

CENTRAL OREGON NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

LAIDLAW.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

LAIDLAW, Dec. 28.—Mrs. J. Lee left Saturday morning for Astoria, Oregon to spend about six weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stiles and son spent a few days in Laidlaw at Christmas time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith spent Xmas day in Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Stanford will leave the latter part of the week for their former home in Portland. Mr. Stanford will complete his work with the T. I. P. the last of December.

Mr. Fialla reports great success on his hunting trip, bringing home a large number of ducks.

A. J. Harter, who has been away on business several weeks, has returned to Laidlaw.

Rev. A. O. Walker and family of Affairs spent Christmas day in Laidlaw, attending the big dinner at the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell and son were Laidlaw visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Stigman and sons are spending their vacation at their ranch.

Fred Wilson and Mrs. Minta Howard took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pinkstaf on Xmas.

The Community Dinner at the hall was a grand success, there being a large crowd and plenty of tempting goodies. A small crowd also gathered in the evening for games, dancing, etc.

About the best Xmas exercises ever given here were those at the church Christmas day by the school children. The operetta was directed by Prof. Lee, and proved a great success in every way. The children showing talent both in singing and recitation. Besides the operetta, several tots rendered songs and recitations, all doing very well. After the exercises came the Xmas tree, with its candy, nuts and oranges for every boy and girl present, and gifts brought in Santa's pack, too. The church was filled to its full capacity and all agreed they had a genuine "Merry Xmas."

Several Laidlaw young people attended the dance in Bend on Xmas night.

SISTERS.

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SISTERS, Dec. 28.—J. W. Dennis and wife and F. T. Rubie were visitors in Redmond Wednesday.

Guy Dobson and H. A. Schneider of the Redmond Bank of Commerce were transacting business in Sisters the middle of the week.

M. Bailey returned the last of the week from a business and pleasure trip to Portland.

The recent cold snap proved a rich harvest for ice users in Sisters. All ice houses in town are well filled and many of the farmers have put up ice for summer use.

P. G. Jourdan, of Redmond, was over the middle of the week looking after business interests.

Carl Woods returned the middle of the week from a trip to the Willamette valley.

Mrs. M. Bailey was a visitor at the Allendale ranch, on the Metollus the middle of the week.

Joe, Graham, of Wapinitia, returned Sunday after spending several days visiting with relatives in this section.

At a meeting called for the purpose of selecting a delegate to the Oregon Irrigation Congress, to be held in Portland on January 7, 8, 9, J. P. Duckett was chosen as such delegate. It is probable that one or two others will attend from Sisters. They will go as delegates from the Cloverdale Council Club.

W. H. May has moved to Sisters for the winter.

The entertainment and Christmas tree arranged by the teachers and pupils of the Sisters school was a grand success. Those having the affair in hand are deserving of more than ordinary credit.

Mrs. Inez Pullerton was a visitor in Sisters for a few days last week.

Geo. Arnesen is in Portland and Seattle on a combined pleasure and business trip.

C. R. Powlson of Portland, is visiting at the home of J. O. McKinney, J. O. McKinney and family spent Christmas at the Pulliam home, at Laidlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wurzweller were visitors in Sisters Christmas.

Ray Gerking of Laidlaw, was a Christmas visitor in Sisters at a well known Cloverdale farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duckett are in Redmond for a short stay.

Mrs. M. Hladman returned Sunday from a two week's visit in Portland. Skiing parties have been quite popular during the past week. Many are enjoying the sport and many more enjoying the experience of the new beginners.

J. B. Minor, who has sold more farms in the Sisters section than all other real estate dealers combined, was over from Bend Sunday with a party who is looking for investment.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Updike spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davidson, at the Bailey place.

The Gist Hotel was the scene of a family reunion on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gist having entertained all members of the family at a bounteous dinner.

DRY LAKE.

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DRY LAKE, Dec. 18.—P. Brown has been helping Mr. Alexandria haul wood for the winter during the past week.

Miss Theresia Garske spent a very pleasant week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexandria.

Charles Ivey was a Buck Creek visitor this week.

Bill Pausch from Ibez spent Sunday visiting friends at Peterson ranch.

John Pausch from Ibez visited friends here Sunday.

MILLICAN.

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WEST MILLICAN, December 28.—The homesteaders of the West End of the valley were entertained at dinner by H. F. Dyer at his homestead on Xmas day. Those present were Ernest and Elmer Dyer of Juniper Hill and Edgbert Dyer of Govan, Washington, John E. Johnson, Jacob Sherer and Miss Janet Williams of Millican. After dinner Edgbert Dyer entertained the company with some fine violin music.

Xmas night was spent by the homesteaders at a dance and supper at the Jack Clingan's home. A large crowd gathered there and all enjoyed the old time dances.

Hooper Dyer went to Bend Sunday.

Sam Robacker has a full house at his stopping place all these cold nights.

Miss Alta Clingan and Hoover Dyer rode through the valley to the Millican post office last Tuesday scattering invitations to the Clingan dance Xmas night.

Aiva Killpatrick and wife went to Redmond Saturday. Bert Woodward moved their household goods to Culver Saturday.

PINEHURST.

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PINEHURST, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snyder went to Bend on Tuesday.

C. H. Spangh and Mr. Wynatt were Bend visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols and children went to Laidlaw Saturday.

Mr. Sandel was a business caller at Mr. Root's Thursday.

A meeting was held at the school house Saturday night and a literary society organized. The following officers were elected: president, C. H. Spangh; vice president, L. H. Root; secretary, Mrs. Wimer; treasurer, Mrs. Nichols; sergeant at arms, J. E. Wimer; bulletin editor, Grover McAllister; program committee, Miss Edna Root, George Root and George Reed. Meetings will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of each month. The next meeting will be held on January 9, 1915.

Mrs. Anderson made a business trip to Bend Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllister went to Bend Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Snyder called on Mrs. Ayers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dietrich were Laidlaw visitors Friday afternoon.

L. H. Root went to Laidlaw on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed went to Bend on business Friday.

The people of this community have organized a Christian Endeavor Society. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Wilmer Mynatt was a Laidlaw visitor Saturday.

Louis Dietrich of Idaho is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dietrich of this place.

A number of Pinehurst people attended the Christmas tree and program given at Deschutes on Thursday night. A very enjoyable time was reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayers and Miss Ruth Bayley were in Bend Wednesday doing their Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snyder were guests of Mr. and Mrs. McAllister on Sunday.

The dinner and Christmas program on Thursday was attended by a large crowd who report a splendid time. The program given by the school was fine and the children were agreeably surprised by receiving a nice treat from their teacher, Mrs. Della Nichols.

Miss Nellie Snyder of Bend is spending her vacation at her home at Pinehurst.

Miss Ruth Bayley called on Edna Root Saturday afternoon.

The re-election of officers in the Sunday school was held Sunday for the next quarter, the following were elected: superintendent, Mrs. Nichols, assistant superintendent, Gilbert Dietrich, secretary Edna Root, treasurer, Ruth Bayley, organist, Mrs. I. E. Wimer, librarian, Miss Ivy Snyder, teachers Bible class, Mrs. Dietrich, young peoples class, Mrs. Gilbert Dietrich, intermediate class, Mrs. Wimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols have moved to their ranch in Sunnyside to spend a week during vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and baby of Bend, ate turkey with the Waldrons' Christmas.

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CLOVERDALE.

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E. L. Waldron struck a good flow of water on his place at six feet.

Mr. Arnold and wife and C. Carson and wife were guests of Mr. Gist's over Christmas.

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STAUFFER.

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STAUFFER, Dec. 23.—The weather here has been exceptionally cold the past week, the thermometer registering 25 below zero. Old timers say it is the coldest it has been in years.

Gus McLouth is moving onto his homestead.

Harley Yeck got his ears frozen one day last week.

C. J. Stauffer is doing some work on his house.

Fred Overall attended a dance at Butte last Saturday night.

Jack Smith and wife and Perry Hartoon has been visiting friends at Benjamin lake.

Mr. Pratt is digging a well on his homestead.

Mr. Hosh brought in fifteen bushels of potatoes and they were all frozen on the road from Bend.

Ben Rhodes is doing some fencing this week.

James Curran is expected back from California the last of this month.

Geo. Mehrer has been expecting

a telegram calling him east on business.

C. J. Best made a trip to Bend last week, stopping at Brookings to do some carpentering work.

J. H. Hassler had an addition built to his house for the post office.

Paul Brookings has been hauling feed from Stauffer.

T. C. Ewing hauled some feed from Stauffer one day last week.

The jack rabbits are all flocking to this valley. We should have a bounty on rabbits in Lake county. Harney county has a bounty of five cents, why not get busy and destroy the pests?

POWELL BUTTE.

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POWELL BUTTE, Dec. 28.—Funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bussatt were held at the Shepard school house on Wednesday afternoon.

Most of our C. C. H. S. students arrived home Wednesday prepared to enjoy their ten day's holiday vacation to the fullest extent.

Miss Jane Allen came out from Prineville Thursday for a holiday visit on the farm.

Mrs. Joe Shearer and small daughter Ruth went up to Bend Wednesday evening to enjoy a Xmas visit with the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Orewiler and family. Mr. Shearer joined them for Xmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Saxton came over from Opal City Thursday for a Xmas visit at the N. P. Alley home.

Little Maudie Kissler, who has been quite ill, is improving.

It is reported that Tom London has sold his Powell Butte farm to a Portland party.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox and family of Terrebonne and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith and family were guests at the V. O. Humphrey home for Xmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kissler and daughter, Mrs. Anna Roetger, of

Redmond and Mr. and Mrs. George Kissler and family enjoyed Xmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kissler.

George Eisler has traded his place here to Mr. Gray of Redmond for a farm in Wyoming and will leave soon for his new home.

A. H. Rhode was a dinner guest at

the Truesdale home on Xmas day. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miller of Redmond came out Wednesday to attend the Bussatt baby's funeral.

Mr. East from northern Washington, who is stopping at the Montgomery home, is favorably impressed with this locality and will probably buy land here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore entertained at dinner Xmas day. Besides the immediate family Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Iverson and Mr. Benson were their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Yates enjoyed

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