

IONE NEWS

Community Program Enjoyed at Ione

By MARGARET BLAKE

A community Christmas tree and program were enjoyed by a very large audience at the school house last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lena Ray is here from The Dalles where she has been working.

Mrs. J. C. Calandra and son Donald are visiting Mrs. Callandra's mother, Mrs. Ida Fletcher, from their home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson and sons, Johnny and Allen, of The Dalles arrived Sunday to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Eva Swanson who has been attending business college in Portland is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swanson.

Miss Bertha Akers is at the home of her father, R. M. Akers, for a short visit. She is training at the Emanuel hospital in Portland.

Mrs. Sam Pomerantz and son Denny departed for Portland Monday night enroute to their home in Los Angeles. Henry Clark accompanied them to the city.

Miss Margaret McDevitt is spending her vacation from her work in the Bend schools at the home of her brother-in-law, M. J. Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Ella Davidson had as her guests on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dick and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCurdy and their families from Heppner.

Mrs. Lee Beckner has been a patient in the Heppner hospital since last Wednesday, suffering with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blake, Roy Blake and his daughter Phyllis came over from their homes in Kinzua last Saturday. Roy Blake and daughter returned home that evening while Mr. and Mrs. John Blake remained to spend Christmas at the home of their son, Earl Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle B. M. Wright and sons returned to their home in Baker Monday evening after spending Christmas with Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. T. E. Grabill.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Keithley have moved to Rufus.

Mrs. Inez Freeland has returned home after spending several months in Portland.

Willows grange enjoyed a Christmas program and entertainment at their hall in Cecil last Friday evening. After the program of recitations, a candle lighting ceremony and pageant Santa Claus appeared with treats. Dancing was enjoyed and supper served.

Miss Val Jean Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark, was married to Alfred Swales of Salem in Walla Walla on Saturday, December 24.

Mrs. Dorr Mason and baby daughter came home from Heppner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye McNabb were here Tuesday from their home at Lyle, Wash.

PINE CITY NEWS

Pine City Man Weds at Hermiston

By BERNICE WATTENBURGER

Word was received of the marriage of Mr. Russell Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, to Miss Dora E. Moore of Rainier.

coast points. Mrs. John Moore and son Johnny attended from Pine City. Christmas dinner guests at the Sloan Thompson home were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Finch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Myers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartholomew, O. F. Bartholomew from Salt Lake City, and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sethers and daughter of Tacoma, Wash.

Dinner guests at the E. B. Wattenburger home were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Strain of Pilot Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Orsdal and Miss Elizabeth Slinger, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wattenburger and sons of Pasco, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger and Charley McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neill and son, Guy Moore, were Christmas dinner guests at the Ralph Scott home in Lexington.

Mrs. H. E. Young and children went to Pendleton to see Mr. Young who is in the hospital.

Dinner guests at the A. E. Wattenburger home were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wattenburger and son Frederick of Pasco, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Strain, Lloyd Baldrige, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Currin and son Ronald of Lena spent Christmas at the John Harrison home.

Willows Grange Has Busy Season

The Christmas program and social in the grange hall at Cecil Friday evening, Dec. 23, was well attended and an enjoyable time was had by all. The program consisted of musical numbers, readings and songs by the young folks of the grange; a candle-lighting ceremony by Geneva Palmer, Helen Lindsay and Dorothy Brady.

Morrow County Pomona grange meets at Irrigon on Saturday morning, Jan. 7. At 1:30 p. m. there is a lecture program to which the public is cordially invited.

Willows grange Home Economics club met at Cecil for an all day pot luck dinner meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 21. The club ladies made plans and did work preparing for the Christmas program and social on Friday night.

The novelty quilt made by the Willows grange club members has been finished and was awarded to Mrs. Ralph Ledbetter as first prize, since Mrs. Ledbetter's 16-inch block contained 2016 pieces.

COPELAND-BENTON

Richard Benton, formerly of this city, took Miss Kathryn Copeland of Pendleton as his bride at that place in nuptial ceremonies last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter LaDusire came from their home at Hilgard for Christmas at the home of Mrs. LaDusire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner spent Christmas with Morrow county relatives and friends from their home at Baker.

HARDMAN NEWS

Hardman People Celebrate Christmas

By Hardman High School

The community Christmas program was the one big event of the week, for it was put on by organizations and was very well attended. The program was as follows: "Joy to the World," everybody (Community Sing); prayer, Yvonne Hastings and Joyce Buschke (Sunday school); Pantomime, Mrs. McCutcheon's Sunday school class (Sunday school); recitation, Norvin Adams (Let's Talk); piano solo, Vera McDaniel (Community Sing); Drill, Mrs. McCutcheon's pupils (first four grades); recitation, Junior Leathers (Let's Talk); "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," everybody (Community Sing); vocal duet, Vera and Maxine McDaniel (Christian Endeavor); piano solo, Mildred Clary (Community Sing); musical reading, Mrs. McCutcheon, accompanied by Mrs. Neal Knighten (Rebekahs); "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," everybody (Community Sing); "The Dear, Dear Children," a play by Eva Robinson, Elsa Leathers, Frances Leathers, Frances Inskoop, Jean Leathers, Mildred Clary, Vera McDaniel and Marie Clary (high school and Let's Talk); "Holy Night, Silent Night," everybody (Community Sing).

The Odd Fellows did their part in a different way, which was appreciated. They gave a box of candy to each grade school pupil, pre-school child, or old person in the community. The Birthday club had worked on a one-act play, under Pat Robison but it had to be called off because of illness in the cast. Immediately after the program pies were auctioned off to get money for the general upkeep of the church. Marvin Saddler was auctioneer, and all were pleased with the sum realized. Games were then played under the direction of Mrs. McCutcheon during the first part of the evening, after which everyone danced, with the music furnished by local musicians. Marvin Saddler is the Christian Endeavor social chairman with Rita Robinson, Pat Robison, Vera and Vern McDaniel and Marie Clary on his committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Knighten and children and Glenn McCutcheon ate Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott at Lexington.

The grade school had a Christmas program on Friday. All of the mothers were invited. After the program the children exchanged gifts.

Floyd Adams spent Christmas in Heppner with the family. During his absence Marvin Saddler ran the ranch.

Wednesday afternoon the cast of "The Dear, Dear Children" and others met at the high school supper room and all ate dinner together. Those present were Mrs. Roy Robinson, Rita and Creston, Mrs. Owen Leathers and son Junior, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Clary and Mildred and Irl, Mrs. Carl Leathers and Jean, Vera McDaniel and Frances Inskoop.

On Thursday Kinnard McDaniel, Mrs. McIntyre and Rita went to Pendleton after Misses Anne and Molly McIntyre to spent the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Collins returned home from Portland Thursday, where Mrs. Collins had her tonsils out and Mr. Collins his teeth pulled.

On Friday afternoon the high school had their Christmas tree, after which they played games.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hams wrecked their car near Hardman Wednesday evening when returning from Heppner. Mrs. Hams was at the wheel when the car turned in the middle of the road and a logging truck hit it sideways.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reid of Swiss Home, returned to Hardman to visit friends and relatives over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens and

son were Christmas day guests at the home of Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gemmill. While there his back was injured and he had to go to a doctor for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McDonald and two children were visiting friends and relatives here Monday. They drove over from their home at Weston.

Mrs. Percy Bleakman and Miss Ilo Merrill came home for Christmas, arriving several days in advance of the holiday. On Saturday, Percy and their small son joined the others. On Monday, the Bleakmans left for Lakeview where they are now living.

On Monday evening, the citizens, big and little, old and young, went uninvited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel, Jr., where newly-married Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reid were spending the evening. After a little noise and more kidding, everybody went to the hall where treats were passed around and dancing enjoyed by all.

Harold Craber drove up from The Dalles to spend about a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Craber. Also a guest at their home is Mr. Craber's brother Francis who came up from the valley.

The Odd Fellows gave a Christmas party in the I. O. O. F. hall on Friday night. There were many non-members invited for the evening, and all had a good time playing cards and other games, followed by refreshments, consisting of candy and nuts.

Ed Moreland was taken ill suddenly Monday and Max Buschke and Ad Inskoop took him into Heppner to a doctor. At this writing he is at home and is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Clark and Mary Jean, Miss Rosanna Farley and James Farley, Jr., were Christmas guests at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. James Farley, coming from Hood River.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Morton, Arlene and Jack, were Christmas visitors at the Chas. B. Cox home, coming from their home at Newberg. They returned home Monday.

Dick Benton Weds Pendleton Girl

(Pendleton E. O.)

At a lovely home ceremony yesterday, Miss Kathryn Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Copeland, became the bride of Richard Benton, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Benton of Marshfield. The groom's father read the ceremony.

The bride was most attractive in a smart suit of blue wool, with cross fox trimming, worn with orchid corsage bouquet, and with wine colored accessories. Miss Maxine Casteel, maid of honor, wore a black two piece frock, with black hat, and corsage of gardenias. Howard Furlong, of Heppner, was best man.

The vows were said before the fireplace, which was charmingly decorated in white chrysanthemums and white snap dragons.

A wedding dinner followed the ceremony. After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Benton will reside here.

LeGrand Guild from Snohomish, Wash, where he is connected with the soil conservation service, spent Christmas with Mrs. Guild here. Mrs. Guild expects to return with him to make their home at Snohomish following the vacation period.

Advertisement for gold in cellars with illustration of a man digging and text: 'IS THERE GOLD IN YOUR CELLAR? Yes, and in Your Attic Too! Turn Those Things You Don't Want Into Money with a Want Ad'.

Large advertisement for First National Bank of Portland: 'BUY YOUR NEXT AUTOMOBILE THE Low Cost WAY The First National Bank's Cash Buyer Plan... 1. SEE THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Any Branch 2. SELECT YOUR CAR... new or used Under three years old 3. PAY CASH... you supply one-third the price in trade-in or cash; we lend you the balance required to pay for both car and insurance. You need not be a depositor to borrow from this bank Any of 42 Branches FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Portland'.