

Gresham Locals

The members of the Sunday school of Zion Evangelical church will give their annual Christmas program on Friday evening at 6:45, to which the public is cordially invited. An offering will be received for the Syrian orphanage at Jerusalem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thomas are here from Lodi, California, to remain with the former's brother and sister, Ezra and Miss Mabel Thomas until after Christmas. They made the trip by auto.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, who underwent a major operation in St. Vincents hospital several weeks ago, was brought home Sunday. Miss Lucy Adams is assisting in her care.

Jack Dowsett and Ernest Nelson, both of Gresham, are among the candidates for the freshman basketball team at the University of Oregon which will start training at the beginning of next term under the direction of Coach Earl Leslie.

Miss Lois Trimble, who is home for the Christmas holidays from Monmouth where she is a student at the state normal, is assisting at the Oscarette.

Those who attended the first concert Wednesday evening of the series to be given by the Gresham band spoke of the program as a splendid one. Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was not as good as hoped for. The violin numbers by W. D. Kinder and the euphonium solo by Dr. H. H. Ott were well received. The second concert for the winter months will be given on January 12.

All are cordially invited to attend the Sunday school Christmas program to be given at the Free Methodist church Friday evening, beginning at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Gillett, the latter a sister of Mrs. G. W. Mason, have moved to Gresham from Portland and have secured living quarters over the Metzger furniture store. Mr. Gillett is employed as an assistant around the store and undertaking parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stockdale of Walla Walla, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Edwards and family of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Newell Edwards of Gresham visited at the S. S. Thompson home at different time during last week. Phyllis, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Edwards, is spending two weeks with her grandmother at Pendleton.

Mildred Frace, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Frace, is ill at the family home with pneumonia. The trouble is believed to have started with an infection in the ear, later producing an abscess on the neck. Pneumonia has now developed and the child's condition is said by the attending physician to be serious.

J. R. Green, who was operated on at the Portland sanitarium the 13th of this month, is reported to be recovering favorably. Mr. Green, whose home is on the Hogan road south of Gresham, has been suffering for some time with a chronic internal infection.

David Lane is able to take his place with the basketball team again after being injured in a practice game about a week ago. His upper left eyelid was burst, the injury coming very near the eyeball. Stitches were taken by a local surgeon at the time.

Miss Avis Rogers returned home last week to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rogers. She is a student at the Oregon state normal.

Charles Cleveland was called to Prineville, Oregon, a few days ago on important business. He is expected to return today.

The Christmas program for the Undenominational Sunday school will be held on Wednesday evening instead of Thursday to permit the children to attend the program to be given at the high school on Thursday evening.

Friday's Paper Day Early

It will be necessary to print and mail Friday's Outlook this week on Thursday in order to get delivery through the mails on Friday.

Saturday will be a holiday, the great joy-fest of the year, and the mail carriers are entitled to enjoy it at their homes as well as the rest of us.

On this account our correspondents are asked to report their items of news and announcements a day early, and advertisers will please give us copy a day early. The forms will close Thursday noon.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sture was gladdened on Monday, December 20, by the arrival of an 8-pound daughter, who has been named Bernita May. Mother and baby are doing well.

The Christmas exercises of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will be held tomorrow evening, December 22, beginning at 7:30. The program will consist of appropriate songs and exercises and will

include a beautiful pantomime, "O Zion, Haste," presented by seven young ladies of the school, with Miss Rose Potter as soloist and Miss Elizabeth Horning as pianist. An offering will be taken at this time for "World Service," the home and foreign missionary activities of the church. All are cordially invited to attend.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM TO PLAY ALUMNI

The basketball season will be ushered in by the first game which will be played tonight between the Gresham Union high school alumni and the high school team. This promises to be an intensely interesting game and no doubt will be close, as both sides are sure of winning. The tussle will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Members of the alumni who will probably play are Jack and Stafford Dowsett, Ernest Nelson, Rinar Mattson, Orville Johnson, Robert Booth, Glenn Winters, Leo Bailey, Henry Lunday and George Pullen. The high school basketball team is composed of Arden Squire, Melcher Duncan, George Okuda, Guy Rasher, David Lane, John Anicker, Winston Strong, Alvin

Kaser, Harold Dye and Milton Satterstrom.

Three new students have registered at high school, Walter and Wayne Mallot from the Lynch district, and Arnold Anklon from Troutdale.

SARON LUTHERANS PLAN CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Christmas, the first festival in the church year, will be fittingly celebrated at the Saron Lutheran church, one mile east of Gresham, on Christmas day. The services will begin at 5:30 in the morning. The church will be richly decorated with Christmas candles and fir trees. Two sermons will be given by the pastor, the Rev. Enoch Sandeen, the first one in English on the subject "Who is this Christ that was born in Bethlehem?", and the second in Swedish on "The First Christmas Worship." Preceding the service proper the choir and other musical organizations will render several musical selections. As this service is very popular among the Lutherans, we advise the worshippers to come early.

On Sunday night the Sunday school will render the cantata "The Christmas Story," arranged es-

pecially for this school. The choir and the mixed quartet will take part. There will be a solo by Mrs. Sandeen, violin and piano selections, etc. The acting will be supported by special stereopticon views. An offering for the Sunday school will be taken. The program will begin at 7:30 sharp.

SARON LUTHERANS USE NEW PICTURES

"The First Christmas" was the topic of an illustrated sermon given last Sunday night at the Saron Lutheran church by the pastor, the Rev. Enoch Sandeen. The different places visited by Christ as a child were shown in beautiful stereopticon pictures, among them several views from the Church of the Nativity at Bethlehem.

Christmas now and then was contrasted by a review of the beginning of the present day Christmas and the meaning of the Christian festival. The Christmas customs of today are remnants from

the days of paganism but christianized by the church. Santa Claus was originally a man living in Greece and well known as the benefactor of seafaring people. After having been made a saint he became the imaginary friend of the children. Later he was somewhat mixed up with the German and Scandinavian mythology, "Jul-tomte", and is now known as "Santa Claus."

A plea was made especially for a return to the true meaning of Christmas—a Christ worship. The true Christmas spirit can come only from the source of that spirit, from him, who is "The Light of the World." Several interesting art pictures of the Madonna and the Child were included in the set.

The next series of pictures will be entitled, "The Other Wise Man," and will be a review of the book by that title. This picture will be given on New Year's eve.

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