

Sandy Thrift, a student at Stanford arrived here Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays.

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Most of this week's parties have been Christmas celebrations. The clubs meeting during the week have all had gift exchanges of one sort or another. Some have given new variations to the gift exchange. The Business and Professional Women's club did not exchange gifts. Instead, each member brought a present for a former member, Alfa Bang, who is receiving treatment at The Dallas tuberculosis sanatorium. The W. C. T. U. had a shower of Christmas gifts for the boys and girls at the Children's Farm Home, Corvallis. By the way, six of those children are from this county. The Junior Women had a gift exchange, a shower for the Children's Farm Home and sent presents to Coquille's two patients at the Salem tuberculosis sanatorium.

Decorations for the many parties all sound exciting. So many novel ideas have been used by local hostesses, that it is difficult to refrain

from giving a detailed description of each one.

One of the most beautiful Christmas parties was that given last Friday evening by Mrs. U. E. McClary for members of the Duplicate club. Mrs. McClary designed and made many of her decorations. Her color scheme, of red, white and blue, was carried out to the last detail. Even the dishes and plastic handled cutlery at the dinner table were of those colors. The dining table was covered with red cellophane, spread over a white cloth. A blue candle, set in a white holder, marked each guest's place—the name was painted on the candle in red letters. In the center of the tables was an exquisite Christmas ornamental piece.

Clothing an old Southern custom in new dress, stockings, made of red cellophane, were filled with homemade candies and hung from the mantel. In each stocking was a new penny to give the friend who received it the right start on the New Year. The Christmas tree, a white one, was trimmed with red and blue ornaments.

Duplicate winners at the party were Mrs. A. B. Collier and Mrs. Ed McKeown, high, and Mrs. Frank Thrift and Mrs. E. M. Kay, second. Guests were Mesdames Albert Powers, H. W. Pierce, E. M. Kay, Frank Thrift, A. B. Collier, Ed McKeown and R. E. Boober.

Under a silver Christmas tree, members of the Monday Night club placed presents for their secret pals. Mrs. J. L. Smith, hostess of the party, entertained at a delicious dinner. After the pals had opened their gifts, the group played bridge. Mrs. Merle Pettit won first prize and Mrs. E. W. Lorenz won the traveling prize. Attending the party were Mesdames J. A. Lamb, H. W. Pierce, Janie Williams, Bert Folsom, E. W. Lorenz, Merle Pettit, Edna Hartson, H. A. Young and J. L. Smith.

The Justamere club members were entertained for luncheon at the hotel by Mrs. L. H. Hazard Thursday. The group went to the Hazard home after luncheon. There they exchanged gifts and enjoyed pleasant afternoon in the home attractively decorated for the Christmas season. Members attending were Mesdames M. O. Hawkins, F. L. Greenough, R. A. Wernich, J. L. Smith, H. W. Pierce, Bert Folsom, O. C. Sanford, H. A. Young, A. J. Sherwood, E. E. Johnson, W. S. Sikes and L. H. Hazard. Mrs. C. Willis, of Oakland, Calif., and Mrs. George Bryant were guests at the party.

Marjorie Knight entertained Saturday evening at bridge. Miss Vesta Miley held high score for women and George Gratke was the high-scoring man. Refreshments were served at the end of the play. Miss Knight's guests were the Misses Carol Young, Vesta Miley and Harriet Webb, and Messrs. Ludwig Scharfer, George Gratke, Don Smith and Roy Clark.

The large and ever-increasing Wernich 'family' had its annual Christmas party Saturday evening. Twin Christmas trees, one on each side of the steps leading into the living room, were an attractive feature of the holiday decorations. Bridge, pinochle and 'slapjack,' as well as a Christmas gift exchange, provided entertainment. Invited guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Roy O'Mara, Harold Stromquist, Bob Nelson, Richard Hennessey, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Gould, Major and Mrs. G. L. Maynard, Mesdames Pearl Ellingson and Cleona Hill, the Misses Marjorie Jones, Lunelle Chapin and Hazel Moffet and Al Arnold of Estacada.

Following a custom started when the club was first formed, members of the Myrtle club bought Christmas candy for the children of the Coquille school and for club members' families. At their Thursday afternoon Christmas party, given by Mrs. Faye Darby, each member disclosed the name of her secret sister. A gift exchange, and plans for making popcorn balls at the Ruble home Wednesday for the Coquille school children, kept the group busy during the afternoon. Refreshments, typically Christmasy, were served late in the afternoon to the following members: Mesdames Alice Standley, Lorene Chard, Margaret Southmayd, Helen Anderson, Ruth Varney, Beryl Mullin, Margaret Mullin, Alna Eckholm, Ina Sandine, Angie Youkin, Pearl

Mrs. E. C. Yarbrough was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening when her neighbors arrived with the makings for a birthday party. Each friend brought her a nice present. Pinochle was chosen as the evening's game. Powell Yarbrough held high

score for men and Mrs. Ray Simpson, women's high score. Birthday cake and other refreshments were served late in the evening to the following members of the party: Messrs. and Mesdames Ned Kay, William Nelson, Charles Lewis, Ernest Wherost, Powell Yarbrough, Ray Simpson, Wm. Howell, E. C. Yarbrough and Pat Yarbrough.

The Masonic Temple was the scene of a gay and elaborate party Tuesday evening when the Past Matrons gave their Christmas party. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sanford, O. B. Harriman and Mrs. Henry Lorenz decorated the banquet tables. Over a white cloth, they ran a strip of red velvet ribbon from end to end of the long table. In the center of the table was a beautiful Christmas ornamental decoration. Mrs. Lafa Compton and Mrs. H. W. Pierce were co-chairmen, who arranged the details of the dinner, which was potluck. The Christmas tree was decorated by Bess Maury, Edna Robinson and William Ulett. These three also numbered the presents for the gift exchange. All the presents were chosen for amusement, not practicality, so they contributed a large part of the evening's fun. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bosserman and Mrs. Bert Folsom planned and organized games. B. W. Dunn and Mrs. Ray Jeub won prizes for making the most names out of the words "Christmas Cheer." This lovely party was the last Past Matron meeting at which Mrs. Julius Ruble presided.

Those attending the party were Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Norton, O. C. Sanford, W. E. Bosserman, Julius Ruble, O. B. Harriman, Henry Lorenz, Theodore Clinton, Ray Jeub, Bert Folsom, William Ulett, F. G. Leslie, H. W. Pierce, Lafa Compton, B. W. Dunn, E. A. Walker, the Misses Edna Robinson and Bess Maury, Mes-

srs. Gladys Gano, Edna Hartson, E. W. Lorenz and George Hartley and Messrs. George Ulett and George Folsom.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ruble entertained Saturday evening after the Winter Assembly dance. Refreshments were served at a large table, which bore a beautiful centerpiece of Chinese lilies, grown by Mrs. Ruble, and yellow chrysanthemums. The guest list included Messrs. and Mesdames B. W. Dunn, William Ulett, T. S. Stevens, Muri Pettit, Stanley Fitzgerald, L. A. Lundquist and Mrs. George Hartley.

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