

FORD MEMORIAL CHURCH OFFERS SUNDAY MUSIC

West Salem—There will be a Christmas concert in Ford Memorial church Sunday evening. The choir, under the direction of Alvin Meade with Mrs. Ray Ferguson at the piano, has been practicing for some time on the numbers and one of the finest programs ever given in this church is anticipated.

The program includes: Piano solo, "Candlelight," choir; hymn, "Silent Night," congregation; prayer; chorus, "The Notes of Joy," Christmas lesson; vocal duet, "Hark What Mean These Holy Voices," Miss Gertrude Warren and Miss Martha Warren; chorus, "Swing Ajar Ye Gates of Night," choir; Hawaiian guitar music, P. C. Heide; vocal duet, Miss Hope Raymond and Miss Alice Cross; violin duet, "Humoresque," D'Vera, Mr. and Mrs. P. Foelki; double quartet, "Wonderful Story," vocal solo, "The New Born King," R. A. Raymond; vocal duet, "Brightest and Best," Mrs. Guy Newcomb and Rev. H. C. Stover; chorus, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne," choir; hymn, "Joy to the World," congregation; benediction.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM FOR SHAW

Shaw—The Shaw public school held its annual Christmas entertainment Thursday evening.

The pupils of the school presented the following program: Recitation by Emma McAllister; song by fourth and fifth grades; recitation by Dudley Wells; song by sixth and eighth grades; recitation by Howard Booth; song by three girls; exercise by five boys; song by Geraldine Keene, instrumental music by Mrs. John Grucho and S. Barry; play by the school, "Queen's Xmas," and "Good Night" by Geraldine Keene. After the program Santa Claus distributed presents and candy.

THEFT OF CLOTHING CHARGED AT DALLAS

Dallas—Theft of clothing and a revolver from the home of Arnold A. Muck, above Falls City, is charged against Alvin Manning and Glen Redding, according to a complaint filed in the Dallas justice court.

SEVERSONS RETURN

Silverton—Henry Severson and his older daughter, Mrs. Clarence Sebo, have returned from a month's stay in Minnesota and North Dakota. They were called to Northfield, Minn., by the death of Severson's brother. Only a year ago Severson made a similar trip with the remains of his wife, who had passed away here.

CLASS SEES PLAY

St. Paul—The junior and senior English classes motored to Portland Wednesday afternoon to see the play "Macbeth" under the direction of their English instructor, Miss Alice McGrath.

HOWITZER UNIT TO GIVE XMAS DANCE

Woodburn—Howitzer Company, 186th Infantry, will give their annual Christmas ball at the armory on Christmas night. Music will be furnished by the Sunnyside Serenaders of Portland and the affair promises to be the big dance of the year. The proceeds will be used for new furnishings for the armory.

ACADEMY FILLS AUDITORIUM AT XMAS PROGRAM

Mt. Angel—The students of Mt. Angel academy gave their annual Christmas program Thursday evening in the academy auditorium. A large number was present. The cast of characters were as follows: Felix Aeternus, the Holy Child, Mary Stahl; Bella Hatton, the Christmas bride, Mary Gassman; Edith Hatton, mother of Bella; Agnes Pruss; Agnes Fonden, a sick friend of Bella's; Eva Borchow; Marian, Mrs. Fonden; mother of Agnes, Olive Kluger; Nancy Rhoden, the maiden of the aunt of Bella, Barbara Cowan; maid of Nancy, Irene Zollner; Robert, a boy friend of Agnes', Marjory Pierni; Bessie, the leader of a number of classmates of Agnes, Doris England; Catherine and Molly, schoolmates, Eleanor Woods and Helen Piennett.

First act chorus—Georgina Piennett, Shirley Howle, Agnes Hickley, Germaine Sprauer, Irene Zollner, Anna Wampach, Marie Selig, Dolores Annon, Louise Stecklein, Doris England. Second act chorus—Eleanor Woods, Marjory Halden, Vena Bell, Rachel Ball, Janet Woods, Ursula Hoffman, Florence Zollner, Doris Hoffman, Mary Borchow, Helen Piennett and Dolleen Terhaar.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON IS GIVEN IN SILVERTON

Silverton—Mrs. Denny McCleary and her daughters-in-law, Mrs. Elgin McCleary, and Mrs. Purl McCleary, entertained at a bridge luncheon Wednesday afternoon at the Dr. McCleary home. Prizes were received by Mrs. Rholla Cooley, Mrs. George Hubbs and Mrs. Greba Hicks Bondell, of Salem.

SERVICES SCHEDULED

Scio—Rev. Stewart's theme at the Christian church in Scio next Sunday morning will be, "The Spread of Christianity in Europe." He will preach at Mt. Pleasant at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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WACONDA CLUB MEMBERS MEET AT NUSOM HOME

Waconda—One of the most interesting meetings of the year was held by the Waconda Community club on Wednesday from 10 o'clock until 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Aaron Nusom.

A pot luck dinner was served at noon, all outstanding bills were paid and all old business taken care of, election of new officers to serve for one year only, will be held at the next meeting.

A large box of rags, toys and other articles all made by the club women under the direction of Mrs. Robert Cole, was packed to be sent to the orphan farm home at Corvallis for Christmas. Ten dollars was sent to the Capital Journal for the Christmas Cheer Fund.

Each club member brought canned and fresh fruit and vegetables and other unperishable edibles and many articles to wear, and a large box was packed with them and presented by the club as a Christmas gift to a destitute family in this section. One quilt was finished and sent to a needy family in Salem.

The usual club baby gift was presented to Baby Norman Peterson and one new member was initiated. The hostess served refreshments during the afternoon.

In the group were Mrs. George Lemery, Mrs. Isadore Loran, Mrs. F. J. Ingram, Mrs. Elsworth Hubbard, Mrs. Frank Pelton, Mrs. Henry Stafford, Mrs. Robert Cole, Mrs. C. Russell, Mrs. A. L. Lamb, Mrs. William McGilchrist, Miss Hattie Skelton, Mrs. Van O. Kelley, Mrs. Francis Nusom, Mrs. Richard Patterson, Mrs. Allyn Nusom, Mrs. Pearl Patterson, Mrs. A. L. Collins, Mrs. Fern Runco, Velle Feltton, Donald Nusom, Norman Patterson, Charles Patterson and the hostess, Mrs. Aaron Nusom.

The next meeting will be postponed one week due to the holidays and will be held on January 3 at the home of Mrs. Isadore Loran

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CAMPFIRE GIRLS AND SCOUTS BUSY

Stayton—The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held Thursday. The three groups of Campfire girls gave a pageant, and the Boy Scouts exemplified their work and received many compliments. Music and lunch followed the program.

INDEPENDENCE NEGATIVE TEAM DEBATE WINNER

Independence—The high school debating teams are having preliminary debates getting ready for the state schedule which will follow the holiday season.

A lively debate was given this week in which the negative team won the subject, being: "Resolved, That pupils of Science II should only use pasteurized milk."

Affirmative speakers were Hope Hershberger, Ruth Cuthbert and Elizabeth Baker, with the negative team composed of Vera Ramey, Hazel Rash and Florence Soden.

Judges were Prof. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dison, who gave all three points to the negative team.

80TH BIRTHDAY IS HONORED AT BROOKS

Brooks—Honoring her mother, Mrs. C. D. Naylor, on her 80th birthday, Mrs. Dunlavy gave a dinner on Wednesday evening at the Dunlavy home in Brooks. A large birthday cake with lighted candles formed the table centerpiece. Guests were Miss Ellen Hackit, Robert Hackit, Lyle Glover, of Brooks; Rev. and Mrs. D. George Cole, of Jefferson; John Dunlavy, Jr., and the hostess.

MANY TONGUES REPRESENTED AT MILL CITY

Mill City—The Christmas program of the high school given Friday afternoon, was given in the different languages known by the students.

The Latin students sang, "Adante Fideiis" and the Spanish students sang "Silent Night, Holy Night" in Spanish. The students that can speak Bohemian sang a Christmas song of Bohemia and "The Plambeck Trio" sang a song in German. Besides these there were songs in English.

The grade school gave a program at the Hammond hall Thursday night. The little tots of the first

four grades opened the program with Christmas songs. The three upper grades gave a Christmas play, representing the old and the new Christmas. After the program Santa Claus gave a treat to all the school children.

Mill City—The Hammond Lumber company mill started work against Friday noon after a shutdown on account of high water.

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