

SCHOLLS

One hundred and twenty were present at the Christmas program at the Scholls Methodist church Sunday morning of last week. In the evening service there was also a large attendance to hear the sermon, "The Other Wise Man," by Van Dyke.

There were 15 present at the J. T. McAnn family reunion Sunday of last week. All of the family were present except the oldest son Frederick, who is married and lives at Bixbe, North Carolina, where he is employed in a paper mill that has a new process for making cigarette papers.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Stearns were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stretcher Sunday.

The Mountindale school gave a fine Christmas program on Friday night at the school house.

On Sunday, December 31, there will be a watch party at the church from 10 to 1 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mrs. A. R. Wenstrom's niece Jean Moore, who was badly injured in an auto accident, is well on the road to recovery.

The Lyle Potters spent Christmas at the J. P. Potters of Mills City.

The Groner school district collected \$51.50 for relief work in Finland. Those giving felt that the people of Finland were honest and deserving of help.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rowell and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutherland of Portland, were dinner guests of J. A. Rowell and his sister, Mrs. Ina Sutherland Saturday night.

Wednesday night of last week there was a birthday anniversary dinner at Lawrence Crowdes, and the guests were Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Sibley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fischer, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Groner.

The Junior Farmer's Union will give a carnival dance for its members and friends at the Laurel community hall, December 29. There will be noise makers, horns, refreshments, card playing in the basement, and a well known orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

There was a family reunion of the Florence Twigg family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Twigg of Scholls. Besides the host and hostesses and their two sons Kenneth and Leland, others present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Twigg, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Twigg and baby of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sandiforth and Benjamin and Florence Sandiforth, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Flint and children Wallace and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Christensen and four children Irvin, Phyllis, Melvin and Norman and the guest of honor, Mrs. Florence Twigg of Hillsboro, the mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wenstrom and daughter Rena were guests

Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Larkin. Mrs. Larkin is Mrs. Wenstrom's mother.

Kenneth Koerber of San Francisco, spent Christmas day at the home of his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Groner.

J. A. Rowell and his nephew Francis Rowell went on a fishing trip last week up the Newtucket river and caught a nice string of steelhead.

HAZELDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hines have their children home for the holidays. Mhola and Dale from University of Washington, Seattle, and Myrl from Oregon State.

Eloise and Bernice Imah are spending this week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olinger of Vernonia.

Vivian Golden who is attending college in Southern California, arrived home Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Golden.

H. C. Chapman is confined to his home with illness.

Mrs. John Rogers of Portland who has been staying with Mrs. Rebecca Ellerson for several weeks, left last Thursday for Chicago where she will spend the holidays with her sister.

George Liebenow of Sherwood is recovering from a recent illness at the home of his son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garvin.

Mrs. Rebecca Ellerson is having the upstairs of her house papered.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kelly spent the Christmas weekend with their son in law and daughter, at The Dalles.

A potluck Christmas dinner with exchange of gifts was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Altshin Saturday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Max Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. John Kolababa and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hays.

School closed last Friday for the Christmas holidays to reopen January 2. A program with tree and treats was held in the evening.

James Sanford who has been visiting for the past two weeks with his father, George Sanford, left Tuesday for San Francisco where he is stationed with the 50th Infantry.

Mariam Carlson of Portland was an overnight guest Saturday of Mrs. Bessie Bridgman.

Attendance was 88 at the Sunday school Christmas service and program Sunday morning. Candy, nuts and oranges were given each of the children. In place of a young people's meeting in the evening a group went Christmas caroling in a truck filled with hay and driven by Otto Leopold.

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Next 40 kwh. per month . . .	.03		02 3/5	next 75 kwh. per month
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			01	next 100 kwh. per month
			00 7/10	next 500 kwh. per month
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(The new rate of 7/10c (7 mills) for the block of 500 kwh. per month is applicable to those customers under this schedule who have in regular use an electric water heater tank.)

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Portland General Electric Company, in cooperation with the Federal Government, is now distributing Bonneville power.

Effective January 1, 1940, with the approval of the State Commissioner of Public Utilities of Oregon, new low rates are immediately available to 126,660 domestic customers.

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First step is cut from 5c to 3 1/2c per kwh., a saving of as much as 30% to small users.

Rate reductions for commercial and other users will become effective on or before April 30.

These new low rates are the initial step on the part of Portland General Electric Company to pass on to all of its customers economies that will come with further cooperation of this state regulated company and the U. S. Government.

As the increasing needs of our customers absorb larger quantities of Bonneville energy the savings will increase and the rate schedule may readily be amended to reflect all such benefits.

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Nowhere in the United States will an electric utility, publicly or privately owned, serve so large and so diversified an area at so low a blanket or "postage stamp" rate. Homes in the smallest hamlet or on the furthest farm in the 3400 square miles of our territory in seven counties in Oregon and one in Washington get the same low basic rate as the largest residential user in Portland.

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The 7/10c block will be available to all customers under this schedule having an electric water heater in regular use.

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