#### HARDMAN

By LUCILLE FARRENS

Bountiful feasts and family reunions on Christmas day, vacation trips, the Christmas program, the appearance of Santa Claus at school and elsewhere made everyone aware that the Yuletide season has rolled around to us again. The Christmas program at school, in which all the pupils of all grades participated was well attended and enjoyed by local people. At this time the pupils and little tots enjoyed a visit from good old St. Nick, while remembering the grown-ups with

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Steers and family were guests of Mrs. Ada Cannon and family on Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bleakman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Buschke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Hastings and daughter enjoyed a family reunion and delicious dinner on Christmas day at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Mr. and Mrs. J. Mac-Donald and family were guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. K. Bleakman.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Chapel are spending the holidays in Portland with relatives.

s Dolly Farrens is spending a a week of Christmas vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Clyde Swift, at Lex-

Nita Rae Bleakman, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bleakman, will be forced to discontinue with her school work temporarily due to illness. Work on the Heppner-Spray road was closed down December 21 un-

til January 2, and the out of town employees and supervisors return-ed to their various homes.

Mrs. Everett Harshman went to Lonerock just before Christmas to visit with home folks during the holidays.

A six-weeks course of handicraft work was completed here last Fri-day under the supervision of Mrs. Anna Heiney of Heppner and the adult educational movement. A pot luck dinner and exhibition was held last Friday to celebrate the There were many excellent exhibits. Especially was the work of Mrs. J. W. Stevens highly efficient. Some of the finished products Mrs. Stevens exhibited were a radio table, book trough, maga-zine rack, corner shelves, etc. It is possible another six-weeks' course will be given here by Mrs. Heiney. Sewing may be the next objective.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Musgrave and Miss Lois Stevens, sister of Mrs. Musgrave, departed for Portland, Salem and other valley points Dec. 21 to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave recently purchased a new Oldsmobile sedan which was enjoyed on the motor trip. Mrs. Lorena Isom was visiting

relatives here last week from Lex-Mrs. Jim Hams and children

Floyd Williams and Mrs. Ray Robison and children were among those going to their ranch homes for The Sunday school Christmas tree

will be held next Sunday, Dec. 29th, for the members of the school. Due to misfortunes it was not possible to have it before Christmas.

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Vere Howe Pugsley, at Caldwell,

Mrs. Allen Learned of Hadlock, Wash, is at the home of her parfor the holidays.

A short Christmas program was enjoyed during the Sunday school hour at the Union Sunday school at the Baptist church last Sunday. Alfred Balsiger of The Dalles is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Balsiger.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Moore were out going passengers on Monday night's train. They will spend several days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wrex Hickok in Portland.

The grade school presented an

hours' program of appropriate Christmas numbers before the school assembly at the gym in the school house last Friday afternoon Following the program parties were held in each grade school room and in the high school. Presents for which names had been drawn were distributed and treats given to the pupils by their teachers.

School work will be resumed on January 7, 1935.

Mrs. Roy Brown is spending the vacation at her home in Hermiston. Mr. and Mrs George Tucker and daughter Maxine of Echo were

Sunday visitors in Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Stefani and
son drove to Portland on Saturday to be with Mr. Stefani's parents for the Christmas season. Miss Clara Nelson from O. S. C.,

Francis Ely and Ralph Thompsen from Willamette university, and Norman Swanson from U. of O. are all home for the holidays.

Miss Lucy Spittle departed on Friday for her home at Astoria. Miss Betty Bergevin is home from school in Pendleton as is her brother Denward who has been a student at Gonzaga in Spokane. Denward

cent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beezley and sons drove over from Fossil on tion for the Advancement of Science in Christmas to have dinner with Mrs. Ella Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. H. holidays. As out-of-state travel

of the school last Saturday evening. The program which consisted of musical numbers, a few recitations and a cantata, was well received by the audience. The appearance of Santa Claus with treats for everyone was a highlight of the eve-

Sunnyside, Wn., are guests at the been 56.

ome of Mr. and Mrs. Cole Smith Mrs. Paul is a niece of Mrs. Smith Charles Christenson will spend Christmas vacction at his home in Mill City.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson spent the week end at Salem. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swanson and aughter Eva drove to Salem on Monday to spend Christmas with

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McMillan

Miss Mildred Smith of The Dalles s visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Smith. She will return to her work on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner of Heppner were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engleman,

#### STATE CAPITAL NEWS

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the counties, 10 percent to roads and 7.5 percent to the state.

Numerous judicial reforms calculated to speed up court procedure will be recommended to the forthcoming legislative session by the committee of 21 lawyers and lay-men appointed by Governor Meier to make a study of this subject. Among-other things the committee recommends that the right to grant extension of time in which to complete appeals to the supreme court be taken out of the hands of circuit judges. It is also recommended that circuit judges be permitted to comment upon the evidence in its instructions to the jury and that most of the present exemptions from jury serivce be repealed. Justice George Rossman of the state supreme court is chairman of the committee which asks that it be continued for another two years.

John A. Cooter, Lincoln county representative who is slated to pre side over the House at the forth-coming legislative session, has albecome a temporary resident of Salem, having leased the home formerly occupied by Governor Pierce but more recently by Carl Gregg Doney, former president of Willamette university. Cooter's duties as Speaker of the House will not only keep him in Salem during the legislative session but for at least a month after adjournment cleaning up the tag ends of the law making job so he just bundled up the family and brought them along with him to the capital city where his youngsters are now enrolled in school.

Roadside beer parlors are doomed under an order of the Liquor commission denying licenses to places whose principal business is the serving of drinks. In order to qualify for beer licenses these places must now go into the restaurant business when they may serve customers seated at tables. cery stores and drug stores in cities over 5000 population are to be denied the right to serve the amber brew by the glass. The commission is also considering a ban on Sunday beer sales.

John H. Carkin has been reappointed as a member of the state tax commission. His commission was signed by Governor Meier and Secretary of State Stadelman. The fact that his commission does not bear the signature of State Treasurer Holman has given rise to some speculation to the effect that Carkin may not long survive the advent of the new state administra-. . .

The state now has a \$5000 interest in a set of plans for a lot of new public buildings. The plans were drawn by a group of architects un-der authority of an act of the special session of 1933 when it was be- Herbert Earl Cole, Oct. 6 lieved that Uncle Sam would finance a state building program through his Public Works administration. This program fell through, however, when the federal government refused to advance the cash on the ground that the projects were not self liquidating. The plans may yet in handy if the forthcoming legislature decides to approve some of the requests for new buildings which have been filed by a number of state institutions.

#### Cash Payment of 'Bonus' Would Bring Large Sum

Morrow county would benefit to the extent of \$107,125.83 if congress adopts the American Legion's pro-Marriages Recorded. posal for immediate payment of the Adjusted Service certificates, commonly misnamed the bonus, as an effective medium for distributing the federal government's relief and recovery funds. This plan not only assures an equitable distribution throughout the country, but it will not add a dollar to the national debt, says the legion na-tional headquarters. The total benefit to Oregon would be \$20,679,034.-90, according to the estimate given.

The figures were prepared by representative Wright Patman of Texas and have been declared by officials of the Veterans' adminis-tration in Washington to be as nearly correct as it is possible to

make them. OSC SCIENCE SCHOOL ACTIVE.

Corvallis-J. E. Simmons, associate professor of bacteriology at Oregon State college, is serving as has recovered nicely from his re- the unofficial representative of the ent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beezley and meeting of the American Associa-About three hundred people attended the Community Christmas tree and program held in the sonal visits with his professional work. The school of science at OSC is making a rapid growth, both in numbers and scope of activity. All the school are planning a first an-nual get-together early in January.

#### SHORT SIX YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blake spent
Christmas with Mrs. Blake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Fell, in
Heppner.
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#### At Heppner + + CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. Mile School
Morning services
C. E. Society
Evening services
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday
Midweek service, Thursday

On the coming Sunday, Dec. 30, Alvin Kleinfeldt of Carlton, Oregon, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. He comes with a view to accepting the pastorate of the church, and it is earnestly desired that there be a full attendance of the membership of the

#### METHODIST CHURCH.

JOSEPH POPE, Pastor. Sunday Sheool 9:15 a. m. Public worship 11:00 a. m. sic by the choir. Sermon, "A Sin-gle Wish for the New Year."

Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:30. The Vanishing Road." Choir practice Wednesday eve ning 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

You are always welcome to attend all the services of our church.

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE. ALFRED R. WOMACK, Pa Sunday Sunday School 11:00 A. M. After Service ... Evening Service 7.30 P. M. Tuesday night, prayer meeting

Thursday evangelistic service 7:30 "WE WELCOME ALL"

#### BIRTHS FAR EXCEED DEATHS IN COUNTY

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Son to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Atwater Ross, Apr. 20. Margaret Jean to Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gentry, April 25.
Don Jay to Mr. and Mrs. J. J.
Griffith, May 21.

Edwin Allen to Mr. and Mrs. William Edwin Hughes, May 28. Son to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schoene, June 5. Arliss Leroy to Mr. and Mrs. Rob-

ert Leroy Griggs, June 5.
Zola Marie to Mr. and Mrs. Coy Cecil McCormick, June 27. Ida Lee to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram . Johnson, July 8.

Edward Lee to Mr. and Mrs. Em-C. Cox, July 8. Helen Maxine to Mr. and Mrs. David Frank Steagall, July 28. Marilyn Louise to Mr. and Mrs. John Olaf Bergstrom, Aug. 1 Calista V. to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Homer Hill, Aug. 2

to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Reid, Aug. 2. Marvin Gary to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roger Connor, Aug. 23. Elwayne to Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Victor Bergstrom, Aug. 29. Albert Ray to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earl Chandler, Aug. 8. Alberta Fav to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earl Chandler, Aug. 8.

Reita Mae to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Graves, Sept. 13. Edward Baker to Mr. and Mrs Earl Edward Hunt, Sept. 10. Girl to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nicholas Alistott, Sept. 10. Joseph Frank to Mr. and Mrs Clinton Lewis Batty, Sept. 20. Ario Douglas to Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Thomas McRoberts, Sept. 27. Ellis Dean to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas McRoberts, Sept. 27 Phyllis Dean to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fave to Mr. and Mrs. Ar-

thur E. Burkenbine, Oct. 6. Ralph to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oliver Kincaid, Oct. 21. Richard Raymond to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Charles Zimmerman.

Ivar Lynn to Mr. and Mrs. Ern-Friethof Fagerstrom, Oct. 29. Marijan Darlyne to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burl Wattenburger, Oct.

Delores Del to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byron Keithley, Nov. 8. Walter Sherman to Mr. and Mrs. William Allen Duran, Nov. 11. Ronald Lawrence to Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ivar Gerard, Nov. 15. James David to Mr. and Mrs.

Lucile Beymer to William H. Massey, Jan. 13

Mary McCabe to Robert Edward Rice, Jan. 23.

Marie Miller to Roy L. Boggs, Mar. 26. Myrna B. Christy to Jesse J. Sar-

gent, April 14. Zetta Johnson to Chas, Elby Fuller, April 21. Lorna Patten to Richard Ridg-

way Borman, May 5. Frances Margaret Sprinkel to Vernon J. Scott, June 6. Beth Bleakman to Charles Herbert Hynd, June 7.

Rieta Neel to Luke Blbby, June 8. Luiu Bookman to Edward Everett nes, June 19. Adele B. Nickerson to William C.

Lucile R. Bristow to David Rietmann, June 23 Ellen Peck to Lawrence L. Nichols, July 6. Marjorie L. Happold to Oral C.

Wright, Aug. 7. Louise Thomson to Merle Becket, Aug. 15. Mary L. Gemmell to Guy Ralph

Beamer, Aug. 30. Roxie Jane Wick to Albert L Lovgren, Sept. 1. Gwendolen Evans to Robert Stephen Thompson, Sept. 9. Lois Lundberg to Paul Clifford

Rhody, Sept. 25.
Wilma Tubbs to Robert Thomas, icense issued Sept. 25 Claudien Evelyn Humphreys to Marvin Robert Wightman, Oct. 6. Elizabeth Balley to Ernest Wil-lam Johnson, Oct. 10.

Beulah C. Emert to Ralph Matthews, Oct. 11. Gladys Ann Johnson to Paul Warren Jones, Oct. 17.

Muriel Patterson to Lawrence El- president, Dexter M. Keezer, presi-

mer Palmer, Nov. 8. Ruth Adkins to Leo Gorger, Nov.

Evelyn Olson to Robert Edward Montgomery, license issued Dec. 5. Loraine Pope to C. Anton Lind-strom, Dec. 23.

Alena Redding to Harold Anderson, license issued Dec. 22. Lois Adams to Clarence Duffin McKitrick, Dec. 25.

Divorces Granted. Lloyd and Ruby Matteson, July

Jack and Lola Bell, Oct. 8. Harvey and Lenore Walpole, Oct.

Harold and Linda Becket, Oct. 8. Archie and Beulah Nichols, Oct.

Discussed at Conference out at the regional planning con-ference at Seattle in December. An in this country but abroad. out at the regional planning coneffective planning program would mean that land will not be used in mind includes: first, classes for par-

are mostly tied up with manage-ment of public lands within the keep up with their children, and state, A. S. Burrier, state consultant second, classes that will actually infrom Oregon, told the conference. Burrier, who has been "borrowed" temporarily from the farm management department at Oregon character. State college, pointed out that 32 "One of

under public ownership is held by one branch or another of the fed-

is essential that the public agencies lead off in setting their own houses in order. Burrier believes The eral managed lands, most of which are in forest reserves, are now in pretty good shape, he said. Passage of the Taylor grazing act and the withdrawal of all remaining parts of the public domain from entry for the present, are big forward steps,

he said. The state and county lands are not being administered in any orderly manner as a whole, he added. Most of these are unclassified, while the county lands especially. most of which have been taken for constantly offered for sale even points out. though they are not suitable for further private operation.

About a third of the farm lands of the state have been covered by detailed surveys, and extension of such surveys is one of the basic needs of further planning work. FERA research programs are being completed in the state dealing with tax delinquency, land ownership, and part time farming practices and results. Field data are being assembled and analyses of results are being prepared.

### Noted Newspapermen

To Speak in Eugene University of Oregon, Eugene, Dec. 26.-With leading newspapermen, not only of Oregon but of already lined up as speakers, and a number of present day problems of unusual interest for round table discussion, the annual Winter Newspaper Conference, to be held at the University of Oregon School of Journalism promises to be the most protfiable and livest session in the organization's history, accord-

ing to those in charge. Dates of January 24, 25 and 26 have been set for the conference, and every day will be crammed with meetings of interest, it is announced. The program will hold interest for publishers of daily papers, weekly papers and combina-

tion shops. Headlining the program will be Sol Lewis of Lynden, Washington, hailed as one of the most successful small town publishers in the entire country. He will be accompanled by several other Washington newspapermen who will take part in discussions.

Another outstanding newspaperman, Hugh C. Ball, publisher of the Mary Cunningham to James H. Hood River News, will be on the Brannon, Feb. 7. Program for a talk. He will discuss problem related to interests between town and country.

Of special interest will be the ad dress to be delivered by A. L. Clawson, printing cost accountant of Oakland, California, He will lead the discussion Saturday afternoon, which will be devoted to prices under present conditions and codes. A brilliant and successful news-paperman, now turned college

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dent of Reed College, will also be on the program. He comes highly

message for the newspaper group. Friends of the late Hal E. Hoss, who before becoming secretary of state, was a prominent Oregon newspaperman, have donated a cup to be awarded to the best weekly published in towns of less than 1,000 population. Other trophy awards will be made at this time also.

Complete details of the event will be announced early in January, it is stated by Eric W. Allen, dean of the school of journalism.

#### Parent Taining Need Is Noted by Educator

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon's Land Resources Dec. 26.—The next goal of adult ed-ucation in the United States should be a two-fold program of training and in the various states, does not imply "Regimentation" in the sense that individuals will be told here. that individuals will be told how to view. Dr. Boyer, long a strong aduse their own land, it was brought vocate of adult education, has

The program Dr. Boyer has in such a way as to be against the ents in elementary school subjects and those taught in high schools. Oregon's land planning problems so that parents denied educational struct the parent in taking care of the child and aiding him in development in learning, training and

"One of the tragedies of Amerimillion acres, or almost exactly half can life is that children go to gramof Oregon's area, are under public mar school, then high school and often on to college, and somewhere About a million acres are under in the process far outstrip their state ownership, and about three parents in education," Dr. Boyer quarters of a million acres are un- points out. "This often sets up a der county or municipal ownership, so that about 95 per cent of the land that leads to misunderstanding and actual grief. If parents would attempt to keep up with the children.

their children properly would not need to have such high sounding names as "psychology of adoles-cence," or those similar, although courses in psychology should be included on the program, but could be simply "reading for the child," "choice of a profession," "home and school discipline," "problems of the home," and "child growth," Dr. Boyer stated. 'The mere presentation to the parent of the material offered the child, together with the reasons therefor, would in itself be taxes, must under present laws be of immeasurable aid," Dr. Boyer

Taking as a basis adult education work already available, and adding such courses as are needed, the program proposed by Dr. Boyer could be carried out under direction of some central agency. The necessary objective is that of definite, correlated parent education, he states.

State and local planning agencies, parent-teacher organizations, institutions of higher education and other civic groups should make this definite program one of their aims, Dr. Boyer believes.

#### OSC Winter Term Starts Jan. 2nd; Fall Total 2577

Corvallis-Students of Oregon State college now scattered through men, not only of Oregon as well, the West for the Month Washington and California as well, will return January 2 for registration for the winter term, which con-tinues through the first three months of the new year. new or old students can begin at the start of any term without serious disruption of previous course

> A total of 2577 students were en-rolled for the first term, an increase of 32 percent compared with the fall term a year ago. Of these, 2363 came from the 36 Oregon counties, everyone of which was represented. Nineteen other states sent 187 students to the college, while three came from Alaska, two from Hawaii, six from Canada and one from

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#### Seventeen Grasses Tried

Tillamook-P:imarily in an atrecommended as a speaker and is will thrive on the prairie soil and expected to have an interesting hill land of Tillamook county, grass will thrive on the prairie soil and nurseries have been established on the farms of B. W. Neilson, J. H. Steppa and F. H. Neilson, to test 17 varieties of grass. These include English rye, Italian rye, meadow fescue, chewing fescue, highland reed canary grass, Kentucky blue-grass, bulbous bluegrass, orchard grass, smooth brome, tall oat grass, timothy, red top, meadow foxtail, Astoria and Seaside bent. River bottom soil such as that on the F. H. Neilson farm, seems particularly

ant county agent, but it is believed possible that a better mixture may tempt to find a suitable grass that be obtained by observing the growth of the varieties in the nursery on this farm.

Blue Grass Tried on Burns

Coquille-Seventeen Coos county farmers are cooperating with County Agent George H. Jenkins this year in demonstration trials to determine the value of Kentucky Blue grass in checking erosion on burn-ed over hill lands in the county. About 5000 pounds of this seed was obtained by Mr. Jenkins from the federal government through the plant industries division at O. S. C., and distributed to farmers of the adapted to rye grass and clover, and dis according to Kenneth Carl, assist- county.

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