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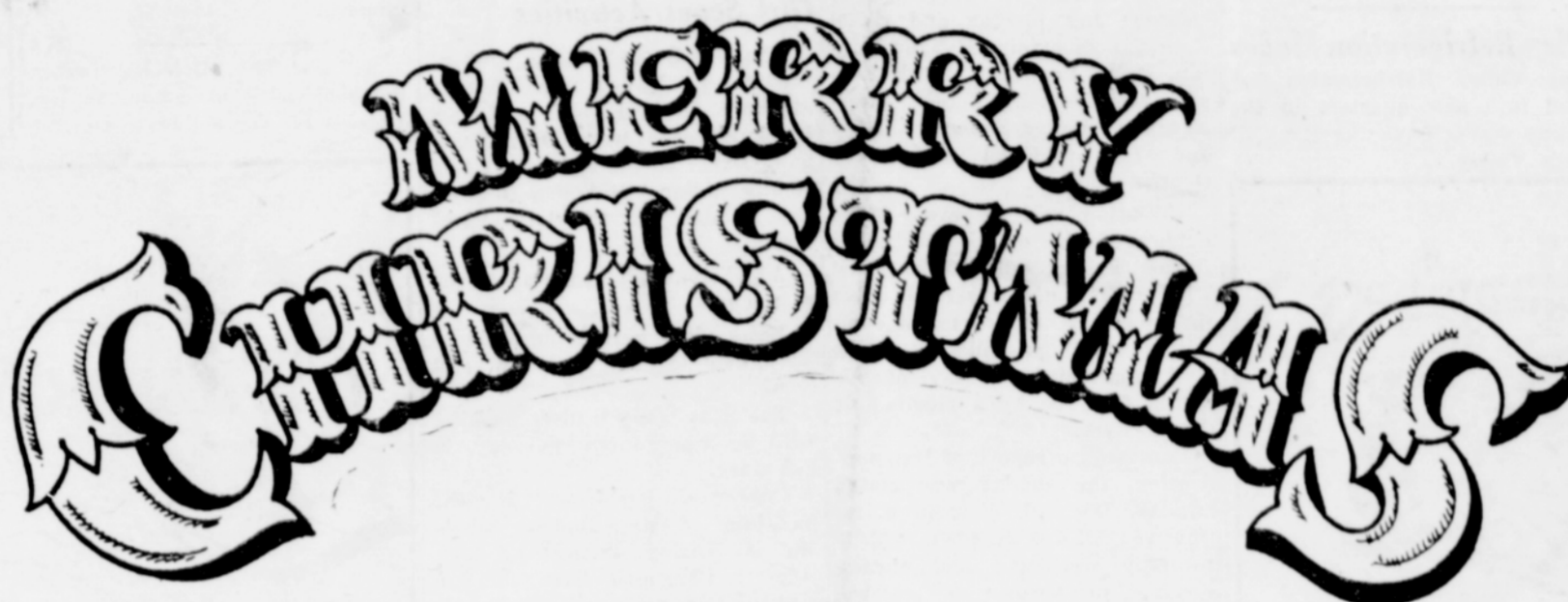
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## GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES

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#### SCHOOL NEWS

(From the COUGAR'S ECHO)

#### Cougars Take Del Norte

On Dec. 15, the Illinois Valley Cougars won their third game in four starts this season, from Crescent City by a 38-27 count.

The Cougars scored six points before the Del Norte team could dent the score board. With Buzzy Hammer leading the attack, the I. V. team took a 13-6 first quarter lead, and were never headed in the contest. They led 18-13 at the half and 23-20 at the close of the third stanza.

Hammer, with eighteen points was high man for the game. He was followed by Trone, of Del Norte, with seven, and Wieler, of I. V. with six.

Statistics	FG	FT	F	PTS
F Lewis	2	0	0	4
F Hale	2	1	1	5
F Clarke	1	0	0	2
F Weiler	2	2	0	6
C Hammer	7	4	4	18
G Maurer	0	1	3	1
G Kester	0	1	3	1
G Preston	1	0	1	2
TOTALS	15	8	10	38

In the preliminary game the Del Norte junior varsity, led by Taylor and Dixon, with eight points each, defeated the Cougar J. V.s 35-32. Stan Campbell and Orlan Pickle led the I. V. scoring with seven points each.

#### Del Norte Defeats J. V.s In Preliminary

Taylor, Del Norte guard, with 18 points led the Crescent City J. V.s to their second straight win over the Cougar J. V.s, 45-26. Larry Sanders and Jack Yandell, with 6 points, led the Illinois Valley scoring.

#### Cougars Lose Game At Crescent City

Del Norte High School edged past Illinois Valley Cougars, Dec. 16, at Crescent City by a 37-33 count. Del Norte took a five to two lead after two minutes, and were never headed thereafter. The Cougars, though playing good, hard ball, trailed 13-8 at the first quarter, 26-14 at the half-way mark, and 29-23 at the third period buzzer.

Templeton and Griffin, with 16 and 15 points respectively, took high scoring honors for the game. Hammer was next high scorer for the Cougars again, with 9 points. Wieler was next with eight, followed by Kester, Lewis, and Frasier, with five points each.

Statistics	FG	FT	F	PTS
F Lewis	2	1	0	5
F Wieler	4	0	1	8
F Clarke	0	0	0	0
C Hammer	4	1	0	9
G Maurer	0	1	4	1
G Kester	2	1	1	5
G Preston	2	0	0	4
TOTALS	14	4	6	32

#### Cougar Basketball Sked

Friday, December 22, Illinois Valley Cougars will play host to the Pirates from Phoenix. Preliminary game time is 6:45 with the varsity scheduled for 8:00 p. m.

The squad will play one game during the Christmas vacation. The Cougars travel to Klamath Falls to meet the Pelicans for one game Friday, December 29.

#### Christmas Vacation For Schools Dec. 22 To Jan. 2

Illinois Valley High School and Kerby grade school along with other schools of the county will close December 22 for the Christmas vacation. The schools will reopen Tuesday morning, Jan. 2.

#### Mobile Blood Bank

The mobile blood bank registration service will be handled by the Business and Professional Women's club.

Mrs. Barnette Smith is in charge of the typists and donor recruitment for the club. Additional typists will be needed. Those wishing to assist with registration of the donors are urged to contact Mrs. Barnette Smith of Kerby.

Mrs. Pete Blue is recruiting donor enrollment for the Eastern Star; Mabel Ramsey is handling the work for the Rebekahs and the V. F. W. Auxiliary. The Odd Fellows are being solicited by Clay Ramsey, and the V. F. W. by Frank Behn. Hal Moore, Jr., is responsible for Masonic registration.

Those wishing to sign up for blood donation or service with the unit may do so by mail or telephone.

#### Robinson Benefit Smoker

The smoker staged in the American Legion hall Saturday evening was a tremendous success from the curtain raiser, a bout between Jamie Robinson, age 8, and Edward G. Robinson, age 10, through the main event of the evening.

The hall was filled with enthusiastic spectators with only limited standing room when the bouts began.

Much of the success of the benefit is due to the organization work of Buck Smith, Ole Nassen, who helped with the gate and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Booth who handled the ticket sales.

The Legionnaires donated the use of the hall and the ladies of the auxiliary were kind enough to move the planned card party into another room in order to free the hall for the evening.

Dr. A. N. Collman examined all of the participants before the matches and served as ring-side doctor during the fights.

Keith Owens and Ed Abbey served in the capacity of referees and announcer.

After the few expenses were deducted, Mr. Smith turned the proceeds of \$426 to Mrs. Robinson and family.

#### Stockholders Meeting At Bank Of Illinois Valley

Clifford Sparks, president of the Bank of Illinois Valley, announced that the annual meeting of stockholders for election of Directors of the bank will be held at the bank at 8:30 p. m. Monday, Jan. 22, 1951.

#### Many And Varied Are Christmas Vacation Plans

Many teachers and local people will be leaving Cave Junction to visit friends and relatives during the Christmas vacation.

Keith Stanton will spend his vacation at the C. E. Marshall home, his sister and brother-in-law, in Vancouver, Washington.

As soon as they are free of their teaching duties on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pope will begin their trip to Colorado. The Beyers will visit relatives in Greeley while the Popes will be in Johnstown spending the holidays with their parents.

The Newman's and son Ricky plan to have Christmas here and travel to Portland Christmas night to visit friends. They will also make calls on friends in Eugene on the return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kelley are

going south for a few days after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgeon Johnson plan to spend their vacation in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlod McAbee will leave Saturday with Mr. McAbee's mother, Mrs. Marguerite Miller of Salem, to spend the vacation in Nevada with relatives.

California is the destination of the Menozzis and Abernathys who plan to leave on December 26. Menozzis will visit relatives in Los Angeles while Abernathys are making a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Myrtle Kelly will be in the city for Christmas since Mr. Kelly will be home from Coquille. They will return to the coast for a few days during the holiday.

#### Outstanding Concert Given By Choral Club

The program of Christmas music by the choral club of the Illinois Valley high school was presented to the public in the Ivy Theater, Tuesday, December 19.

These young people are to be highly commended for this exceptionally fine choral program. A wide range of talents were displayed in solos by Glenna Gritman, soprano, and Joe Mellow baritone.

Especially fine artistic achievement and understanding of the composition was shown by the group in the selection, "Listen to the Lamb."

Mrs. Elmira Beyer, director of the group, carefully chose the selections suitable for the voices of the group, as well as to have a well balanced program. An organization capable of presenting a program of this quality is adequate proof that the director has an exceptional talent for inspiring the group to give the best possible performance.

The saxophone solo by a newcomer to Illinois Valley high school, Larry Brooks, lent variety to this otherwise entirely vocal program.

The Girls Quartet composed of Joanne Smith, Alice Blanchard, Mildred Nations and Joan Yandell showed a fine balance of voices.

There was adequate seating capacity for many more parents and members of the community to have not only shown their interest in the musical education of the youth of the city but to have been rewarded with a program of music which is rarely presented.

#### Lights And Turf Program For I. V. H. S.

Following the December 14 meeting of the light and turf planning committee, Mr. McAbee contacted the California-Oregon Power and Light Co. in Grants Pass and the company has agreed to furnish all of the necessary transformers for the floodlighting project.

At the next meeting Tuesday, January 2, 1951, a more complete report will be ready to present to the group about the necessary facilities and the itemized costs of this equipment.

#### Belt Lodge Meets

Election of officers will be held by Belt Lodge No. 18 A. F. and A. M. on Saturday, December 23.

All master Masons are urged to attend. Please bring your donations of canned food for the Masonic and Eastern Star home.

#### Final Christmas Cheer Committee Report

After a successful collection of funds for the Christmas Cheer program, "Butch" Hollingshead reported a total of over four hundred dollars donated from Cave Junction and vicinity.

The following is a list of contributors:

Valley Variety Co., Fred Salvage, Romie Holzhauser, Fred Bergman, Dr. Versteeg, Rough and Ready Mill, Rough and Ready Ramblers.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Draper Valley Lumber Co., Illinois Valley Wholesale Meats, Redwood Lodge, Kerby Market, Mildred's Cafe, Moore's Grocery, C. Fessler, Stem's Jewelry, Missionary Society, Cave Junction, James Earl, Crowl's Service Station, Owl Tavern, A. J. Drews.

Valley Sporting Goods, Ira Hall, Freeman's Garage, Al's Radio, Lucile Arnold, C. G. & E. Valley Shoe Shop, Fruit Drugs, Cave City Coffee Shop, Morton Miller.

Valley Refrigeration Co., Best's Station, Jones Cabinet Shop, C. J. Hollingshead, American Legion, Dew Drop Inn, C. A. Sparks, Ed. Hollingshead, S. H. & W. Lumber Co., Doyle Hamilton, H. T. Heberman, Bill Johnson, Norman Gurette, Laurence Rohberger.

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#### Local Schools Excused To Attend Community Christmas Program

Illinois Valley high school and the upper grades from the Kerby school will participate in the Community Christmas Tree Celebration on the afternoon of December 22.

The students from the fourth through the eighth grades will be transported from Kerby at 1:30 p. m. The I.V.H.S. pupils will be excused at 2:00 p. m. to join the townspeople at the tree in front of the Legion hall.

Participants in the program include groups from the Kerby grade school, the choirs of all of the churches and the choral group from the high school.

The program will conclude with community singing of the familiar Christmas carols.

Santa Claus has scheduled a trip to visit the first, second and third grade children in Kerby early in the afternoon. He will join in the celebration in Cave Junction in time to distribute a treat to all of the children. Children below school age are cordially invited to come to the program and receive their goodie from old St. Nick.

**OUR DEMOCRACY** — by Mat

**Christmas-1950**

ALL PEOPLES HAVE SHARED IN THE LEGENDS AND CUSTOMS OF CHRISTMAS

SANTA CLAUS IS A NATIVE OF HOLLAND

CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS WERE FIRST FILLED IN BELGIUM AND FRANCE

THE TRADITION OF THE CHRISTMAS TREE GOES BACK TO GERMANY

THE CUSTOM OF SINGING CHRISTMAS CAROLS IS UNIVERSAL THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

THE YULE LOG WAS SCANDANAVIAN

—AND THE GIVING OF PRESENTS AT CHRISTMAS IS, WE KNOW, COMMEMORATIVE OF THE GIFTS OF THE MAGI TO THE INFANT JESUS

But the great message of Christmas is of hope, good-will and understanding, of the eternal spiritual values which the Christ child brought to all of us — values which can well guide the peoples of the world to peace.