

# Students Talk over Amateur Radio

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 IONE—Fifth grade students of Edwin Kessler, who have been studying communications in their classroom, traveled to the home of Bob Jepsen last

Wednesday afternoon to visit his amateur radio station WAT-DWL. Jepsen gave a brief history of radio, terminology used, and the operation of the radio

equipment. He contacted operators in Lewiston, Idaho and Toronto, Canada, while the class watched the procedure. All the students, including Mrs. Lee Palmer who is room mother, and Milt Morgan who drove the activity bus, were all able to talk over the microphone. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jepsen before the students returned to the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Linn were calling on friends in Ione last Wednesday. Linn, who is employed during the summer by the U. S. Bureau of Roads in Alaska, and his wife were married there in Alaska last year. While enroute to the United States they had the misfortune to be involved in a traffic accident at Terrace, B. C. Injuries to Mrs. Linn delayed them there for over a week.

Dr. A. J. Buttrey, minister for the Oregon Conference of the United Church of Christ, will fill the pulpit here this Sunday, December 24. Students in Mrs. Henry Krebs' high school Sunday School will light the advent candles and provide special music which will be under the direction of Darrell James.

Mrs. Cleo Childers is home now following surgery in Portland on her vocal chords. She will be unable to use her voice for two weeks, and then she must return for additional surgery.

Spending two days this week in Portland on business and for medical appointments were Mr. and Mrs. Gar Swanson and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McElligott drove to Portland on Tuesday to pick up their son, Army Aviation Cadet John McElligott, who will be home for the holidays on leave from Texas.

All Sunday School classes at Valby participated in a special program on Sunday evening which was entitled "God's Gift." Dessert was served following the program. Valby congregation is planning a Christmas Eve candlelight service to be held at their church beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Roy Lindstrom drove to the campus of Oregon State University this week to pick up her daughter Susan, for the Christmas vacation.

**Give Gifts to Mission**  
 The Altar Society of St. William's Catholic Church was hostess for a Christmas party for all the youngsters in the church on Sunday. Don McElligott read the Christmas story from the Bible, and treats were passed out. Instead of exchanging presents, gifts were brought for St. Andrews' Indian Mission in Pendleton.

Enjoying coffee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Miller of Athena following the Ione-McEwen game were Mr. and Mrs. Don Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Gar Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Kincaid, and Lewis Halvorsen.

Alfred Nelson is recuperating from surgery at his home now. His son, Kenneth, is here now for a few days visit before he resumes classes at Lane County Community College in Eugene. Karen, who is a student at O.S.U., also arrived home for the holidays.

The Dealin' Dozen Pinochle club met at the home of Mrs. Wayne Hama last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Bob Harrison won high prize and Mrs. John Jepsen, low. The traveling pinochle prize was won by Mrs. Pat Hammond. The hostess served a holiday suet pudding with hard sauce for dessert.

A capacity crowd filled the Ione United Church of Christ for the annual Primary program. The Deaconesses acted as hostesses for the supper that followed in the social rooms. Later carolers rode around town on a hay wagon singing to shut ins and other residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Morter and children left by car for State Line, Pa., to spend Christmas with members of his family.

Luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Willard French last Thursday were Mrs. Harold Sherer, Mrs. Lee Palmer and Mrs. Marion Palmer. Guests on Friday were Mrs. Gary Tullis, Mrs. Clell Bea, and Mrs. John Jepsen. Following the luncheon on both days the ladies spent the afternoon making Christmas decorations.

Members of Rietmann's Hdw. Bowling team held a Christmas card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Kincaid on Friday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meyers, and Larry Rietmann.

Ginger Majeske, on vacation from her job at Central Market, spent several days visiting friends in Pendleton and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riney Seeger and family.

## Society

### Legion Families Entertained Sunday At Christmas Party

Members of the American Legion and Auxiliary, Post No. 87, entertained on Sunday, December 17, with a Christmas party for their children.

Kiddies were treated to cartoons, movies, and sacks of treats during the afternoon, while parents were served coffee and cookies.

Auxiliary members held their regular monthly meeting Monday, December 4. Business meetings followed the regular potluck dinner.

Main item of business under discussion was the planning and serving of the Morrow County Grain Growers' annual Christmas dinner, held on Friday, December 15.

### Festive Progressive Dinner is Hosted In Homes of Jaycees

Morrow county Junior Chamber of Commerce members, wives, and guests enjoyed a progressive dinner and Christmas dance on Saturday, December 16.

The first course of the dinner, appetizers and snacks, was served to about 30 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Burkenbine. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson were hosts for the second course, soup, at their home, and the main course of the dinner, ham, baked potatoes and salads, was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holomon. Dessert of angel food cake with whipped topping was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Gray.

The group later enjoyed games and dancing in the American Legion hall.

### Reception to Honor Newlywed Couple

IONE—Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Evelyn Jepsen) Elder, who were married November 18 in the West Side Church of Christ in Eugene, are to be feted at a reception on Sunday, December 31, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Martin in Ione.

The Martins extended a cordial invitation to all friends, relatives and former classmates to greet the couple between the hours of 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Immediately following the reception a reunion of the class of 1961 and potluck supper will be held for the former classmates of the new Mrs. Elder.

Mrs. C. E. McQuarrie has returned from Missoula, Mont., where she accompanied her mother, Mrs. Lucy Lehner, from Portland. Mrs. Lehner had spent several weeks in Portland's St. Vincent hospital recuperating from surgery and returned to her home in Missoula only last week.

### Officers Selected By Episcopal Group

Episcopal Church Women of All Saints' Episcopal parish held their regular monthly meeting Wednesday, December 6.

Mrs. Eddie Gunderson, president, conducted the short business meeting, during which election of new officers for the coming year was held.

Newly elected president of the group is Mrs. Elwayne Bergstrom. Mrs. Don Turner will serve as vice-president and Mrs. Milo Prindle was elected treasurer. Mrs. Clayton Sweek will serve the group as secretary.

### Christmas Observed By Bookworms Club

Mrs. Virginia Turner entertained members of her Bookworms Club at her home on Tuesday evening, December 12.

Program for the evening was a contribution by each member of a poem or reading in keeping with Christmas, as an annual custom of the group. A gift exchange was held and refreshments were served by the hostess to Mrs. Gene Starks, Mrs. Florence Green, Mrs. Inez Erwin, Mrs. Lucy Peterson, Mrs. Fay Ferguson, Mrs. Helen Currin, Mrs. Justine Weatherford, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mrs. Madge Thomson, Mrs. Robert Abrams and special guest, Mrs. Don Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gunderson were Portland visitors over the week-end to keep a medical appointment for their son, Doug.

### Santa Makes Visit At Wrangler Party

Members of the Heppner Wranglers club and their guests enjoyed a potluck dinner and Christmas party in the Wrangler's building at the fair grounds on Sunday, December 10.

About 50 guests enjoyed a gift exchange, singing of Christmas carols, and a surprise visit from Santa Claus, who arrived with sacks of treats for everyone.

Mrs. Harold Erwin was chairman of the afternoon program, and the dinner was served under the direction of Mrs. Don Robinson, Mrs. Art Vance, and Mrs. Jerry Dougherty.

### Pendleton Relatives Visit Heddle Home

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Heddle and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. Heddle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Radmacher of Pendleton, visited in Hines last week-end at the home of Mrs. Heddle's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clell Radmacher and family.

The senior Radmachers traveled on to Portland for several days of visiting and stopped in Heppner on their return home to visit at the Heddle home.

Scott McMurdo of Corvallis spent last Tuesday until Saturday visiting at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo. During his stay he made several business calls in connection with his work with Hamilton Fund, an investment organization.



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