

HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY
Mrs. Harry Duvall was hostess to members of the Lexington Garden club Monday Dec. 11, for the annual Christmas party, with

11 members attending. The topic, "How to Grow and Care for African Violets" was led and discussed by Miss Edna Turner, followed by a social hour.

Wishing you all the best and brightest joys of the Christmas Season

Each year, we offer a little message to tell you we are remembering all the courtesies afforded us in the past and to let you know we truly appreciate your thoughtfulness and consideration.

HOWELL'S UNION SERVICE
HEPPNER, OREGON

God bless you on Christmas and may His love be with you throughout the coming year!

A joyous Christmas

HEPPNER T.V., INC.

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Sincere Good Wishes for a very Happy Holiday Season

We are grateful for your patronage and consideration last year.

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Unusual Program Brings Cheers For Grade Schoolers

The unusual Christmas program presented by fourth, fifth and sixth grade students at Heppner High school December 6 was exceptionally well received by the audience. Departing from traditional type programs for the season, a resume of school activities in the town for the school year was given in pantomime and song by the youngsters.

Titled, "Twas One Hundred and Thirteen Nights Before Christmas," the theme as read by the narrators, Nancy Doherty and Ivan Adlard, told of 10 scenes depicting a school room, papa trying to sleep while preparations were made for school, going to the rodeo, children leaving for school, a scene of children on the school bus, a football game, Halloween activities, a school dance, Thanksgiving and preparation for Christmas.

The narration, written by music teacher Mrs. Ola Mae Benson, was a clever parody on the popular poem, "Twas the Night Before Christmas." Few highlights of the school year were overlooked and all were presented in good humor to the delight of the audience.

Children in the chorus did an outstanding job of singing old and familiar songs, showing their good training in voice under the direction of Mrs. Benson.

Parents also had reason to be proud of the performance of youngsters in the two bands under the direction of Arnold Melby. Those in the fifth grade, or beginners band, have had instruction only for three months, but performed very well. Sixth grade band members are in their second year of instrumental music. They presented more difficult pieces with exceptional ability. Rickey Gimbel, a member of the sixth grade band, directed one number.

Tom Glass Takes Trip to Fairchild

Tom Glass, freshman at Willamette University, took part in the cadet base visitation to Fairchild Air Force Base in Washington last Thursday and Friday.

Tom, son of Morrow County Health Nurse Velma Glass, was one of 28 members of the Willamette University Air Force ROTC Detachment 700 making the visitation.

Named to Honorary

Jeannette Schmidt of Heppner is one of five new members initiated into the Eastern Oregon College Alpha Epsilon chapter of Alpha Pi Epsilon, national secretarial science honorary. Miss Schmidt, a 1961 graduate of Heppner High school, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schmidt, Heppner.



SNOW LAND... Like an imitation fairy-land is this mountain scene, but it's for real. It shows the ski house, sanctuary for snow lovers at Badger Pass, Yosemite National Park in California. The snow here reaches great depths but winter sports lovers are undaunted and log fires in the ski house are warm.

Chamber Mothers Join in Banquet Honoring Team

Heppner High school's 1961 football team was entertained at the annual banquet with fathers as guests at the high school cafeteria Wednesday, December 6. Members of Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce, sponsoring organization and players' mothers, who prepared the dinner were also present.

Awards were presented Merlin Hughes as most valuable player, elected by teammates; Bruce Moyer as most valuable backfield man, and Merlin Hughes and Ladd Dick as co-winners of most valuable lineman award. Choice of the latter two was by the football coaches.

Bob Thomason, head football coach at Whitman College, Walla Walla, gave the main address, outlining how playing football helps team members meet the problems of life. Another guest of the evening was the assistant coach from Whitman, Russell Monahan.

Coach Jim Sutherland awarded letters to seniors Mike Healy, Archie Ball, Bruce Moyer, Eddie Howard, Merlin Hughes, Ladd Dick, Joe Yackley; juniors LeRoy Gardner, Dick Springer, Shan Applegate, Gene Wallace, Bill Cox, Mike Lesser, Harold Gray; sophomores Dick Proudfoot, Kenny Smith, Larry Muesig, Douglas Dubuque, Raymond Nichols, Daryl Dick, Dan Wardwell.

Letters were also presented three managers, Dennis Warren, Dale Van Blokland and Bill Weatherford.

Sixty-six attended the banquet.

Tree Project of Club Gets Initial Start, Aided By Community

IONE—An estimation of 300 trees will be needed to complete the Street Tree Planting project for which the Ione Garden Club is striving to bring to the community of Ione. This project has been undertaken by the club as a community improvement. The organization will donate \$100.00 towards this. As was noted in the letter to the club announcing their winning of the Sears, Roebuck allotment, they will receive the full amount allowed which is \$240.00.

The club has added two more members to the original project committee, who are chairman, Mrs. Fredrick Martin, Mrs. Phil Emert, Mrs. Elbe Akers. New members for the committee are Mrs. Iva Bishop, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Fannie Griffith, publicity chairman.

Other organizations which have declared themselves available for help are the Lions club, represented by Gariand Swanson and Willows Grange, represented by Mrs. Alvin McCabe. They have the complete backing and support of the Ione City Council. This will be a community project it is stressed and without the help and contribution of the community, progress would be slow. Any other group or individual is invited to assist in any way they feel they can. Members of the above committee may be contacted for further information.

This project which the Garden Club has undertaken can not be done in the matter of a year. However, spread over a period of time it is hoped that our town will be graced by these lovely and useful trees. A great deal of work, study and planning have gone into these plans and the Garden Club members have worked very laboriously to obtain information on the best plan and the best type of tree adapted for this area.

At the garden club meeting on Tuesday, information was presented to the members by Mrs. Fredrick Martin on trees, their types and adaptability for this area. A vote was made to obtain the group's choice in order of their preferences, with the following choices, Moraine Locust, Scarlet Oak, Washington Thorn, Norway Maple, Schwedler's Maple, Little Leaf Linden. These six types of trees are considered to be the most highly adapted for our area. The club is open to any suggestions or information that anyone can give them to help in this work.

It is planned, through later articles to bring information through our paper on the proper planning, planting and care methods to enable everyone in surrounding communities, as well as our own town, to have healthier and better trees.

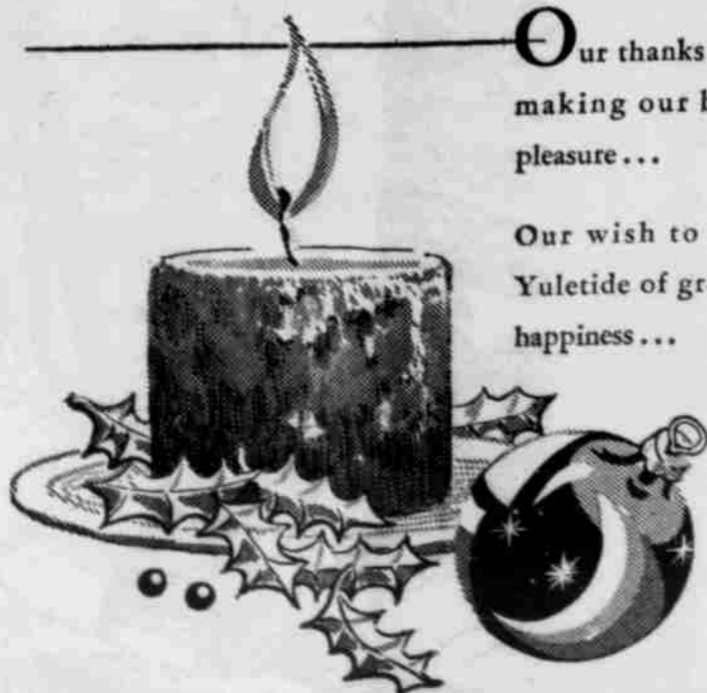
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Those who drive on the wrong side of the highway should be put on the right side of the jar.

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