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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

BREVIES

John Haddock, O. A. C. student, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myers are the parents of a baby daughter born last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrah were in Wells Wells Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nyeat left Wednesday for California where they will spend Christmas with relatives.

Herbert Handline is home from O. A. C. to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Handline.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Kraus of Irion were Hermiston visitors Saturday afternoon.

Stated communication of Queen Esther chapter, O. A. C., next Tuesday night. By order V. M.

Mrs. A. S. Johnson will attend a family reunion to be attended by 21 relatives at Eugene on Christmas day.

Anita Paulsen, Edith Miller and Edith Benson are home from Mouth normal to spend the Christmas vacation.

Ruth E. Woughter is home from the University of Oregon to spend the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woughter.

Nancy McNaught is here to spend the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McNaught. She is a student at O. A. C.

Mrs. Gerald A. Whittier who has been teaching in the schools at Lexington will arrive Friday to spend the holidays at home. She will return to Lexington, January 3.

Mrs. Herabel Smith and infant son, Veari Cope, have left the home of Mrs. W. B. DeSilly where the baby was born and returned to their home in Columbia district.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Schilling and children will leave for the latter part of next week for the Bluntley project in Montana where Mr. Schilling will be superintendent, beginning January 1.

Agnes and Iris Lietz, students in Whitman college, arrived home Wednesday to spend Christmas and the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little.

Mrs. Helen Upham who is teaching school at McKay will be home during the Christmas holidays to spend the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Sears and daughter Patricia left Wednesday for the Willamette valley. They will spend a few days with relatives at Salem and Albany during the holidays.

At the Methodist Episcopal church in the morning, Sunday school at 10:15. Morning services at 11:15. Sermon subject, "The Virgin Birth or the Incarnation." Epworth League in the evening at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon subject, "David, the Sweet Singer of Israel." S. Harbrick, pastor.

Bishop W. P. Remington will be in Hermiston Sunday evening, December 28, to conduct services for the Episcopal church. The services will be held at 7:30 in the Christian Science hall, and the public has been invited to attend.

Fig Davis is here from Portland to spend the holidays with his family.

Billy and David Hamm have recovered from their recent illness.

Christmas exercises at the Methodist Episcopal church will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A program will be presented by the children and young people of the "Sunday" school, and presents will be distributed from the trees.

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Alfred Leber of Leona, Iowa, is here as a guest at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. West. He visited here about two years ago and formed a number of acquaintances here. He plans to remain for some time.

Miss Allen Pugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pugh, arrived home last Friday from San Francisco where she has been training for a year as a student nurse. She has been taking her training in children's hospital. She will return after Christmas to continue her work.

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A majority of teachers in the local schools will spend the Christmas holidays away from Hermiston, either with home folks, or as guests of friends. Miss Jean Hugg, Miss Pauline Thomas, Miss Imabella Mayhew, and Miss Mary Atkinson will spend the time in Portland. Miss Ethel May McComb will visit at Clatskanie. Miss Mary Ford will spend Christmas as a guest of Miss Jessie Pritchard here. Miss Evelyn Parker will go to her home in Lewiston, Idaho. Miss Hanna Brownina will visit in Epokane and Lewiston, Idaho. Miss Eva Randall will spend the holidays at her home in Pendleton.

SCHOOL NEWS

A student body meeting was held on Monday morning. It was decided to have a high school party during the Christmas holidays and to invite the unattached alumni. The committee to decide on the date and other details was appointed.

There are quite a few students who have not paid their student body dues. They are to be given one more chance, and if they do not take advantage of this "Christmas Spirit," they will be charged a 25 cent admission to the party.

Last Friday night the high school team played Unatilla high school's basketball team and suffered defeat, 9 to 7. The game was closely contested throughout, and it was not known until the end which side would win.

The second teams of both schools met in a preliminary game which our boys won. Another preliminary was played between the seventh and eighth grades from this school, and the younger boys were beaten.

The junior class held a class meeting Friday afternoon to choose a class play. The play to be presented instead of "Good Ol' Annabelle" will be "What Happened to Jones."

Several former students of the high school are in town from various schools for the Christmas holidays. Among those who have visited the school this week are Earl Benson, Anita Paulsen, Florence Hannan, and Gertrude and Eleanor Briggs.

All the pupils in the grades attended the American Legion show, "The World War," Thursday afternoon as guests of the Legion.

The lower grade rooms all look very festive, with Christmas trees in place and decorations up. There will be parties on Thursday afternoon in most of the grade rooms.

FIRE ALARM SOUNDED MONDAY

MORNING GAME WHEN MANAGER PAUL LOOKED WRONG AT WATCH

The alarm of the building occupied by the Hermiston office of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, which is the fire alarm signal, also the signal used every day to announce the arrival of noon, sounded Monday morning at 11 o'clock. It did not announce a fire, however, the big crowd that ran into the streets soon learned.

What it did mean was that C. A. Paul, manager, mistook the hour of 11 o'clock for noon.

His explanation was that he was up nearly all Sunday night working and that he was very sleepy when he made the mistake. The men on the fire department did not make a run.

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