

THE RAIL SPLITTER

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December's snow weather and Santa's coming.

When I go to grandma's I always get so many toys for Christmas.

But when I stay in Ashland I don't get hardly anything. There is snow at grandma's and there isn't any here. And Santa's sleigh won't go without the snow.

December is here!

Christmas is near! And Santa Claus soon with his sleigh will appear.

Waldo Trusty, 5A Grade

A CHRISTMAS STORY

There was once a little boy who was good to his mother. He got the wood up and washed the dishes.

When Christmas came he got a bicycle and candy and some toys. He was happy as could be, and he showed the boys his presents. They were glad to see the things he had.

HARVEY GEARHART, THE UNHAPPY CHRISTMAS

Once there was a very poor little boy. But he thought there was a Santa Claus and he thought that he would bring him something.

When he woke up he went to look in his stocking but there was nothing.

But he said he was glad that other boys and girls were happy even if he did not get any thing.

John Miller, 5A

How Does Santa Go Across the World in His Sled?

Once there was a little boy. His name was Noron. One day he said to his father, "Father, father, please tell me how Santa goes across the sky with his reindeer."

Father said, "I do not know. You will have to ask him when he comes tonight."

The little boy said, "Well, how can I see him tonight, because I will be asleep."

Father said, "Then you won't get to find out."

"Oh, daddy, I should be in bed asleep."

"Well, then, my son, you must go to bed and sleep tight."

SANTA CLAUS

Santa Claus comes from the northland. Bob told his brother, "I know him too. His name is Mr. Pops, because it is our dad. I saw him last Christmas. If you stay up too late Santa will never come. But if you're good he will come."

Darrell Stelaff, 5B

ON THE BIG SLEIGH

Last year when I lived in Marshfield I went to school there. It snowed all one night. I went to school there and brought my little sled and when we got there two boys found a big horse sleigh. We brought it up to the top of the hill. There were ten boys on the big sled. We started down the hill and we went very fast. There

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In front of us was a big stump. We went right into the stump. We went up the hill again, and I jumped on the sled and down we went right into a great big pit. It was about six feet deep. We had a hard time getting out of the pit and all of us quit riding the big sled down the hill. Frank Urian, 6 B grade

A HAPPY CHRISTMAS

All was still in the little house where Tim Long lived. It was Christmas Eve. Tim's parents were very poor. They could not buy him anything for Christmas.

As they were by the fire they heard something light on the roof. In an instant Santa Claus jumped down the chimney. He gave Tim all kinds of toys. He gave the old people presents too.

Tim got up feeling sad but when he saw what Santa had brought him he jumped and sang till he was out of breath. Then he sat down and began playing with his toys.

Teddy Gillson, 6 B grade

THOUGHTS

How does Santa know if you or I are bad? Does he look in the window? But think of all the little children in the world?

Mother says that Santa knows when little girls and boys are bad. I wonder if Santa has lots of eyes. When I seen him at the store he only had but two eyes.

Mother said that Santa was going to be in the store and then I can ask him all these questions.

Ruth Hale, 5 A grade

BOYS AND GIRLS AID SOCIETY

The boys and girls of the Lincoln school are going to do a good deed by giving the Aid Society at Portland Oregon some provisions for Christmas.

Cora Mae Eachers, 6 A

NORMAL STUDENTS WILL LEAVE US

The end of this week the Normal students who have been teaching us will leave. We were disappointed when we heard they were going as we enjoyed their help very much.

Janet Gould, 6 A

SHORTEST LOVE STORY

LONDON, (UP)—The world's shortest love story told in eleven words is contained in the "Agony Column" of one of London's daily newspapers. It reads: Canoe. Couple. Cupid. Congratulations. Car. Church. Choral. Cake. Champagne. Confetti. Continent.

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Society

Miss Dorothy Reid, Editor

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, December 17. — Annual Xmas party Who Do Class M. E. Church Friday evening, Dec. 17. Church parlors.

Monday, Dec. 20.—American Legion Auxiliary will meet in the Pioneer hall on Winburn Way.

Monday, Dec. 20.—Royal Neighbors will meet in the Moose Hall.

Tuesday, Dec. 21.—Civic Club will meet in the clubhouse on Winburn Way.

Tuesday, Dec. 21.—Alpha Chapter No. 1. O. E. S. will meet in the Masonic Hall.

Thursday, Dec. 22.—Lady Elk's Card club will meet in the Elk's clubrooms. Hostesses, Mrs. T. H. Simpson and Mrs. H. O. Frabach.

Friday, Dec. 24.—G. A. R. will meet at 2 p. m.

January 8.—College Club luncheon at Hotel Holland, Medford, Ore.

"Peggy's Pep Peddler's" Meet—The last meeting of "Peggy's Pep Peddler's", the stringed instrument club of this city, was held in the ballroom of the Lithia Springs Hotel on the evening of Wednesday, December 15.

The business meeting was called to order by the secretary, Miss Dorothy Stevens and a very interesting business session was held, during which time many important matters concerning the club were taken up and discussed.

The remainder of the delightful evening was spent in dancing, and at a late hour the party went down to the Plaza Confectionery and were served ice-cream, wafers and candy. The hostesses for this happy affair were the Misses Mildred Moss, and Margret Irwin and the host was Raymond Cotter.

Lincoln P. T. A.—An interesting meeting was held by the Lincoln P. T. A., Parent Teacher Association, in the Lincoln school, Friday afternoon, December 17, with Mrs. Clinton Baughman presiding.

A most delightful program was presented by the pupils of the school. The students in Miss Hileman's room gave a clever one-act play, which was followed by a guitar number by Paul Icenhower. Miss Rose Aitken played a beautiful cello accompanied at the piano by her mother, Mrs. H. S. Aitken.

Normal School Cantata Presented—

The Christmas cantata, "Emmanuel," under the direction of Miss Leona Marsters, was presented Thursday evening December 16 in the Normal school auditorium, to a very large and appreciative audience, by the glee clubs of the school.

The clubs had worked hard and faithfully for the event, and Thursday night's entertainment was of unusual merit. The stage was beautifully decorated with Christmas trees, greens and tinsel, and the program started with a very impressive candle procession.

The program was as follows: Adeste Fideles—Reading. Hark, The Glad Sound—Worthing, Chorus. Saw You in the Twilight—Bacher. Once Long Ago, Bohemian Carol. Sleep Holy Child—French Carol, Womens' Chorus. Silent Night, Holy Night, Gruber, Male quartet. The first Nowell—Traditional. Sing, Oh Sing, This Blessed Morn—Worthing. Hark, What Mean Those Holy Voices—Worthing, Chorus. O Little Town of Bethlehem—Stevens, Jennie Grover. Joy Fills Our Inmost Hearts Today—Worthing, Ralph Church and chorus. Leona G. Marsters, director. Lolita Pierson, accompanist.

Art Club Has Christmas Party—

The Art Club of this city had a delightful "no-hostess" Christmas party in the Civic Clubhouse on Winburn Way, Monday evening, December 13. The rooms were most artistically decorated with Christmas trimmings and greens. A delicious covered-dish supper was daintily served at a table, the centerpiece being a small brilliantly decorated Christmas tree.

Acquitted in Oil Lease Scandal



Three sketches of former Secretary of the Interior, Albert B. Fall, recently acquitted in the Teapot Dome Oil lease scandals.

The evening was happily spent in pleasant conversation until a late hour, when the Christmas presents were given out.

High Hat



"Art Club" is what Reboux calls her new modied felt. The pile, being longer than ordinary felts, lends itself well to this treatment of pressing down the design.

GOLF

ETIQUETTE By Billy Selkirk

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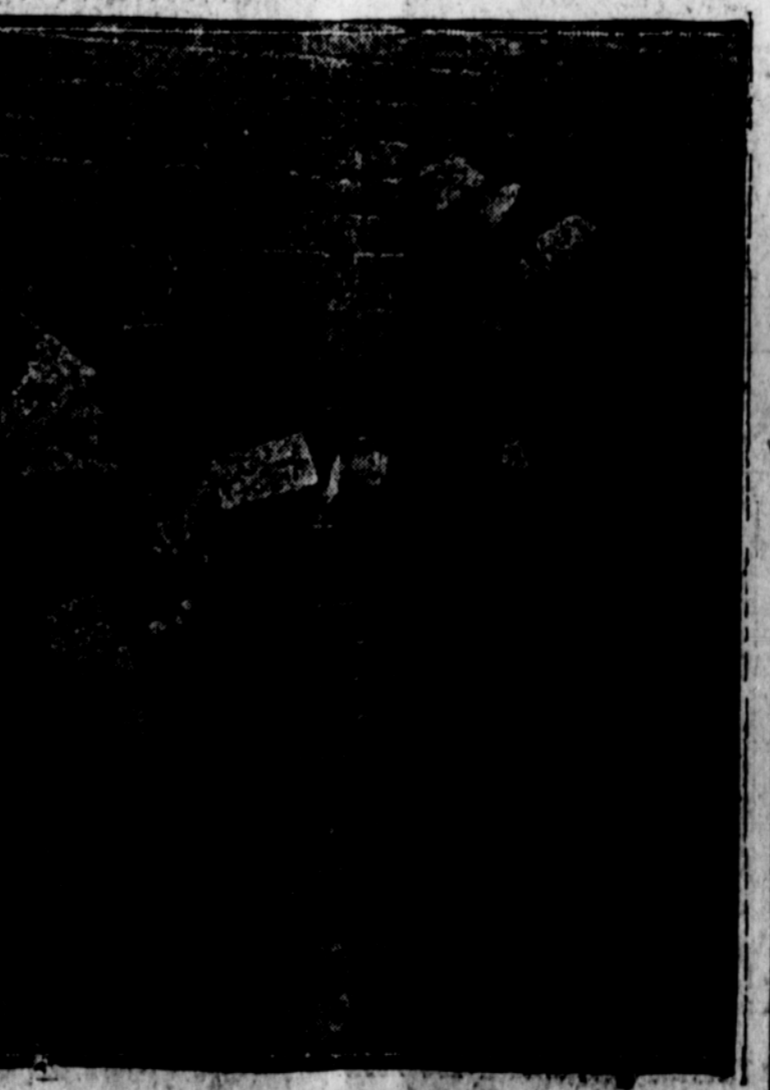
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EDISON IN FAVOR OF MODERN YOUNGSTER

Says He is Glad They Are Not What They Used to be

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(UN)—Young people of today are not what they used to be and Thomas A. Edison, approaching his 80th birthday and looking backwards, is glad of it, the inventor says in an interview in the current of Forum magazine.

"Lady Frederick" Buys Seals



Pauline Frederick, who appeared in "Lady Frederick" last week at the Heilig Theatre in Portland, was met near the stage entrance by little Helen Lathrop, aged 6, and was asked to buy Christmas seals.

Miss Frederick said she was most happy to buy them because they help little children to keep well. Helen is here seen receiving the money and a gracious smile.

Edison considers the present crop of youngsters "tame," compared with those when he was a boy, and takes a decidedly gloomy view of the future. Admitting that the outlook of the present generation of youth is different from that of the generation which preceded it Edison says that if such were not the case the present generation would be hopeless. Youth, he asserts is not deteriorating.

The present race of women is healthier than those of the last century, the inventor said.

Asked if he agreed that men and women should step aside at 35 and make way for a new generation, Edison set 50 years as an age such abnegation should be appropriate.

A man who has reached the age of 36, he said, is just beginning to get down to business. As for the "prevailing unrest," Edison said that the "unrest" may be and often has been dividends.

MANY WILL SHARE IN \$3,000,000 ESTATE

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on and Thomas L. Cotton, Gonzales. Utah, J. A. Riggs, Panuitich; Mrs. Dolly Bleak, Provo.

Washington — W. Percy McCandless, Eugene McCandless, Harry McCandless, Daisy McCandless, Davis and Gertrude McCandless Devlin, all of Centralia; Eva McCandless Hinckley, Olympia.

California—Mrs. Susie E. Flack and Leslie Walter Johnson, San Bernardino. The bulk of the other claimants are residents of North and South Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana.

Chewing gum, postage stamps, matches—they all sell for a penny. But Christmas Seals, bringing health and happiness, are penny investments paying high dividends.

Kiwanis Club Hears Reports

Annual reports of committees occupied the attention of the Kiwanis club at their regular luncheon meeting yesterday. The committee reports indicated that the club was in a most healthy condition, with th emembership showing an increase and the attendance record for the year above standard. President of the Club, J. H. Hardy predicted in his annual report that next year will be the best in the history of the local club. Community singing under the leadership of Henry Enders, Jr., was another feature of the meeting.

Money from the 1925 Seal Sale sent a speaker to 23 teachers' institutes and to the annual meeting of each one of the 19 county health associations.

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