

Many Visiting In Ione For The Holidays

By Echo Palmateer

The Christmas program by the school in the old gym Tuesday evening Dec. 22 was well attended. At the beginning of the program the band played several numbers led by David Raskin; Mary Joe Morrison gave the welcome; superintendent Chester L. Ward made several announcements and Phil Emert was the announcer. Three plays were presented by the grade school, they were: Little Tot's Christmas Joy; The Wrong Spirit of Christmas; and The Gift of Christmas. Miss Lorena Akers was chairman of the program and Mrs. Mabel Farris, the decorating of the room and tree; Karen Lundell, Linda Helmbinger and Bonnie Crum were the pianists. After the program Santa brought treats for every one.

Guests at the Kenneth Smouse home Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Troedson of Heppner

and Mrs. Della Corson. Mrs. Mattie Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders and son of Portland spent Christmas with relatives here. The Sanders returned to Portland, but Mrs. Morgan remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Gilbert Crumb of Morton, Wash., left for her home Sunday after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Grace Ware, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dobyns.

Fred Ely is visiting his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hoak in Seattle and his sister, Mrs. Walter Bethuse in Custer, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harr were visitors at the Lewis Halvorsen home last week. Mr. Harr is taking treatments at Kal-Nee-Pah hot springs near Warm Springs. Dinner guests at the Halvorsen home were Mrs. Hattie Crabtree of Salem and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabtree and family and Mat Halvorsen.

Mrs. Lana Padberg spent Christmas at the Loyal Parker home in Heppner. She went with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Devin and family of Condon.

Dinner guests at the Darrell Padberg home Christmas were Mrs. Casebeer and daughter,

Joyce, Mrs. Holcomb and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Casebeer and family of Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holtz, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Holtz and daughter of Ione and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kirkelle of Tacoma spent Christmas at the Holly Holtz home in Grandview, Wash. Pvt. Harold Holtz arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holtz last week for a furlough from Fort Bliss, Texas. He will report for an assignment at Fort Meade, Md.

Miss Alice Nicholson of Portland spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Edith Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Baker spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bergstrom and daughter Carley spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marcum in Portland.

Those coming from a distance to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kincaid were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Surfus of Estacada; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoppell of Bridgeport, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell and Charles Bell of Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hope of Eugene and Dick and Len Darst of Salem are visiting at the Leon-

ard Carlson home.

Christening services were held for Richard Adon, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Adon Hamlett Sunday at the Valby Lutheran church in Gooseberry with Dr. Henry Hokenson of Portland officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lundell were the God parents. After the church services a pot luck dinner was held and a church meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kincaid and Mrs. Ruby Nichols were recent visitors in Portland and Salem. They brought back Lyle Kincaid who attends the Blind school in Salem and is spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Kvistad of Astoria spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Martin and family left Monday for Portland where they will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Loy and daughter, Karen, of La Grande, were guests last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ball. They with the Donald Ball and Chris Peterson of Bickleton, Wash., spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Elsie Peterson in Lexington. Mrs. Peterson is home from the Heppner hospital.

Walter Dobyns left for Rose-

burg last week to visit his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tad Hardesty. Mrs. Dobyns is already down there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lieuaillen of Gresham spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Robert DeSpain.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McElligott are the parents of a daughter, Ann Louise, born Dec. 21 in Pendleton. Weighed 7 lbs. and 6 ozs. The grandmothers are Mrs. P. Beauchamp and Mrs. Cecella McElligott of Portland.

Mrs. Addie Salter is visiting at the home of her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wise at Mikkalo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skuzeski and sons spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson. Ted Peterson and children of The Dalles were visitors at the Peterson home Sunday. The children stayed for a longer visit.

A family reunion was held at the Wate Crawford home Sunday in honor of their 45th wedding anniversary. A large cake decorated with pink roses was served in the afternoon. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Vernice Crawford and family of Helix, Pvt. and Mrs. Harlan Crawford of Olympia, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer

Crawford, Arthur and Rollo Crawford.

Dates to Remember:
Jan. 6—Burning of Christmas trees on the Rietmann implement lot in the evening.

Jan. 6—Eastern Star Social club at the Masonic hall.

Jan. 7—Extension Unit meeting at the Noel Dobyns home at 1 p. m. Subject: What to Do Before the Doctor Comes.

Jan. 8—Study meeting of the Topic club at the home of Mrs. Echo Palmateer at 2:15 p. m.

Miss Lena Miller of Salem is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Garland Swanson. Mrs. Swanson's niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hinkle of Salem, brought her here.

Pvt. Billy Joe Rietmann left Monday for Fort Lewis after a week's furlough.

Mrs. Ed Buschke of Morgan is a patient in the Heppner hospital. Little Terry O'Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor, fell while playing in the yard Sunday and cut her forehead which required three stitches to close the cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Haugen and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen of Portland spent Christmas with Mrs. Dwight Haugen's mother, Mrs. Fannie Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Crutcher and son, Lee, of Gresham are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Annie Lindstrom and other relatives.

Mrs. Frances Mitchell of Portland spent the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith at Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rietmann entertained the Rietmann families at a dinner Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson and family of The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. David Rietmann and family of Richland, Wash., Van Rietmann of Condon, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Rietmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rietmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rietmann and Walter Rietmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corley and daughter, Sperry, spent last week with her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coats at Ephrata, Wash.

Ross Doherty of the U. S. Army spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Rose Doherty.

Guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. McKay over the holidays were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snyder and children from Moses Lake, also Miss Lois Tracy and Donald Montz of Nampa, Idaho.



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