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### GRADE NEWS.

The children of the grade school looked forward to the Christmas vacation with a great deal of anticipa-tion and pleasure. Many home parties have been planned in which they would take part; some went to "grandpa's house" to eat Chistmas turkey. Children of the first and second grades with trusting faith eager-iy told what they wanted Santa Claus to bring them.

A happy hour was spent in the au-ditorium last Thursday afternoon when the grades met for their Christmas festival. The beautiful Christ-mas carols of many lands were well rendered by each grade under the di-rection of Miss Ede. An attractively decorated tree stood at one corner Also this room had two visitors dur of the stage and under it were piled ing the month.

high the gifts which were distributed to the children. The interest of everyone was centered upon the tree and their gifts when suddenly Santa Claus appeared in their midst, much to the kiddies' delight. The children of the Heppner grade school will long remember their first assembly in the new auditorium as this was especially an appropriate time for this happy

event. Many parents attended. The average per cent of attendance the fifth grade for this month is 97.1 and fourteen and one-half days absence. Four pupils have been tardy during the month, but there were sixteen pupils who have been neith er absent nor tardy. Also they have had five visitors. This is the third month that none of the five A class have been neither absent nor tardy. There are twenty-seven pupils in the

fifth grade at present. Miss Case, Miss Thorpe and Miss Phelps will be in Portland during the meeting of the Oregon State Teach-ers' association. They are planning

to attend the sessions The average per cent of attendance in the second grade for this month is 98; there were nineteen pupils who were neither absent nor tardy.

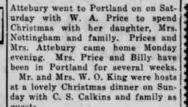
ertained at a lovely dinner Christas at the Peter Farley home Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goodwin Caroline Hunt were guests of the Warners on Christmas

One of the most delightful of the numerous dinners given on Sunday was that given by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Blayden. A beautifully decked tree graced the table. Covers were laid for eleven. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gorham and family, the

Hereims, Fred Koskey and the host and hostess. Mrs. Brice Dillabough will oc host as January 11 to the H. E. club. While returning from Ione last Thursday J. C. Ballenger turned out to pass another car and hit the soft

dirt. The car turned over and was pretty badly damaged. The occu-pants were damaged somewhat. C. Foster Smith received a few scratches and Mr. Ballenger had his arm hurt and a couple of his ribs injured. Macombers motored to Pilot Rock for the holidays.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mr. J. F. Gorham entertained at a delectable dinner, having Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fortier and daughter Norma as guests. All attended the show in the



guests. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Skobo and four daughters were guests Sunday at a lovely dinner at the Nels Kris-

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis and som Junior and Billy, and Jasper Sarkin-son of Castle Rock were gueats at an elaborate turkey dinner at the B. B. Lewis home on Christmas day. Lillian Brice spent the afternoon and was a dinner guest of Caroline

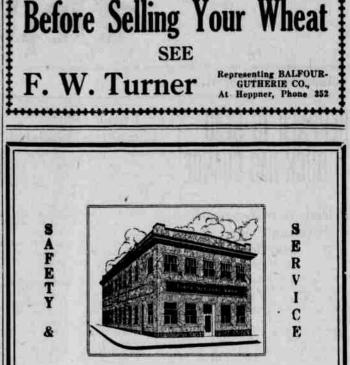
Hunt on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goodwin and

Jasper Sarkinson were guests at a lovely dinner at the Ralph Davis home Monday evening. There will be a joint installation of officers of the Boardman, Irrigon

and Willow Creek Granges on Mon-day evening at the school house. A full attendance is expected. C. Astor Smith and Everitt Duggan

and family motored to the valley for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Flickinger spent

Christmas at the Messenger home, going over Saturday. That evening a tree was enjoyed and gifts were opened. The next day a lovely din-ner was enjoyed. Nellie and Marie were both home for the festivities





# Any Number of Joyous Days

of Happiness for you this New Year. May each new day be better than the one before. May you say, sincerely, at the end of 1928

That it was the best year you have ever known.

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## BOARDMAN

A pretty operetta, "The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe," was given on Thursday night at the school house under the direction of Miss Henry with the assistance of other members of the faculty. Leading parts were taken by Albert Boardman as Santa Claus; Norma Gibbons as the Witch; Mary Chaffee, the Fairy Godmother; Alice Calkins as "The Old Woman," and Selma Ayers as the Christmas Fairy. There were many children in the play and all were well trained and knew their parts well, reflecting much credit on those who supervised their training. The boys' glee club composed of Eldon Wilson, Buster Rands, Alex Ayers and Ray Barlow sang two selections.

Chas. Knowlton of Portland was an overnight guest Thursday at the W. H. Mefford home.

Henry Klages and family of Hermiston were guests at the Harvey Huff home on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman A. Fortier extended their hospitality on Christmas at a lovely dinner having Mrs. Allegra Feess and children, Paul and Ruth, as guests.

the holidays.

Jay Cox and family were up from Rufus over Christmas. Carl Doring was a genial host on Christmas day when he entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mead and three children and Robert Smith and fam-

ily, at the Highway Inn. Claude Coates and family have moved to Messner.

Caroline Hunt came Saturday night for a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Warner. Caroline graduated last year from Boardman high school and has been taking a

business course in Seattle which she has completed. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marschat were guests at the Hereim home Tuesday night for dinner.

Dorothy Boardman arrived Saturday night from Salem for a visit over the holidays with her parents.

Present were the Knauffs, Nizers, Alex Warrens and Carl Ayers'. The Misses Irma, Ethel and Edna Broyles were all home for the holidays. Chas. Dillon and family were entertained at a lovely Christmas dinner

at the Clarence Berger home. Claude Myers and family were guests at a marvelous Christmas din-ner at the John L. Jenkins home.

James Howell Jr. came home last week for his holiday vacation. A family dinner that brought much pleasure was that given by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barlow on Christmas with Claude Coates and family, Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Gillespie, Jay Cox and fam-ily gathered about the heavily laden table. Joe Barlow, a brother of Mr.

table. Joe Barlow, a brother of Mr. Barlow, was also present. Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Smith were hosts at an elaborate dinner Christ-mas day. Guésts were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Deibert and Rachel. Jay Cox and family returned the ealy part of the week to Rufus where they are living. Dale, who has been staying with his grandparents, went home with them and will enter school aff Rufus after the holidays.

at Rufus after the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen and

small son of Arlington spent their Christmas with their parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Jess Allen. Doyle Hubbel and wife were guests at the James Howell home at a sump-tuous Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Murchie were guests at the Ballenger home during season will be held Wednesday evening in the new gym with Bickleton and Boardman competing. Friday night Hermiston and Boardman will

play here. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Spagie spent their Christmas at Hubbard, Ôre., with Mr. Spagle's parents. Ray Brown was doing chores during his absence

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nizer were guests for lunch Sunday evening at the J. L. Jenkins home. Erma Jean

Wilson was an overnight guest of Elvira's Christmas night. Bert Richardson has been sick for the past several days. He has been

threatened with pneumonia. Mrs. L. V. Root and her committee will entertain at the next silver tea Wednesday, January 4, at Mrs. Root's

John Olson of Prescott came up for a week's visit at the O. B. Olson

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The second secon his son with him for a week's visit. He is a lad of 16 and has made his home in Colorado with his grandpar-Mr. and Mrs. Ellis. Mrs. Joe White of Willow creek spent Christmas with her parents, with them for dinner. Mrs. Chas. were both home for the festivities as were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mes-senger.

AUTOCASTER

Carroll Kennedy spent Christmas at his home in Weston, going up

Saturday night. Miss Henry went with him as far as Adams. Her home is at Athena.

Grattan (Hi) Hoffman has returned from two years spent in Ohio, Michigan and other eastern states. He is working on the baler with Elmer Westerfelt. Ad Chaffee spent Xmas with his

parents coming up from Wendling. Mrs. Earl Cramer spent Christmas at the Frank Cramer home, coming

down Sunday and returning to Pendleton on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger

and baby spent Xmas at the Messenger and Barlow homes.

Nellie Messenger of Pendleton and Marie Messenger of The Dalles came home for the holidays. A merry Christmas indeed was that

at the Brice Dillabough home Sunday with seventeen gathered around the with seventeen gathered around the festal board partaking of the turkey dinner. Guests were Geo, Wickland-er and family, Chas. Wicklander and children, R. C. Mitcheil and Jean Min-gus and C. H. Dillabough. Miss Alice Falk and Chas. Barnes

motored to Salem for the holidays. Miss Beougher went to her home in Albany, Miss Chapman to Hood River, Miss Henry to Athena. Miss Leath-erg motored to her home in Lexington with her brother Loren Leathers and Lester White. Her brother play-

Marvin Roots were also guests. Ver-non remained for several days' visit.

Mrs. Robert Mitchell will return this week from Portland where she was called by the death of her broth-er-in-law, Mr. Chambers.

Mrs. Royal Rands and Donna Jean went to Hood River to spend Christ-

Because of the New Year's dance the movie will start at 7 o'clock in-stead of the usual hour. "Bachelors' the cynosure of all eyes. A sack of

Mr. and Mrs. McCarty of La Grande spent four days at the Bates home Elizabeth Lindy of Newberg spent a

recently. One of the most delightful of the many gatherings was the no host dinner at the John Brice home. Each matron contributed part and the whole made an elaborate turkey feast. Mr. and Mrs. John Pruter were en-

Ksy came from Christmas, returning to his work on Monday. W. H. Mefford and family motored

to Condon for their Christmas and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Macomber.

Miss Bessie Cruikshank came Sun day for a short visit with Catherine Brown. She went on to Klondike for a short visit and will then go to Port-land where she will be a student at

Behkne-Walker business college. Roast duck and guinea fowl with all the trimmings were enjoyed Sun-day at the Paul M. Smith home. Ingaard Skobo and family and Ed Kunzie and family were guests, Mrs. Kun-

zie and children were guests at the Smith home from Friday until after Christmas. R. Wasmer and Nick Faler went to

Portland Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spring had expected to be home but did not return in time so Mrs. Hill and son looked after the ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bown presided at a bountiful dinner Sunday with Robert Wilson and family as guests. Mrs. Lily Stevens and daughter Ruby McCallum left Sunday for Camas, Wash., to reside. Mrs. Stevens has been housekeeper for Alec Wil-

son for some time.

The student body of the high schoo gave a dance Friday night in the new gymnasium. The Twilight Quintette furnished the music. There were a number of interesting carnival con-cessions in the basement that brought ed the roll of Santa Claus to the pri-in about \$16. The students cleared mary room on Friday afternoon. Mrs. \$39 on the dance. Proceeds will be

mary room on Friday afternoon. Mrs. \$39 on the dance. Proceeds will be Gillespie remained in Bosrdman as did Mr. and Mrs. Marschat. Mr. and Mrs. Leo V. Root and son Vernon spent their Christmas in Hermiston at the Franklin home. Marvin Roots were also guests. Ver-non remained for several days' visit Longview and Robert Becker of Longview.

"The Spirit of Christmas" was the program given Sunday evening at the church, in charge of Mrs. E. T. Mes-senger. The younger chlidren took part in the first half of the program and the larger ones in the last. The

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# The Biggest and Best New Year

If our hopes for 1928 are fulfilled, this will be for you a most Happy New Year indeed. For we are wishing for you all the best things of life, and hoping that nothing will cast a shadow over the radiant spirit of New Year's Day!

M. D. Clark



# We Wish You A Happy New Year

That the year bring great prosperity -that you shall know no adversitythat every day in the New Year shall cast new joys in your path-this we wish to you when we say, "Happy New Year All."

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