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DECEMBER

December began with another discouragement. The Engineers rejected bids for clearing the damsite. The news of mill shutdowns continued. Most of the camps had closed down. It was not till the next week that the picture for the region changed.



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And that was a complete change, for sure.

For Col. O. E. Walsh announced that bids on the \$60,000,000 Detroit dam would be invited Jan. 3 and opened about Feb. 25. The dry was near at hand when the hopes of thousands in the Canyon would be realized.

Ed Vickers, justice of the peace in Idanha, found himself the unwitting employer of a fugitive from justice John Schimpf was arrested on a con man charge in Colorado.

Burdette Younge's charge was reduced to assault and battery. The theft of \$20 at the Mill City Tavern was solved with the confession of a youth picked up in Newburg.

Mill City's Timberwolves, who had taken a second place in their league in football, appeared headed for at least as good a record in basketball.

Tragedy came to Detroit when a young couple, he an engineer, were instantly killed by a tree which fell on their house. Heroic work was done by volunteers to extricate the bodies in a terrible storm.

The town of Gates doesn't usually get mad at anybody, but there are times—especially when the overflow from a county road fills cellars with water and ruins floor furnaces. So one enterprising citizen proceeded to do a little road work on his own, till the county decided to get busy.

Another community also had road troubles. Elkhorn was isolated by a road slide.

Support came from former Gov. Sprague for The Enterprise's plan to hold a general conference of federal, state and local officials and local organizations to plan for the problems arising from the dam project.

An old subject cropped up again. It was the Gates-Elkhorn road. The county court, a bit chagrined about a critical article appearing in this paper, explained that the route would be fixed up NEXT year. Well informed opinion in these parts predicts that the county will get around to it after the turn of the century.

The A. B. Horner store, a Gates

landmark, sold after being in the same hands since 1910.

Jack Lake, local service station operator, was offered a drink bought with money stolen from his place of business a few hours before.

It was an eventful year. Still, it was one, less of great accomplishments than an augury of more important times to come.

Mill City

Leaving for Fresno, Calif., Wednesday were the Al Hauns, who will be gone until after New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Anto Fick and family are having Christmas at Woodburn with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mason and Pauline will have Christmas dinner with relatives in Silverton.

Creta and Juanita Thomas will be with their family in Roseburg for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kriever and Betsy and Miss Daisy Hendricson were in Salem Sunday. Miss Hendricson spent the afternoon with Mrs. Vivian Hoenig.

Mrs. Ann Dawes left this week for Los Angeles so spend the holiday season with her son, Robert, and his wife.

There will be many family reunions in Mill City Christmas, among them are Ramon Roberts, the W. W. Henderson, the Curt Clines, the Frank Jacksons and the W. H. Davis.

The Mill City Women's Club held its Christmas party Monday evening with a Christmas tree, gift exchange and collection of cash gifts for the Children's Farm Home. The Presbyterian Church choir sang. An amusing pantomime, "The Night Before Christmas," was presented by Mrs. R. L. Faust. The story of "Silent Night" was told by Mrs. Ed Cruson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shuey are spending the holidays with their daughter, Dorothy, in Astoria. Miss Shuey's fiance, Que W. Haynes, who

is a supervisor at a gas company which recently had an explosion, was off work that day and escaped injury. His substitute that day is in St. Mary's Hospital, under the care of Miss Shuey.

At the Women's Council meeting of the Church of Christ held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Nelson, the group packed five boxes of used clothing for the McKinley Mission in Poppenish, Wash. A \$2.50 donation was made for their new church.

There was an excellent attendance at the Christmas program of the Church of Christ Sunday evening. A large number of white gifts were sent to the McKinley Mission and a box of used clothing. A cash contribution was sent to CARE.

New steps are being installed at the Mountain States Power Co. office.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thoma and sons Richard and James of Lebanon were Sunday guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hiatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton of Pendleton arrived in Lyons Sunday evening to spend the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bodeker.

Buster Berry who has been staying at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Berry, returned to his home in Glendale, Ore., Monday morning.

Students home from Oregon State for the holidays are Duane and Juanita Downing, Billy Prehard, Imogene Royce, Dale Bassett and Willard Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Stiffler are spending Christmas with relatives in Salem.

Mrs. Ernest Graham returned to San Francisco with her daughter, Irma Graham, who came to Mill City to attend the wedding of Virginia Vandermeer. Mr. Graham will join his wife there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mason and children of Harrisburg were in Mill City Sunday to hear the cantata given by the Presbyterian Church choir. Mrs. Gertrude Mason, his mother, returned with them for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laird are spending Christmas with his parents, in Vernonia.

Willis Potter Jr. is home from San Rafael, Calif., for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Toman Jr. and son Stephen are having Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Stevens of Mehama.

Miss Zeta Prichard is spending the holidays in Eugene with relatives.

The Lowell Crees are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dickenson of Salem for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Huston are going to Portland for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Arey Podrabsky, Mr. and Mrs. George Veteto and Mrs. Robert Veness attended the folk dance session in Scio Sunday afternoon. Miss Virginia Kerr of Albany and Mrs. Veness taught several new dances to the group.

The group voted to meet semi-monthly, the second and fourth Sundays. About 30 were present.

Mrs. D. B. Hill entertained in honor of Mrs. Henrietta Quinn Friday afternoon with a bridge party and handkerchief shower. Guests were Mrs. R. L. Faust, Mrs. Shields Remine, Mrs. Lee Ross, Mrs. W. W. Allen, Mrs. C. E. Mason, Mrs. Charles Wolverton and the honored guest. Unable to attend were Mrs. Willis Potter and Mrs. Curtis Cline.

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4-H NEWS

Mill City's 4-H Clubs are well under way for the new year with six projects and 11 members, outside the health clubs in the school.

Projects organized are Cooking I, Cooking III, Camp Cookery, Clothing I-A, Room Improvement and Child Care.

Those who led the successful 4-H Clubs last year are not in charge this year. However, Mrs. Floyd Johnson is a leader and Patricia Cree is a junior leader.

Cooking I and III are a combined club. "Kneadin' Dough" is their club name, and their officers are Joan Johnson, president, Dorothy Downer, vice president, and Betty Lou Cree, secretary.

This club meets Fridays after school. At each meeting a meal is prepared by the members, one being hostess.

Clothing I-A has selected "Happy Little Stitches" for their name. Jerry Cruson has been elected their president, Barbara Podrabsky, vice president, Edna Roten, secretary, and Darla Abel and Camille Goble, yell and song leaders. The group meets Tuesdays after school. Their current project is pin cushions.

The girls are looking forward to a successful 4-H spring show in Salem.

On Monday evening the Clothing I-A club met at the L. O. Cree home for a pot luck supper and Christmas gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bassett are the parents of a boy, William Henry, born Dec. 10 at Salem General Hospital. He is their second boy and fourth child.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ross have moved into their new home on the river road. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Faust have occupied the apartment they vacated.

DETROIT

By MRS. J. A. WRIGHT

Curtis Howard who was in the Salem Memorial Hospital for a knee operation returned home Tuesday.

Joe Wright has been in Salem hospital since Tuesday. He will have a major operation the first part of next week. Mrs. Wright is staying at a motel in order to be near him. His brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Given of Silverton visited him Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ball are to leave Friday to spend the holidays with her brother-in-law and sister. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Waite of Ontario. Mrs. Ball has been working at a Salem jewelry store the past two months.

Zealand Fryer who has been at the same hospital for several weeks since a serious accident while working for the Goch Logging Co. was able to return home Friday. His wife has been staying in Salem with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Pratt.

Dr. Willcutt has his office open on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Detroit Theater building. He will be there permanently as soon as they can find a place to live.

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Church Activities

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Services Every Lord's Day
Bible School 9:45
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Young People's Meeting 6:30
Evening Worship 7:30
Tom Courtney, Pastor

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

"The Church of the Light and Life Hour"
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00
Young People's Service 7 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:30
Sun. Radio hour KWJJ 9:30
Donald Hinkle, Pastor North Side

Detroit Church of Christ

Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Young peoples' meeting at 6:30
Choir rehearsal 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.
Loren Arnett, Pastor

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Sunday school 10 a.m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Walter Smith, Pastor
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

MILL CITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ORDER OF SERVICE

Morning 11 a.m.
Prelude; Call to Worship; Doxology; Invocation; Gloria; Psalter; Hymn of Praise; Scripture; Prayer; Notices; Offering; Choir; Sermon; Benediction; Postlude.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Wayne W. Watkins, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study Prayer Meeting 7:45 p.m.
Friday Evening 1 Hour Singing and Musical Numbers 7:30 p.m.
Welcome, Young Folks.

Christmas program Friday evening—the public is invited. Treats for the children.

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