

EAGLE POINT TO ENJOY PROGRAM SUNDAY EVENING

EAGLE POINT, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Special.) The Christmas program for the Presbyterian Sunday school will be given at the church on the Sunday preceding Christmas. A very interesting entertainment has been arranged for the evening commencing at 7:30 p. m. when the following program will be presented:

Invocation, Rev. Davidson, pastor; opening song, congregation; recitations, "Welcome," Clarke Carlton; recitation, "Wireless to Santa," Russell Seaman; carol, "The First Glad Christmas;" Verma and Verona Davis and Irene Stowell; recitations, "A Gift of Gold," Verona Davis; "A Child's Thought," Hazel Helms; solo, "Luther's Cradle Song;" Eleanor Throckmorton; playlet, "Bedtime," Emil Ward and Verona Stowell. Recitations, "Ballad of Christmas," Verona Davis; "Little Boy Blue," Barbara Smith; Stars, Jack Stoner, Bonnie Jean Stowell, Anna Walls, Phyllis Florey and Barbara Smith; recitations, "Grandma's Church," Lucile Coy; "Cheerful," Anna Wall; Christmas Symbols, Vivian Moomaw, Vesta Mathews, Irene Stowell, Eleanor Wall, Lyle Smith and Hazel Helms; instru-

mental quartet, Dorothy Whitte, Elsie White, Vernon Moma and Bill Miller; recitation, "Santa's Whiskers," Herbert Pruitt; Stars Shining, Clarke Carlton, Herbert Pruitt, Jackie Florey, Alvin Evans, and Russell Seaman; carol, "Can't You See It's Christmas Time?" Verma and Verona Davis and Irene Stowell; recitation, "Christmas Cheer," Vesta Mathews. Solo, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," Bill Davidson; recitation, "The Sweet Tempered Doll," Eleanor Wall; carol, "The First Noel," Christian Endeavor; recitation, "Six o'Clock Christmas Morning," Dale Throckmorton; recitation, "The Candy Santa Claus," Francis Barnes; duet, "Silent Night," Rosa Tablan, by the Christian Endeavor, under direction of Mrs. Morgan.

EAGLE POINT SEAL SALES ARE CREDITED

EAGLE POINT, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Special.) The sale of Christmas seals in Jackson county is being conducted on a different plan this year. Seals have been sent to a number of people through the mail, and while those seals have been sent out from Medford, Eagle Point gets credit for all those sold to Eagle Point people. Any one wishing to buy seals who have not been reached through the mail or school children may get them from Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Custer or Mrs. Davies.

I. B. Walthers Finds Mail Tribune Welcome Visitor in Far Brazil

The following letter from I. B. Walthers, formerly connected with Copco here, and now in the employ of the "Empresas Electricas Brasileiras, S. A.," Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, will be of interest to the many Medford friends of both "I. B." and Mrs. Walthers. Mrs. Walthers, before her marriage, was Alice Holland, also a former Copco employee. Medford Mail Tribune, Medford, Oregon, Attention Mr. Owney "St. Patrick" Patten.

My Dear Owney: Here we are in the land of the Sunny South, ten thousand miles, more or less (and it seems miles) from God's country, the Rogue River valley. Landed here on the morning of August 8th, having left dear old Medford on the evening of July 2nd, San Francisco on the night of the 17th, and sailed from New York on the morning of the 27th. Had a wonderful trip and am enjoying ourselves immensely, although we are not yet confirmed in the idea of living here forever. You know when a fellow gets a long way off, he surely appreciates more than ever his old "stamping ground" and real friends.

Have had very fine, moderate weather ever since we arrived, a few hot days and occasional showers, but Old Man Summertime is now approaching. You know too hot period in this country is from the middle of November to the middle of March—just opposite to the United States. Suppose the mornings and evenings in Medford are rather crimpy by this time, and the bowling enthusiasts are in full swing, all trying to grab off the famous "jackpots."

PHOENIX CHRISTMAS PROGRAM DEC. 22

PHOENIX, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Spl.)—A very interesting Christmas program is being planned by the program committee to be given at the church next Sunday evening, December 22.

Three appropriate short plays are to be given: "No Room at the Inn," "The Wonderful Name" and "The Starlight Time." The casts of the plays are principally made up of the children of the Sunday school. Recitations and songs will fill the intervals between plays. The choir is practicing some beautiful Christmas songs to be given in connection with this program. Besides the songs given by the choir, there will be solos and other musical numbers by the young people and children of the Sunday school.

WALTER FRAZER BROWN SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

PHOENIX, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Spl.) The many friends of Walter Frazer Brown are glad to learn that he is improving, after having been confined to his bed for the past week with a severe attack of flu. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were former residents of this community, but are now making their home in Medford.

Miss Emily Brown, who is attending the Willamette university, is expected home on Friday of this week to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents. She will return on the 6th of January to her school.

PHOENIX SCHOOLS PLAN YULE FETES

PHOENIX, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Each room of the grade school will give a Christmas program next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Parents and friends are asked and urged to attend not only to enjoy the splendid program, but learn more of the pupils' work in the school.

Both the boys' and the girls' basketball teams of the grade school are practicing on every opportunity offered them. The boys' team plans a practice game with Central Point some time this week. The high school and the grade school will close for the Christmas vacation Friday, the 20th, and will take up again on the 2nd of January.

The senior class rings have arrived and all the seniors are very proud of their choice in selection. A student body meeting was held Friday, the 13th, at which the students voted to have a Christmas tree this year as has been the practice for the past several years. A short program is also being planned for this day.

KNIGHT TEMPLARS TO ENJOY FEAST

ASHLAND, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Spl.)—A delightful party in fraternal social amuse was the dining event tendered by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Loomis to the officers of Malta Commandery, Knights Templar, Dec. 13th inst., at the Loomis residence, Ashland. The officers' wives were included in the invitation list, and following a beautiful repast with venison as the chief item on the menu, games and conversation enlivened the occasion.

The Commandery is to meet in stated convocation on Wednesday evening December 18, when election and installation of officers will occur, also three candidates will be knighted. The installation will not be public as was contemplated. A venison dinner, served at 6:45 o'clock, will be a preliminary to the routine business session. To the process of a certain doctor of Medford is attributed the opportunity of feasting on venison, and all members of the order are courteously invited to be present and partake of this hospitality.

REV. SCHELL CALLED PHOENIX PASTORATE

PHOENIX, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Spl.) A called congregational meeting of the members and contributors of the Presbyterian church was held after the evening church service Sunday evening, with Rev. Iversen of Medford, moderator, presiding. The report of the pulpit committee was read and accepted by the congregation. Unanimous vote was taken to call Rev. Fred F. Schell to fill the vacancy as pastor of the church.

Rev. Schell has been serving as pastor of the church for the past two Sundays. He formerly lived in Paradise, Cal. While here he has been a guest at the homes of several of the people of the community and has won the friendship of all. The sermons which he has delivered have been very interesting and inspirational. All feel very glad that he has accepted the call and will soon take up the work of pastor in this community.

PHOENIX

PHOENIX, Ore., Dec. 17.—(Spl.) Dr. Susie Standard left Monday morning for Portland, where she will meet her daughter, who has been attending school in Idaho, and will accompany her home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Webster plan to leave Friday for Berkeley, Cal., where they will spend the Christmas vacation with relatives.

The choir will practice several nights this week for the Christmas music which they will give at both the morning and evening services this coming Sunday evening.

Mrs. Malmgren entertained at dinner on Sunday. The guests were Mrs. Standard and Rev. Fred F. Schell.

Mrs. Rickman and daughter have moved from the manse, where they have been staying for the past year, to the home formerly owned by Mrs. Edwards.

Mr. Fremont, formerly of Long Beach, Cal., but now visiting his parents at Applegate, was an overnight guest at the home of Albert N. Soltes last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Elsie Holz, who has been spending the past two weeks visiting friends and relatives at Los Angeles and San Diego, Cal., returned to her home here last week, and reported a very enjoyable trip. Several parties were given at the Blue Flower lodge last week. Mr. Forest Dodge gave a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday for nine friends.

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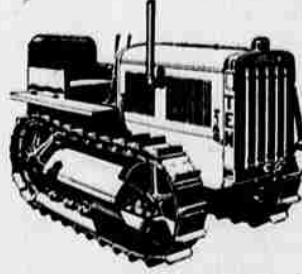
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and Mrs. Hamilton of Medford had a dinner party Saturday, entertaining five of her friends.

MISSING WOMAN IS FOUND NEAR SEATTLE
SEATTLE, Dec. 17.—(P)—Miss Lucille Duxbury, 39, missing from her home at Des Moines since November 30, was found dead under a log in a wooded section of the

Charles Peterson farm near Kent yesterday by the girls' sister, Mrs. Mildred B. Anderson of Seattle. Discovery of a bad bruise over her right ear led officers to hold an autopsy in an effort to determine the cause of the girl's death.

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