Dr. Tibbles Chosen President of C-C For Ensuing Year

Trade Expansion Included in Plans For 1947 Program

Directors of the Heppner chamber of commerce in meet- joicing and happiness, and ing Wednesday evening elected Dr. L. D. Tibbles to head the organization through the year dents have claimed the tragic 1947. Other officers chosen included Jack O'Conor, first vice president; Orville Smith, second vice president; Frank Davis, secretary, and B. C. Pinckney, trea-

Officer election followed the naming of one-half of the board that time the terms of Harry Van ner expired. Crawford and Tibbles were re-elected, Don Fleck and C. J. D. Bauman elected. P. W. Mahoney, L. E. Dick Jr., Loyal Parker, Jack O'Connor, L. Tibbles, Orville Smith, C. J. D. Bauman, Don Fleck and O. G. Crawford.

The directors discussed roads and other matters looking to future development here. It is more than likely the chamber of commerce will sponsor delegations to attend meetings of the state highway commission in the interest of highways in and leading to this county. Cooperation with the county court in presenting road matters to the commis-

It was pointed out that the for five miles of grading and oil- Oregonian. ing from the Rhea creek juncing and surfacing (oiling) of the Hardman hill-Hardman stretch. rejected by the commission on ident, Dr. Packard. the contention that the price was

pin creek when work could be service. resumed. It will be the purpose of the chamber to follow thru on this and urge extension of the work beyond Hardman.

P. P. & L. Offering Advisory Service

keting problems, according to the past. Don Fleck, manager for Pacific Decision Power & Light company.

Fleck said the service, which is available without cost to the company's customers, has handled a wide scope of problems submitted by Pacific northwest business, industry and agriculture in a five-month period.

Manufacturers of wood by-

products have asked for information on making paper and plas-tics from fallen timber, on the processing of sawdust into wallboard and for means of speeding sawdust drving and processing. One farm inquiry asked for the latest developments in forcedair hay drying, while a fur farmer asked for a bone meal substitute for feeding mink.

The research service gave an enterprising service station op-erator a careful report on the properties of a new-type rust inhibitor, and it provided laboratory findings on the absorptive qualities of flax and cotton for another inquiry.

Fleck said requests for information from the Research Advisory service can be placed at the Pacific Power & Light company office in Heppner.

Legion Auxiliary Has Gift Exchange

Members of the American Legion audit ry met at the home P. Brown on North Court street Tuesday evening, at which time the Christmas party was held. There was a gift exchange among those present and a shower for the Portland child

welfare center. Mrs. Richard Wells, president, received the door prize offered by Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Wells has expressed her thanks to the public for supplying articles for the gift shop maintained by the state department for the benefit of hospitalized veterans and their families and to the business houses which handled the coin bottles, the funds thus obtained being used to buy gifts for the hospit-

the evening.

"Don't Let Death Take Your Holiday"

Mayor J. O. Turner today call ed attention to the coast-wide campaign to reduce traffic accidents during the Christmas holiday period by issuing a procla-mation calling on local citizens to drive and walk carefully and to observe traffic regulations at all times.

Following is the proclamation

issued by the mayor:
"WHEREAS: The Christmas season is a period of general re-

"WHEREAS, during the past six months, holiday traffic accitoll of 63 lives in this state and, "WHEREAS, a study of these

accidents recently made by the secretary of state's office indicates nearly all of them were preventable "NOW THEREFORE, I as may-

or of Heppner, do hereby call of director's at Monday's lunch-con meeting of the group. At join with local and state governmental agencies in an all-out Horn, O. G. Crawford, Dr. Tib-bles, K. A. House and F. W. Tur-during the holiday season this

Mayor Turner said officials of Oregon were joining other states making a membership including in the west in conducting the taffic safety campaign this year under the slogan,

"Don't Let Death Take Your

Don Jones Photos Find Favor With Press and Magazine

tells a story equal to a thousand words, Don Jones of Heppner will soon fill a sizeable volume with his stories. His name is appearsion is deemed worthwhile and ing on pictures of publications will be carried out. regularity, and during the past highway commission is asking week several "shots" of campus for bids on two units of the activities were printed in con-Ruggs-Hardman stretch of the nection with a feature story of Heppner-Spray highway. One is the university in the Sunday

A full-page cover picture of the other for three and six-tenths miles of grading, widen-to by Don Jones." On the inside numerous pictures were similar-Hardman hill-Hardman stretch. ly credited, one in particular, An earlier bid on this work was that of the new university pres-

Don, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones of Heppner, displayed Three years ago the chamber rare talent with the camera of commerce was assured that when attending school here and oiling would be completed thru was attaining recognition at the from Ruggs to the mouth of Cha- university prior to entering the

Women Choralists To Resume Practice

After passing up the fall months without getting together, months without getting together, the Heppner Women's Choral Boardman where he served as ior deacon; Harry Van Horn, ju- Mrs. Fred Hoskins, organist; Mrs. The technical and laboratory club will resume rehearsals superintendent for five years. facilities of Research Advisory
Monday evening, January 6, acservice will be available again
cording to Mrs. Orville Smith, in Heppner during the coming year to help handle local manu- will be held at the home of Mrs. Orvine Smith, president of the club. Rehearsals will be held at the home of Mrs. facturing, processing and mar- O. G. Crawford, director, as in

Decision to carry on was reached in a meeting at the home of Mrs. Smith early this month, when Mrs. Crawford was prevailed upon to direct the

With a nucleus of former members it is hoped to build ip a strong chorus with addiions of new voices. Those interested in joining the chorus are asked to get in touch with Mrs. Smith or Mrs. Crawford at once. Work will start in earnest on January 6 in preparation for the annual spring concert.

Girl Scouts Hold Christmas Party

Nancy Ferguson, Reporter Girl Scout Troop II had a fish pond at the Episcopal bazaar. We wish to thank everyone who helped with the fish pond.

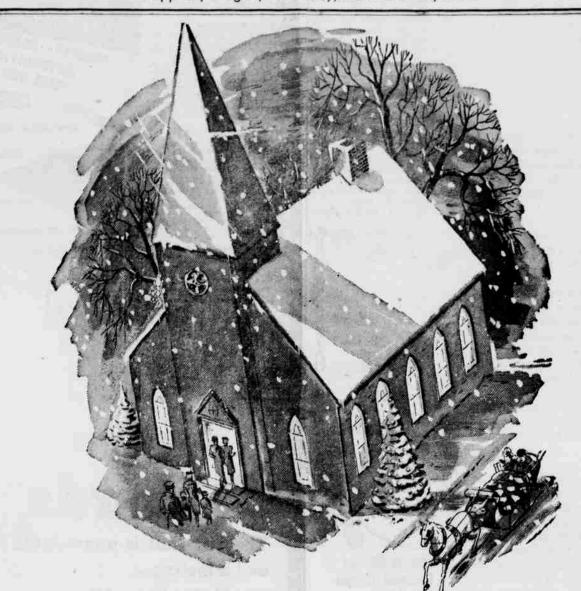
The Christmas party was held in Cohn's basement December 16, with 19 girls and 10 women pre sent. Several carols were sung. and Christmas cards that were made by the troop were sent to parents, leaders and all who helped during the year. The troop hall had a Christmas tree decorated and lighted. We also had a Jack Horner Christmas pie. Christmas customs in other ands were given by different scouts, and the Viginia reel was danced by all.

Taps was sung and goodnights were said. The next meeting will present the subject. be January 6, 1947.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Word has been received here of the death of Frank C. Dillingham at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Blanche Marr, at Rose burg. Mr. Dillingham had been He will be remembered by many people in this section of the country as he at one time owned a farm in the Morgan commun-

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Joslin of Mrs. Frank Davidson and Mrs. Pine City were attending to bus- A. J. Moore of Benton county. Floyd Worden were hostesses for iness matters in Heppner Mon- Mrs. Barlow accompanied him



Supt. Corwin Not To Return in Fall

At the last regular meeting of tion to the foot of Hardman hill, the Oregon Alumni magazine 1, Supt. George A. Corwin announced that he would not be a candidate for re-election to his present position next spring. He stated that the reason he was informing the board of his decision at this early date was to allow ample time to choose a successor. He further stated that decision not to return to Heppner was due to a desire professional advancement not to any dissatisfaction with the community or school, Corwin was elected to the superintendency of the local school in 1942, succeeding Alden Blank-enship, who had served several ears but desired to take advanced work at Columbia uni-

Following Shooting

Suffering from a bullet wound in the lower part of the left lung. Afton Gayhart, logging contractor with the Heppner Lumber company, is recovering at St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton, to which place he was rushed Saturday night after examination by a local phy-

A definite statement to local officials has not been made by weapon, a small caliber revolver, when Gayhart was cleaning it.

Rhea Creek Grange To Stage Party at Hall Saturday Night

Members of Rhea Creek grange will gather at the hall Sunday evening for a Christmas party. in the dining hall at 6:30, followed by a program and an exchange of gifts.

The Home Ec club of the saturday, December 19. There certain. will be a potluck dinner at noon. Topic for the afternoon session vill be "Party Planning." Miss Katherine Monohan, county home demonstration agent, will

REJECTS CLERK PRESIDENCY

served as president of the or- wishing to take time to drive, office shortly after the first of ganization during the year and they engaged passage in one of last year, due to illness of the Forsythe planes on the morpresident, presided at the annual meeting. He was tendered job another year but declined in favor of the vice president, on the trip.

Annual Feast Of Turkey To Feature Mason-Star Installation Ceremonies

The handsome brick structure Priest; Harley Anderson, King; t the corner of Main and Wil- Gordon Banker, Scribe; Rodman ow streets will be the focal Wentworth Captain of the Host; point for all Masonic and East- E. R. Huston, secretary; M. D. ern Star lodge members Satur- Clark, day evening when they assem-ble to do justice to the annual turkey dinner and witness the Friday evening by Ruth chapter joint installation ceremonies of No. 32, O. E. S., were: Mrs. Tom the two orders.

Wells, worthy matron; Tom

Preparations are being made in order to have dinner out of Mrs. F. S. Parker, secretary: the way and get an early start Mrs. Frank Davidson, treasurer on the installation work.

ed are Gordon Banker, worship- sociate conductress ind Charles Stout, tyler.

nstall Noel Dobyns as High C. C. Dunham, Electa.

treasurer, and six other

ppointive officers.

Results of the election held Wells. worthy patron; Frank Connor, associate matron; Mrs. F. S.

Masonic officers to be install- ress; Mrs. Harley Anderson, as Mrs. Frank Wilkinson, conduct ful master; Noel Dobyns, senior warden; Harold Becket, junior Mrs. Noel Dobyns, chaplain;

nior deacon; Paul Jones, senior C. C. Carmichael, warder, and steward; Marion Hayden, junior O. G. Crawford, sentinel. Star steward; Kenneth Peck, chap-lain; Millard Nolan, marshal, Ada, Mes Flood Worden Buth, Ada; Mrs. Floyd Worden, Ruth Mrs. James Hayes, Esther; Mrs. The Royal Arch chapter will Harold Becket, Martha, and Mrs.

News Briefs Around Town

from Eugene where he and Mrs. of Portland and Henry Cohn of Turner went to visit at the home of their son Don and family. Mrs. Turner remained below and Dalles with him. "Cres" brushed for Christmas. The trip was old friends as the brief visit Motors made to see their new grand. Wrig either Gayhart or Mrs. Gayhart, daughter, Virginia Lou, who Mrs. Cleta Jones was here The shooting was attributed to made her entrance into this from Montana the first of the an accidental discharge of the vale of tears on December 11. week attending to matters in They were accompanied as far connection with the estate of as Salem by Mrs. Joe Hughes her father, the late W. G. Palwho went down to bring her mateer of Morgan. daughter Mary Olive home for

> Mrs. Ethel Adams returned her mother who has been quite

the holidays.

Mrs. Talma Palmer Nelson arpotluck dinner will be served rived in Heppner Wednesday vening from San Diego for an indefinite visit at the Harlan McCurdy Jr. home. She accompanied Mrs. McCurdy to Pendlegrange has scheduled a party ton this morning, their returnat the Harold Wright home for ing date being somewhat un-

Oscar George drove to Portland Wednesday to bring Mrs. George and her mother, Mrs. Sadie Sigsbee, home, Mrs. Sigsbee recently underwent a major pounds 15 ounces. The Straits There will be an exchange of hospital from which she is re- agriculture instructor in the logifts. Mrs. Harold Wright and covering nicely. Mrs. George has cal school. surgical operation at a Portland been with her throughout the

Mr. and Mrs. Newt O'Harra of of the week from Portland where of patrons of the Forsythe Flythey engaged passage in one of the year. ning of December 10, had all the time needed for their busi-

> Visitors in Heppner for a short motif prevailed in the decoratime Wednesday were two form- tions.

J. O. Turner returned Tuesday er residents, Creston R. Maddock Pendleton. Cohn accompanied Maddock here from Pendleton

W. C. Rosewall left Monday

night for Seattle to attend a of handling customers, courtesy, meeting of Ford representatives 'uesday from Portland where throughout the northwest. He she spent the past week with was joined at Hermiston by Emery Gentry of Weston. They Lexington Home Ec drove to Yakima and took a train from there to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Snyder had as their guests at dinner Tuesday cake adorned the table. Friends in Heppner have re-

ceived word of the birth of a son, Dennis Donald, to Mr. and Mrs. Don Strait. The child was born December 10 at Tillamook and tipped the scales at seven were residents of Heppner several years when Mr. Strait was

Patricia Kenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny of Heppner, submitted to an appen-C. W. Barlow returned the first Lexington have joined the ranks dectomy Monday at the St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton. caretaker of the state parks of he attended the convention of the past nine years. Pounty clerks last week. Barlow

A tea was given Tuesday af-

Shrine Clubs Name Officers for 1947

Officers for the ensuing year vere chosen by the Morrow County Shrine club and the club auxiliary in meetings held in Heppner Saturday evening. Harley Anderson was chosen

to head the Shrine club, with Blaine Isom going in as vice president and Marvin Wightman as secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Harley Anderson will head the Shrine club auxiliary, with Mrs. L. D. Tibbles, vice president and Mrs. Floyd Worien, secretary-treasurer.

Installation of the two groups ill be held on New Year's day. Following the business meetngs the groups met at the Isom few hours with skits, carols and games. Mrs. Tibbles, Mrs. Harry Van Horn and Mrs. An- fer. Mrs. Gordon White was choderson were in charge of the

refreshments. Two cases of food and two cartons of gifts were wrapped for sending to the children in the Shrine hospital for crippled children.

Service Manager's Ability Recognized

Recognition for outstanding ability as a service manager has Hodge Chevrolet Co. Wright has een made vice president of the Spokane zone of the Chevrolet Service Managers' league of the les Carlson. Refreshments were Mr. Turner will join her there around and saw as many of his Chevrolet division of General

> Wright attended a one-week service managers' school sponsored by the Chevrolet factory in Spokane December 9-14. The chool is conducted primarily to Fred Buchanan. bring men up to date on all the atest methods in mechanical rocedure.

Ratings are based on records promptness and efficiency.

Club Stages Party

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson Jr. day, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troedson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smouse by Louis Carlson as Tommy Ca the event being the birthday of were hosts to the Lexington ler, David Barnett as Jethra Ap-Mr. Snyder. A beautiful birth- grange Friday evening at a par-Home Economics club.

Holly brought from the valley fee after the play by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson Sr. was used profusely about the of the birth of a niece. Carol hall and dining room, with red Ann born December 5, to Mr. candles, fruit cakes, Christmas and Mrs. Earl Henderson of Sebells and crepe paper adding the attle. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson proper holiday atmosphere.

Mrs. J. A. Troedson, lecturer the past two years, concluded hurch songs and recitations. Refreshments of ice cream cake, and home-made fruit

ookies were served. There was a Christmas tree and a Santa Claus to pass out be hostess at a formel dance at treats to all present.

RODEO MEETING SLATED

A meeting of the Heppner Rodeo association has been called ternoon by the Home Ec III girls for January 4, 1947, at the office born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond the time needed for their busi-iness mission and returned home the next day refreshed and iness mission and returned home direction of Miss Margaret Hugh- Reppner, according to the next day refreshed and lett. A feature of the affair was ment by Lee Beckner, president. Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of the control of the meeting is to clean Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of the control of the meeting is to clean Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson Mrs. Robert Johnson or meeting the control of the meeting is to clean Mrs. Robert Johnson Mrs. R and lay plans for the 1947 show. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Matthews. Mrs. E. R. Lundell December 27.

Ione Church Gives Party For Sunday School Classes

A Christmas party was given unday afternoon at the Congre-Sunday afternoon at the Congregational church for the junior and intermediate classes of the Cooperative Sunday school by their teachers, Mrs. E. M. Baker and Mrs. Echo Palmateer. Rev. and Mrs. Alferd Shirley were guests. Games, exchange of gifts and treats of nuts or oranges were the chief features. The Sunday school will give a Christmas program at the Co-operative church Sunday evening, Dec. 22, at 7 p.m.

Willows grange will hold their regular meeting Saturday night, December 21. There will be a program and an exchange of

The community Christmas tree schoolhouse Friday evening, De-

born Thanksgiving day to Mr. \$3,102.60 or 37.8 per cent of the and Mrs. Harlan Lundell of Boitax was paid in. Payment on

The following were Walla
Walla shoppers Saturday: Mr.
and Mrs. Franklin Ely, Mrs.
Echo Palmateer, Laurel and Ted

the life protection levy was better, with \$1,295.34 or 50.2 per
cent of the levy paid.

A total of \$3,441.55 or 95.6 per
cent of the forest fire patrol levy Palmateer, Miss Mary Brackett, is paid in. Miss Mary Jean Bristow, Rollo Payment Miss Mary Jean Bristow, Rollo Payments to the amount of Crawford, Pete Cannon and Er- \$77,349,48 on the county hospital nest McCabe.

ball teams won both games at period. Previous collections on Condon Friday night of last this levy were \$20,291.61 making week and won both games here a total of \$97.641 09 now on hand with Condon Saturday night. The town team lost to Arlington The total levy calls for \$107.418. here December 12.

The HEC of the grange and the PNG club of the Rebekahs wrapped gifts for the McCaw hospital at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hel-iker Tuesday of last week.

A fellowship dinner of the Cooperative church was given at the Congregational church on

Thursday, Dec. 12. The Willows grange installed four candidates in third and

A "stork shower" was held at the Congregational church, Dec. \$1,602.86, and Boardman 50.8 11 in honor of Mrs. Charles O'-Connor. The hostesses were Mrs. Edmond Bristow, Mrs. Roy Lindstrom, Mrs. Delbert Emert and Mrs. Garland Swanson. Refresh-

ments of ice cream, cookies and coffee were served. exchange of Christmas gifts in the afternoon. The following officers were elected: Chairman, partment and made merry for Mrs. Noel Dobyns; vice chairman, Mrs. Walter Dobyns; secre-

tary-treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Seehasen representative to the Ione Harold Erwin, had tendered her Memorial Improvement associa- resignation effective at the end tion. The meeting date was of this semester. He has made day of each month. The study meeting of the Topic club met Friday afternoon,

December 13, at the home of Mrs. Gordon White. Mrs. Omar Rietmann was elected as representative to the Ione Memorial Improvement association. It was decided to hold a benefit card to Oral Wright of the party in January for the association. The book "Winter Cherry" by Keith West was reviewed by Mrs. M. E. Cotter and Mrs. Charserved by the hostesses, Mrs. White, Mrs. Cotter and Mrs. Carlson

John Buchanan of the U.S. army is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

The Ione high school presented the three-act play, "Heart Trouble," Wednesday evening, December 11, at the schoolhouse. The cast consisted of Barbara Smith as Mrs. Grace Morrison, Robert Drake as Mr. Fred Morrison, Harlan Crawford as Junior Morrison, Laurel Palmateer as Patricia Morrison, Rose Mary Doherty as Laura Morrison, Art Bergstrom as Conrad Tyler, Mrs. Norman Nelson and Francine Ely as Lenora Apple pleby, Lillian Hubbard as Bea given under auspices of the trice Tyler. The juniors served pie, cookies, doughnuts and cof

> Mrs. E. M. Baker received word have visited here.

Mrs. Imogene Mooney is put-Arthur Stefani Jr. of the U.S.

ils nose Tuesday. The Ione school faculty will Corvallis. the school gym Tuesday eve-

Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Shirley received word of the birth of a granddaughter, Janice Elaine, Shirley of Eugene. Mr. Shirley Mrs. Johnson is the former Eve

County's General Taxes Paid 89.07

Total of \$355,241 Paid in at Closing Date November 15

Setting up what present coun officials believe to be a rec ord, taxpayers of the county had, up to November 15, paid in \$355,-241.67, or 89.07 per cent of the general taxes for 1946. A total of \$365,884.52 was paid but reounted to \$10,642.85, which reduced the net to \$355,241.67.

Separate levies and their amounts were prepared by Frances and program will be held at the Mitchell, deputy tax collector. Irrigon has two levies in addition to the general, the West Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lundell received word of the birth of a the Irrigon rural fire protection granddaughter, Corliss Ilene, funds. Of the irrigation levy. the fire protection levy was bet-

evy had been paid at the time The Ione high school basket of the cosing of the non-penalty

> Tardy taxpayers have been visiting the courthouse quite regularly and the tax department is confident that the percentage has been substantially

raised. In apportioning the funds the county comes first, general roads

second, and schools third. Levies for incorporated towns show Heppner 80 per cent paid fourth degrees Friday night of up; or \$8,275.28. Ione has collected 87.7 per cent or \$846.51. Lexington has 83.2 per cent or per cent or \$576.60.

ONE TEACHER COMING

ANOTHER ONE GOING Supt. George Corwin announced Tuesday that a third grade teacher had been hired to fill out The Maranatha society met at the current year. Miss Alice Ivthe Congregational church Sat-urday with a potluck dinner at cher She is a graduate of the cher. She is a graduate of the noon and election of officers and Oregon College of Education at Monmouth and has had five years teaching experience, four

of them at Long Creek. At the same time he reported Miss Iverson's coming, Superintendent Corwin stated that one of the high school teachers, Mrs. the position.

Mrs. P. C. Creswell Dies in Montana

I. Thompson received a opy of a Missoula, Mont., newspaper the first of the week conaining a story of the passing of Mrs. P. C. Creswell on December 11. She had made her home at Poulson, Mont., for the past 35 years, the family moving there from Heppner where they had resided for a number of years. Mrs. Creswell was born at Monroe Oregon, Feb. 2, 1864, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinton, early residents of the creek that bears their name. The family settled at the forks of Hinton creek on what is now the John Hanna ranch. She married P. C. "Pres" Creswell, a young stockman of upper Willow creek and they were residents of that listrict for a number of years before moving to Heppner. Leavng here, the Creswells located

Surviving are two daughters, adie Russell of Missoula, and Maude Gard of Portland, and a son Joe who lives in Nevada. A sister, Mrs. Lulu Johnson, re-

Poulson where the husband

Christmas Spirit Prevails at P-TA

fied a year or so ago.

The spirit of Christmas was present in the meeting of the Heppner Parent-Teacher associa ting in a variety store in the school building on Wednesday work with a program of room adjoining the Swanson evening, December 11. There by the girls of the high school army underwent an operation on and laden with gifts from members for the children's home at

> "Appreciation of Faith" was the topic of the evening, ably handled by Joe Jewett, pastor of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Oscar Rippee presided

over the meeting.

is a student at the University of lyn Youngberg and taught in

The PNG club of the Rebett up all business of the past year of McMinnville are guests of ahs will meet at the home of