

MANY IN TALENT ATTENDED WATCH PARTIES MONDAY

Mrs. M. E. Tryer. TALENT, Jan. 4.—(Special)—Charles Austin of Medford was visiting relatives at Talent last Friday morning. He called on Marion Tryer at the repair shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Borge are the recipients of a wonderful Christmas gift which arrived early this morning at the Borge-Massena home in Medford. This gift was a baby boy, the first son in the family, the other two children being girls. The little lad has been given the name of Carl Edward, Jr.

Anyone in Talent having anything of interest which they would care to have printed in the Medford Mail Tribune, it would be very much appreciated if it were handed to Mrs. Marion Tryer, the local correspondent for the Medford Mail Tribune.

The Talent Rebekah club met at the home of Mrs. Glenn Withrow Friday afternoon. Frank Manness, who has been spending a month's vacation at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed Leaning returned to his work at Fort Klamath last Sunday. Mr. Manness is a timber cruiser in the employ of the government.

Dr. C. W. McFadden was a business visitor in Medford Saturday. The Community club met Wednesday afternoon at the club room, it being such a bad day that many were present.

The Talent Rebekah club held a very enjoyable social party at the Community hall Monday evening and helped to welcome in the new year by ringing the fire bell.

Little Miss Clara's home is rapidly improving after a month's serious illness. Mrs. P. C. Reimer and daughter, Lillian, left Monday for California. They will visit with friends at various cities and spend some time at Los Angeles before their return to Talent.

Woman's Home Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Charley Holdridge Thursday afternoon. The Epworth League and the young married people's class, of the Methodist church, held a frolic and watch-night party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Loomis Monday evening.

Rev. Dumas is holding revival meetings at the Methodist church every evening this week. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Wayne Holdridge returned to Corvallis Saturday, where he is a senior at the Oregon State college.

Mr. Howe and his son, Eugene, left last Wednesday for Longview, Washington by auto. Mr. Howe is looking for a location. Mr. and Mrs. Sedge Cooley and two children who have been spending the Christmas vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hearing, left Sunday for their home in San Jose, Cal.

Miss Ruth Gavlin of Medford was a guest Christmas at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Will Bruin. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamilton entertained the Camp Fire girls and their friends with a dinner new year's eve party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Mem and Portland, returned New Year's day. Miss Blanche Slater, who was visiting relatives at Sutherland, accompanied them last. Mrs. Edythe Cochran entertained at New Year's dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Childers and two sons, Buford and John and Misses Annabelle and Abby Leaning.

Prof. and Mrs. George Brown of Ashland were new year's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vorell. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Benson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and Mrs. and Mrs. Earl Duncan on New Year's eve.

Warren Connor, Orville Burnett, James Purvis and Flo Long went on a three-day camping trip to the Brickett ranch on Little Applegate. They went by way of Wagner Gap. We are glad to again see Mr. Jim Driver in our midst after a month's illness with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. George Galbreath entertained a number of friends with a new year's party at their home on Anderson Creek Tuesday evening. There will be another of the popular dances given by the Community club on January 11. Music will be furnished by the Melody Makers. All come and have a good time.

Miss Elizabeth Higgins was a guest of Mrs. John Haysdale at Eagle Point over the week-end. Quite a number of Talent folk attended the boxing matches at the Armory at Ashland new year's afternoon.

Miss Katherine Ester returned from Oakland, Cal. new year's evening after spending a week with relatives in that city. Messrs Ralph Koozer and Will Ferns left Tuesday for Portland to attend the annual session of Northwest Cannery's association. Mr. Koozer is the president of the Bailey Cannery company in Astoria, while Mr. Ferns is vice-president and general manager of the cooking department.

Any one having news for this column, please hand it to Mrs. Tryer before Wednesday evening. P. M. Parker, who owned the Caster place on the Beeson farm, sold recently to J. A. Cooran of T. Hancock, who moved in Thursday. This place was formerly known as the John Beeson ranch. Mr. Parker is storing his goods in the Ames building.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart left the first of the week for Portland, where Mr. Hart has obtained employment. Mrs. Edythe Larson of Medford, who will be remembered in Talent as Mrs. John Nywarner, and who for a number of years resided here, has lately returned from a visit with her son, Mr. Frank Cameron and wife in Portland, and son Ed Cameron of Grinnon, Va. Mrs. Larson also called on Mrs. Mary Budgreen, who is spending the winter at the L. O. O. E. home in Portland, she found Mrs. Budgreen feeling fine and so well pleased to be remembered by tokens of love from so many of her Talent friends and takes this means to express her thanks to her many good friends. Mrs. Budgreen was also a guest at the Cameron home Christmas day.

C. A. Maharry and E. E. Cook were Ashland business callers Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stiles of Portland were calling on friends in Talent recently. They were en route to visit Mrs. Stiles' sister in Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones were visiting relatives and friends in Ashland Sunday. Mrs. Ella Peterson is on the sick list this week.

Baptist Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. G. W. Duquette, Pastor. Methodist Church. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Lester Newbury, superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League Sunday evening 8:30. Regular prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30. Rev. Brown, Pastor.

CATTLE MOVED FROM APPLAGATE TO WINTER ON ANDERSON CREEK. ANDERSON CREEK, Ore., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Some cattle were driven over from the Applegate Tuesday. The cattle look well this winter. Richard Petri is over from Klamath on a visit. Frank Marquess was up on the creek Sunday. F. M. Carter has been quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Mays. Jack Holtman and family spent New Year's at Jas. Macdowell's. Bill Shann and wife spent a few hours at D. C. Hale's Tuesday evening.

Ed Zemke and sister Dorothy were calling on friends Saturday morning. Mrs. Black was out to the valley Saturday. Bill Stieckler and family spent Christmas in Dorris, Cal. George Young was out to Medford this week. Mr. Pierce is cutting wood on Coleman creek this week. Mr. Russell called at George Young's Tuesday. The school reopened Wednesday after the Christmas and New Year holidays. A social dance was given at the Marquess home Saturday evening. All had a good time. Mr. Harmon is able to be up after a long siege of ill. Mr. Parr, the game warden from Ashland, was up on the creek Sunday. Mr. Beeson was up Wednesday looking after his wood he has cut.

NEW EXCAVATIONS IN BIBLICAL BETH-SHAN



Excavations at Beisan, Palestine, during the seventh season of the Pennsylvania Museum's archaeological field expedition showing the latest work at Biblical Beth-Shan this fall. Native workmen are shown clearing the rooms of a great Canaanite fort tower found in the level dating from 1411 to 1314 B. C. The cylindrical stones are part of debris remaining from a great Hellenistic temple whose foundations had cut into the earlier level.

REPORT SAWMILL TO BE OPERATED AT CLIMAX SOON

CLIMAX, Ore., Jan. 2.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. G. Oliver and W. F. Charley motored to Portland ten days ago. Mr. Charley returning Dec. 24th and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver being expected to return this week. It is reported that a sawmill of 25 M. daily capacity is to be erected here shortly by Mr. Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marshall of Ashland who have been visiting at the Compton home the past week, returned to their home January 1st. E. C. Hurd of Ashland is making an extended visit at Climax this week. Tommy Coy of Eagle Point has been visiting the Charley and Griston families.

Mrs. E. H. Wertz and daughter returned New Year's day at Mrs. Compton's. Mrs. A. J. Griston and Nellie have returned from a visit to the valley. Children at Climax are preparing for the eighth grade examinations which are held this month. They are at some disadvantage, too, the examinations coming two months after the close of school.

L. H. Wertz was a business caller in Medford Dec. 21st. A. J. Griston took a flock of sheep to Lake Creek to be fed for the winter. BASKETBALL PROSPECT FOR CENTRAL POINTERS SHOWN IN RECENT TILT

CENTRAL POINT, Ore., Jan. 4.—(Special)—In one of the closest games seen on the local floor in years, the high school boys defeated the alumni in an overtime game Friday, 32-31. Baber of the alumni was high point man with 23 points, while Morningstar of the high school made 18 points. Bolds, captain of the high school team, sprained his ankle and was unable to play the second half. Clyde Young, referee, sent two men to the showers, Coy Brown of the alumni and Clark for the high school. In the preliminary game, the girls lost to the alumni, 33-9. Lineups were as follows: High school: Lampert (7), for-

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ward; Jones (2) forward; Webster, center; Casad, side center; J. Seabrook, guard; Meher, guard; Lees, spare. Alumni: Richmond (14) forward; Hamilton (9) forward; Bonshaw, center; Imman, side center; Love, guard; Brown, guard; Seabrooke and Duvie, spare. Boy's game—High school: Bolds, Capt. (1), forward; Clark (7), forward; Morningstar (18), center; Carter (6), guard; Stanley, guard. Alumni: Baber, forward; T. Brown, forward; C. Brown, center; Hoover, guard; Benson, guard. Spare—High school (2): Johnson; I. Cline; Alumni: Dietrich, Hamilton.

The results augur well for the high school team for the coming year. It appears that Central Point has a team which will again be in the running for the county championship of secondary schools.

LAKE CREEK GRANGERS ATTEND INSTALLATION EAGLE POINT MEETING

LAKE CREEK, Ore., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Quite a number of the Lake Creek grangers, including all of the new officers, went to Eagle Point Tuesday night, where the officers were installed by Mrs. Haack. Mr. and Mrs. Loren Farlow spent New Year's day with Mrs. Farlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stewart, at Medford. William, Evelyn and Jewel Abbott of Medford are spending their vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moore. Their mother, Mrs. Cecile Abbott, came out New Year's day to spend a few days with them.

Martin and Raymond Ragsdale, who were visiting their sister, Mrs. Ray Schmiedling during Christmas week, returned home Sunday. Wallace Ragsdale, who has been in Portland for the past two months, accompanied them home. Roy Grigsby of Medford was a pleasant caller at the H. L. Tom home Sunday. Mrs. Grigsby and son Donald, who spent Christmas week with Mrs. Grigsby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tom, accompanied him home. Wm. Almy, P. W. Peck, H. L. Tom and Harry Tom were Medford shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Marshall and grand-daughter Mrs. Marguerite Marshall were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strain. Mrs. Frank Farlow returned Monday from a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Nichol, near Eagle Point. Miss Charley is ill with flu. Mrs. Beth Farlow and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peck were guests of

FOOTS CREEK FLU KEEPING SEVERAL FROM THE SCHOOL

RIVERA, Ore., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Clay Biles of Rivera is in the Community hospital with blood poisoning in his right hand. Oscar Johnson and Miss Dorcie Biles spent Christmas at Roseburg with Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson. School opened at Foots creek Wednesday morning. Some of the children were not able to go, on account of having the flu. John Ferry has been waiting a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wahl had as their guests on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wahl of Medford, Mrs. Maude Champlin and Mrs. West of Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott and son, Donald of Yreka, Cal., and John P. Davis of Seattle.

Mrs. Clay Biles and three children have been quite sick for the last week with flu, but are better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harrison and family have moved in one of the cottages at Rivera park. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Miller of Portland has been visiting at the Roomkeeper home. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wahl of Medford spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wahl.

Charles and Pauline Champlin of Medford have been visiting relatives at Rivera the last week. Mr. Boomsiter is quite sick with flu. Warren Evans has been doing the work for the Champlins, as Mr. Putnam has gone to California to visit his mother who has been real sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Gen. Brown, New Year's day. The Misses Elsie and Dorothy Whitte are spending their vacation with home folks. Vernon Wadia was a guest at the C. E. Whitte home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Farlow and Mrs. Farlow attended the game meeting Tuesday night at Eagle Point. John Sottles is visiting at the home of L. H. Wyatt. Mr. Wyatt took a number of dressed logs to Medford Wednesday for E. Tucker.

Marion Farlow has gone to Medford to live with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Browne. There is some work being done on the South Fork road this week. Fritz Frey is able to be about again. He had quite a sick spell. HEPNER—Production of seed crops proving popular and profitable in central Oregon.

BEAGLE BOY HURT WHEN STRUCK BY BLAZE FROM IRON

BEAGLE, Ore., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Little George Mayfield had the misfortune of having his face badly burned the first of the week. He was standing near a gasoline iron when the iron caught fire, the blaze striking him in the face. There was no Boy Scout meeting last Saturday evening, as there are a number of the scouts who have the measles and the leader, Mr. Lucas, had the flu.

Mr. Ellis was a business visitor in Medford the last of the week. The next Antioch P. T. A. meeting which should have been held January 4th, was postponed until January 11, on account of school not reopening until January 7th. They expect to put on quite a program in connection with Miss Burr's entertainment, and Miss Hissonger, chairman of the program committee, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents in Medford, so she could not be here in time to put on the program at the regular time. Light refreshments will be served by the members of the P. T. A. and they extend a cordial invitation to everyone to come. There will be no admission charged.

There are quite a number of cases of red measles here now. A few have had them real hard, but in most cases they have been real light. COAST GUARD SAVES STRANDED SAILORS

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Stranded for 27 hours in Fowey Rock lighthouses, 14 miles south-east of here, four men and two boys, survivors of a sunken fishing boat, were saved today, having been taken aboard coast guard patrol boat 248 and landed after battling high seas. The boat had rammed a submerged wreck. Everett Noble of Lawrenceville, N. J., and five Floridians composed the crew.

DUNSMUIR WOMAN SUICIDES BY RADIO

DUNSMUIR, Cal., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Mrs. E. H. Hamilton, 32, committed suicide here last night by hanging herself in her home. Police said she had returned home from downtown, turned on the radio, and then killed herself with an electric light cord. The body was discovered by her husband, a clock maker. Authorities said they had been unable to determine the cause.

Bury Adamson at Home NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—(Special)—The body of William C. Adamson, who as a congressman from Georgia sponsored the railroad act named for him, will be taken to his late home in Carrollton, Ga., tonight for burial.

PARENTS JOIN IN PROGRAM OF PTA WAGNER CREEK

WAGNER CREEK, Ore., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Mrs. John Wolgan most called on Mrs. H. S. Lynch last Wednesday. There was a Parent-Teacher association meeting held last Thursday afternoon. Many parents were present and took part in the school work. Mr. R. L. Lockwood and son, Charles, were city visitors last Thursday. G. A. Briner is quite ill at his home with influenza this week.

Among the business visitors in Ashland last Wednesday were Mr. Frank Kerly, Mr. Jerry Kingery and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Briner. Mrs. R. B. Purvis and family took new year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Estes and family of Talent last Tuesday. C. V. Kinsling of Anaconda, Mont., left last Wednesday after spending a two week vacation with his aunt, Mrs. D. E. Bradley. Mrs. Ella Abbott and family and Leon and Charles Lockwood were callers at the home of Mrs. L. E. Bradley last Tuesday evening.

Among those in Medford last Wednesday were W. L. Bradley, M. E. Bradley and Glenn Abbott. E. W. Combs and family were Ashland visitors last Thursday. Mrs. Lloyd Walsh is recovering from a severe attack of the influenza. She is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Condit.

ATLANTA SCHOOL GIRL FOUND AFTER ALLEGED KIDNAPING BY OLD MAN

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Kidnapers, death threats, drugs and a dirty shack formed the melodramatic sequence of the story told today by a pretty high school girl who was found bound and gagged after two days' absence from home. Doris Turner, Hoke Smith high school athlete, collapsed last night in a filling station. She had been found nearby, bound at the ankles. Two hours later the girl said she had been released unharmed by a "sandy old man with a cane" for whom police had been searching for two days.

Birds, she asserted, had kept her from discerning where she was after being held most of the two days in a dirty shack. The authorities started an investigation Wednesday at the request of her parents, who had received a special delivery letter from her to the effect that she had been abducted by a "stupid old man who died when he recalled that she resembled his daughter, now dead." The old man wanted to kill her, she added, another man objected and persuaded his companion to return the girl to Atlanta because "things were getting hot."

A physician said the child had not been harmed, and was suffering only from exposure and weak condition caused by lack of food.

TOOK ADVICE OF HER MOTHER Praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Slim silhouette condemned by physicians Undereating leads to tuberculosis and other diseases

If THE mothers and young girls of this country could have heard the addresses before the Annual Philadelphia Tuberculosis Conference, something would be done and done quickly to stamp out the dangerous undereating by young girls. The addresses of this meeting were made public through the Philadelphia Public Ledger. "The most difficult problem facing us in combating tuberculosis among high-school girls, and particularly among the young women of today, is the vicious habits they practice to retain or acquire a slim and graceful figure."

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