

SOCIETY

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Owing to the general preparation for the Christmas holidays, there have been but few activities in the social circles in Bend during the past week. Home coming relatives and guests are arriving daily, numerous dinner parties will be enjoyed on Sunday and social pleasures scheduled for the holiday week.

Miss Agnes Sheridan who is a student at the University of Washington at Seattle arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with her mother at the J. H. Melster home on Drake Road.

Mrs. E. D. Gilson returned the first of the week from a two month's sojourn with relatives and friends in Butte, Mont., Coeur d'Alene, Ida. and Spokane and Ritzville, Wash.

The Christmas dancing party held Wednesday evening at the Masonic hall proved to be the most delightful social function ever given by the Masonic Order.

The assembly hall was most beautifully decorated for the occasion. In the center of the ceiling hung a huge Christmas bell covered with greenery in which tiny colored electric lights were concealed and from which radiated red and green streamers to the four corners of the room. Each of the chandeliers was also covered with evergreens, pendants of tinsel suspended from each producing the effect of hanging icicles. In the center of the rear platform a home scene with a fireplace in readiness for the St. Nick's visit was represented while bowers of greenery were arranged on either side. The Saxo-jazz orchestra secluded within one of these nooks furnished the music for the dancing which included a number of moonlight waltzes, particularly effective in the decorative setting. As a special musical feature of the evening a double quartet composed of Mrs. Ashley Forrest, Mrs. Byron Royce, Mrs. Glen Goodman, Mrs. Horace Richards, Charles G. Wilson, Charles W. Erskine, Glen Goodman, and Dr. L. W. Gatchell sang a number of Christmas carols which included the familiar "Joy to the World," "Little Town of Bethlehem," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" and "Holy Night." At the usual hour light refreshments were served.

The Episcopal guild held its regular meeting on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. K. Brooks. Following the business meeting the hours were spent in sewing and at 4:30 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served.

Mrs. W. R. Speck is anticipating the pleasure of entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Harland of Villa, Wash., during the Christmas week.

Mrs. Lou Gray and Miss Bertha Peeper of Portland will spend the holiday season at the A. F. Larson home on Drake Road.

The passing of the Old Year is to be celebrated at the American Legion building with a big cabaret party to be put on by the American Legion and the Auxiliary which from the interest already being shown will draw a large crowd.

A very novel form of decoration which is being kept as a surprise feature will be elaborately carried out. Tables will be arranged on the floor of the main auditorium accommodate four hundred persons, reservations for which are now on sale. Each reservation will be made for the entire evening and will entitle the holder to the entertainment for the evening which will include music, dancing and a program of four clever acts of two parts each. Refreshments will be served by a bevy of girls in costume who will later pass among the crowd selling fun provoking devices. Altho only four hundred persons can be accommodated on the main floor, the gallery will be open to spectators.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thompson arrived Wednesday to spend the holiday season at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Erskine.

This week ushered in one round of pleasures for the children of Bend. On Thursday evening over 900 boys and girls were the guests of the American Legion and a number of other leading organizations at a big community Christmas tree and program at the American Legion building. This evening they will be entertained with similar programs at each of the churches. However, the greatest social event of the year for the children will take place at the

Elks' club rooms at 8 o'clock when the B. P. O. E. will hold a big Christmas party to which individual invitations have been sent to seven hundred boys and girls.

Three large trees are in readiness for the occasion, each decorated and laden with a remembrance for each guest. The program will include story telling and games in charge of Mrs. William Searcy, two solo dances, "The Fairy" and "Jack Frost" by Miss Irene Carr, and a vocal solo by Mrs. R. B. Gould. Immediately following the program, Santa Claus is scheduled to arrive, extend greetings and assist with the distribution of gifts. As the final pleasure of the evening, the children will be taken to the Liberty theatre where a film will be shown which to them will have a special interest, a dog story, "The Eternal Triangle."

A watch party will be held at the Christian church on New Years Eve for which a number of interesting social diversions are being planned.

Mrs. Charles Knowles and son Jack leave Sunday for Portland where they will spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Knowles' sister, Mrs. B. A. Ewers.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bennett and family will spend Christmas day at the home of Hubert Scoggins at Plainview.

Mrs. Isobel Ough of Portland arrived Tuesday to spend the holidays at the home of her son L. V. Ough.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Peoples Church
Divine services will be held on Christmas Sunday both morning and evening. Dr. Hartraft will preach at both services. The morning sermon will be on Christmas; and the evening sermon will be on "The Life and Work of Christ." The evening sermon will be illustrated by the use of a stereopticon. The morning service will be at 11 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30.

The Bible school will hold its meeting at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at the home of Dr. Hartraft.
J. W. COLLETTE, Moderator.

First Baptist Church
Unified plan. Services appropriate to the day. Sunday school beginning at 9:45.
Christmas sermon, "The Magi's Christmas Day," at 11. B. Y. P. U., group IV in charge, Grace Dodson, leader, at 6:30. Evening sermon, "A Christmas World," at 7:30. Prayer service, and business meeting, Wednesday night, at 7:30. Christmas program, Saturday evening beginning at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to attend all these services at this homelike church.

The pastor wishes all, including ye editors, A Happy Christmas and A Happy New Year.
F. H. BEARD, pastor.

Presbyterian
Christmas services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11

MRS. MULLER

of the
Hairdressing Parlor

Extends the heartiest Christmas and New Years greetings to all her patrons and friends. May the following little poem be a help to all of us in reaching our goal in the coming year.

THE LESSON

Nothing outer e'er can hurt thee
Only thou thyself can'st harm
Keep thy spirit calm and trustful
Naught external need alarm.
By thy thought thy life is fashioned
Wether good or wether ill
Acts of others cannot sway thee
If love divine thy soul doth fill.
Still, be still and learn this lesson
Love divine brings health and peace
Let it penetrate thy being
All thy sorrows then will cease.

and 7:30 in the evening, conducted by Rev. B. L. Harper of Wilbur, Ore.

Special music in charge of Miss Dolores Catlow.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. This evening at 7 o'clock the Sunday school children will present a very pleasing program, with a tree and treat for all.

The deferred congregational meeting called by the Pendleton Presbytery will be held in the church Wednesday evening, December 28 at 7:30 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public, to all of these meetings.

First Lutheran

A Merry Christmas to all!
There will be no Sunday school at the Lutheran church on Christmas day. Services will be held at 11 a. m. in English and 8 p. m. in Norwegian. Christmas program by Sunday school Monday evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation to all.
S. A. STENSETH, pastor.

Methodist-Episcopal

Tomorrow is Christmas. In what more fitting manner can the day be observed than by bringing the family to church? At the First Methodist Episcopal church you will find a warm welcome and the Christmas spirit in all the services of the day. At the 11 o'clock service solos in addition to the Christmas hymns, will comprise the musical program. Miss Dolores Catlow will sing "The Holy City" and Mr. Oscar Kregnes will render a selected baritone solo.

Sunday school at 9:45 and Epworth league at 8:30 as usual.

The informal evening service, beginning at 7:30 with hearty singing and an appropriate sermon will prove a refreshing way in which to spend the early part of Christmas evening.

This evening, beginning at 7:00 o'clock, the Sunday school will present its annual Christmas program in Epworth hall. Seating for more than 400 has been provided and a cordial welcome is extended to children and adults alike. A Christmas package of excellent, home-made candy, fudges and brittle, will be presented every child present.
J. EDGAR PURDY, pastor.

Wishing You Christmas Joy

As the star that shown in the east has made peace and happiness on earth possible, let each one of us wear a smile to brighten our path where e'er we go.

Accept our wish for happiness to all this Christmas time.

The Bake-Rite Satinary Bakery

May the green of the Holly be emblematic of the hope within your heart, and may the red glow of the berry indicate your good cheer and happiness.

The Thompson Music Co.



We Wish You All
A Merry Christmas

Symons Brothers



Successful business is founded on mutual friendship. We count all our customers as friends, and to each we extend our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE PARISIAN LADIES' OUTFITTERS BEND, OREGON



Christmas Greetings

With the close of Christmas shopping comes the happiest time of all the year—the time to give the gifts that have been so carefully selected.

We ask that you accept our gift—a thought of kindness and a sincere wish for a Merry Christmas to all.

Heyburn Hardware Co.

Our Message of Cheer

May Santa Claus visit every child this year and leave the gifts that were so fervently desired. May those gifts bring a happiness that will remain throughout the entire year and still be beaming on the little faces when next Christmas time rolls around.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas.

TOYLAND THE FAIR STORE