joint Christmas program and social evening with the IOOF members and families the evening of Dec. 20. All members are to bring materials for a cheer box and also gifts for exchange. One application for membership by initiations was presented. The serving committee for the Dec. 27 meeting consists of Mrs. Avia Graves, Mrs. Norman Skaggs, Mrs. Fred Trumbly, and Mrs. J. P. Walker. Joint installation with the IOOF lodge was planned for early January.

The regular meeting of the firemen was held at the city hall this week. Three calls to fires was reported during the month with only minor damages. The annual meeting with the election of officers will be held Jan. 2. Refreshments were served by W. L. Scott and R. C. Claghorn Jr

Mrs. Kenneth Haddock, formerly Leora Bear, and infant daughter Carrie Lee are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Bear. Mrs. Haddock is working for the Western Union at Monterey, Calif., while her husband is with the 96th infantry in the Philippines.

Mrs. W. L. Scott received word this week that her brother-in-law, PFC. Charles Rearrick, Cottage Grove, had been killed in action in Germany, Nov. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanson and son, Franklin Dee, of North Dakota are visiting with their cousin Mrs. Minnie Anderson. They have bought a part of Mrs. Anderson's filbert orchard and are building a home there.

L. A. Whitney has bought four lots in the Bohrnstedt addition and is having a house built.

Jeanne Fox, Sp. Q. 3-c has left for Washington, D. C. after a leave spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox.

Billy Fox,son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fox of La Grande, formerly of Creswell, is visiting at the home of his uncle C. C. Fox and family. He was recently dismissed from a veterans hospital and has received an honorable discharge. Mr. Fox was seriously wounded in foreign service.

Staff Sgt. Gale Jackins of Galveston, Texas is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. C. Fox, and family.

Dr. Silas J. Fairham, superintendent of the Cascade district of the Methodist church, spoke at the local Methodist church recently and conducted a quarterly conference following the meeting. Members of the Tri-Y club of the high school and their adviser, Mrs. G. A. Bryant, were guests. Mrs. C. I. Kent sang. The pastor, Mrs. C. L. Camp presided.

FROM CENTRAL

CENTRAL—The Willing Workers club of Central community will hold its annual Christmas party Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 20, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Williams. All ladies of the community are invited. The identity of "mystery pals" will be disclosed by a Christmas card. Gifts will be exchanged.

Surgical dressings work will be resumed Wednesday, Dec. 27 at the grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Storey and son, Ronald, came from Newburg Sunday and are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Storey.

The REA men are putting transformers up in this vicinity, and there is a prospect of having lights soon.

Mrs. A. C. Forney received news recently of the death of a sister in Nebraska, whom she and Mr. Forney had visited three years ago.

Canada declared war on Japan a few hours before the United States.

TROOP TRANSPORT—New view of the giant British liner Queen Mary, which with the SS. Queen Elizabeth has been carrying thousands of troops to the fighting fronts.

Church Christmas Program Set Sunday

JUNCTION CITY—Final dress rehearsals are being held for the presentation of "Why the Chimes Rang" by the Methodist Youth Fellowship and choir members of the Junction City Methodist church, Dec. 17 at 8 p. m. Mrs. Roy Brown is director of the 15-voice robed choir which will sing four Christmas numbers during the evening. The singers take their places as part of the setting for a middle ages cathedral in which the play is cast.

The play is being adapted and directed by Mrs. James Pitney, who with her husband is a counselor for the Junior Fellowship. This play is a dramatization of the story by Raymond MacDonald Alden entitled "Why the Chimes Rang," published by the Bobbs-Merrill company.

Cast members include the following: narrator, Elvan Pitney; Wilson Stigleman, Wilmer and Wilma Lyon, Don, Darlene, and Gary Empey, Bob Kelly, Mary Hughes, Martha Hooker, Don Carlsen, and Ted Wilde. Music background, Lorna Jager and June Kelso. Choir accompanist, Louise Anderson. Committee work is being done by other members of the Fellowship.

The public is invited to attend this service.

The morning sermon at the Methodist church on Sunday, Dec. 17, will be "Inasmuch." The evening service will begin at 8 o'clock. The Christmas service for the Riverview Methodist church will be Sunday, Dec. 24, at 10 a. m.

The Eastern Star chapter of Junction City will hold a special meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 18, for the purpose of initiation.

School Principal Feted On Birthday

MARCOLA—A surprise birthday party was given recently in honor of Berry Mauney, principal of the Marcola grade school and teacher of the 7th and 8th grades. After the recess the room sang "Happy Birthday" and then asked Mauney to the lunch room where he opened the gifts. Refreshments were served by some of the pupils assisted by Mrs. May Alcoin to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Mauney and daughter Kay Wayne Corn; Eddie Hanson, Bobby Jakeways, Roger Cutsfourth, Lula Libby, Barbara Jean Walters, Delsa Dee Lund, Avelta Nielsen, Hazel Miller, Jack Hodges, Eugene Elgart, Jimmy Libby, Ivan Erickson, Hazel Erickson, George Landers, Duane Mays, Roscoe Haynes, Victor Woodcock, Cecil Ward, Donald Wheeler, Onita Mabe, Joyce Queen. Presents were sent by Richard Rugh, and Cleo Earnest who were unable to be present.

A Christmas program is to be held Thursday evening, Dec. 21 at the grade school gymnasium. Treats are planned for all school and pre-school children.

Christmas vacation at the grade school begins Dec. 23 and lasts through Jan. 1.

Mr. Tribble recently returned from a visit with relatives and friends in eastern states.

Adrian Price was home on furlough and has left on his return to Fort Benning, Georgia.

Raymond Murdock also was home on furlough and left for Mississippi where he has been for some time.

Drainage System Due For Waldport

WALDPORT—In answer to a petition the city council has authorized the construction of a drainage system to include all territory west of highway 101 in Waldport, the cost to be apportioned among the property owners. The council has also appropriated money for the expense of a survey and cost estimate of a sewage disposal plant which will be built, if within reason. The proposition to sell a part of the old railroad right-of-way has never been settled and has been left to the new council which will meet Jan. 7.

Bishop Benjamin Dagwell of the Episcopal church was in Waldport this week, while on his way from Coos Bay to Newport and Toledo. He visted with a number of members in this vicinity.

The Waldport Garden club held its annual Christmas party Tuesday and received many gifts for the local loan chest. A winter flower show is planned for Jan. 13, from 2 to 9 p. m.

Mrs. Ralph Rayburn and son are here and are planning to go to Coos Bay where Ralph is now stationed.

Miss Mary Windhorst has resigned her teaching position in the Waldport high school.

Local residents are wondering if there will be any "roller coasters" along shore as a result of the recent earthquake in Japan. In 1923 this area experienced a series of high waves about 14 days after the quake but they came in at low tide and did no damage.

At Florence

FLORENCE— Quinlan Brown and Orval Nelson each was fined $500 in justice court here on gambling charges. A sum of $250 of the $500 amount was suspended providing they are not again convicted of operating a gambling game within the next two years. The two men were arrested Saturday night.

Hugh Faulkner was arrested by Sheriff O. E. Crowe Wednesday afternoon and has been given until Monday to enter his plea. He also is charged with operating a gambling game. John Edward Smith, who was arrested at Mapleton and who entered a plea of not guilty, will appear Dec. 20 at 2 o'clock for trial in justice court.

The five swans that make their annual pilgrimage to the mouth of the North Fork of the Siuslaw arrived Thursday morning and were first spotted by children attending the first and second grades of the Cushman school.

M. R. Snidow is taking inventory for the McCready Lumber company at Taft.

The fire siren sounded shortly after 10 p.m. Wednesday and summoned aid to put out a blaze at the LaDuke mill in Cushman. Only minor damage was done, one shed being destroyed before the blaze could be brought under control by the volunteer firemen.

AT BLUE RIVER

BLUE RIVER—The late Jack Luckey property has been purchased by Pete Monarch of Eugene. Some improvements are being made.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Payne have purchased the Glenn Horne property and will move to it in the near future. The Hornes have moved to property recently purchased near Rainbow.

Staff Sergeant Eldon Adamson, stationed at Camp Lewis, visited recently at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. Lester Payne and Mrs. Clark Wiltsey.

Mrs. E. E. Coombs has returned to her home in Kansas City, Missouri, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Swayze.

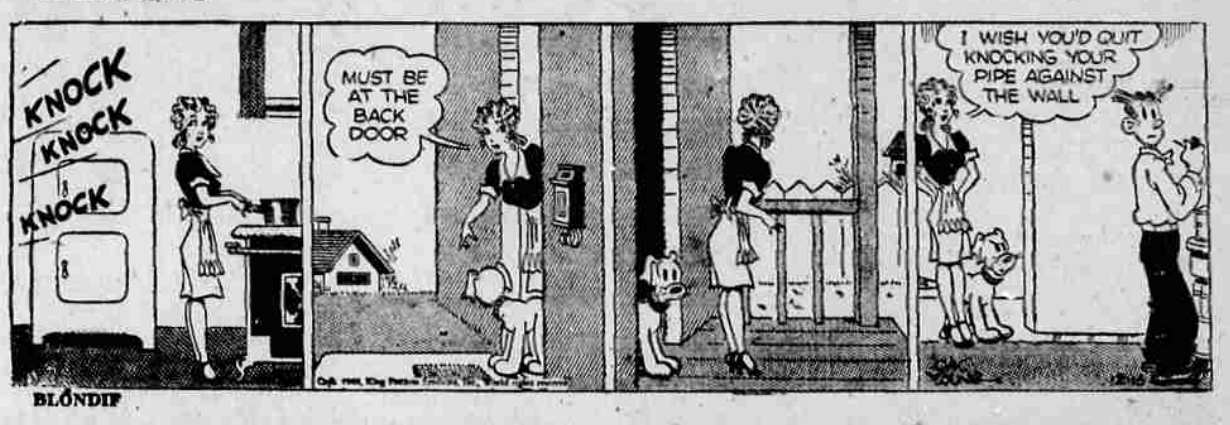
Recent guests at Forbes' Holiday farm were Miss Esther Ansel and Miss Ruth Stephenson, Girl Scout executives of Portland, Henry Carney of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hadley of Reno, Nevada, visited recently with his uncle, Charles Hadley and family.

Mrs. Orval Dyer of Sheridan, Wyoming, is visiting her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Dyer.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

GASOLINE ALLEY



BLONDIE

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

WASH TUBBS

ALLEY OOP

OUT OUR WAY

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

Santa Clara News

SANTA CLARA—Mrs. E. A. Mock entertained recently at her home honoring Mrs. J. R. Schur from Vancouver, Wash., formerly of Santa Clara. Mrs. Mock invited some old friends in for tea. They were Mrs. J. R. Schur, her son, Wayne Schur, Mrs. Frank Toubenkau, Mrs. J. E. Barker, Mrs. C. A. Conant, Mrs. S. E. Natson, Mrs. W. O. Shoemaker, Mrs. J. J. Jensen and the hostess Mrs. Mock.

Lloyd Forcum from Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Meyers and daughter Jean from Florence, Mr and Mrs. Bill Vanderpol and family from Jasper, Mrs. Sam Pakulak and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Forcum of Santa Clara were recent dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Forcum. Lloyd Forcum left Tuesday morning for his home.

Santa Clara Ladies Aid society met Wednesday, all day, Quilting and peacing quilt blocks was the work. The service flag arrived. The ladies voted to hold a penny social Jan. 19 with Mrs. Arthur Guthrie chairman of the kitchen committee; Mrs. E. C. Hart chairman of serving committee; Mrs. Benshadler, clean up chairman; Mrs. C. D. Chezem and Mrs. Robert Bennett cashiers; and Mrs. N. L. Hart and Mrs. H. R. Emerson, advertising.

Alice Barker has returned home from Portland where she has been doing defense work.

CLUB ENTERTAINED

MEADOWVIEW—The Meadowview Card club held a "housewarming" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hofer in Eugene. After an early potluck supper four tables of cards were in play. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demming are new members of the club. The next meeting will be Dec. 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hofer, with an early potluck supper.