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Elkhorn
 By JEAN ROBERTS

A sledding party was held Thursday night on the Ike Myers ranch. An old logging road was converted into a toboggan run, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Longnecher and family, Mrs. Carl Longnecher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bickett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts and family and Mr. and Mrs. Myers and family all enjoyed the fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Longnecher and family were Wednesday night dinner guests at the Phil Dooley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Toots Billington at Sweet Home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Billington were Elkhorn residents prior to last September.

A good many Elkhorn residents attended the last rites for Si Rhoda last Monday. He had been a friend and neighbor to many in past years.

The heavy snowfall plus freezing weather made for excellent coasting up here. Monday night there were 19 adults and children coasting down Schotthoeffer's logging road near the Ray Roberts home. A good time was had by all.

Mrs. Ike Myers, Mrs. Bill Bickett and Mrs. Ray Roberts attended lodge in Lyons Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Dooley and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Russell were dinner guests at the Ike Myers home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts were helping Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Knox renovate their house Thursday and Friday of last week. Plaster was torn down from the dining and living rooms and firxet replaced.

DETROIT
 By MRS. J. A. WRIGHT

Visitors in Detroit Sunday from Mill City were Gayle Dorothy, Buzz Fleetwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery and daughter Ann, and Mrs. Montgomery's sister, Mrs. Allen Neff of Sunnyville, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dart, Len Davis and Bruce Hauk were business callers in Salem Monday.

J. Fischer, who was painfully injured New Year's nite and was in a Salem hospital, returned to his home this week.

Betty Nolan has been visiting the past week with friends and relatives in Vancouver, Wash.

J. C. Fowler visited with his wife in Portland last week end.

B. B. Bland and C. M. Veal of Albany are the new proprietors of the Mt. Jefferson Cafe, in Idanha, which opened recently.

Elton Fritz of the Cedar Tavern was in Vancouver on business last week.

Mrs. Lewis H. McDaniels, formerly of Cottage Grove and now making her home at Mongold, announces the formation of a Get Acquainted Club at Mongold. Main purpose of the club is social activity for children.

For the present the club will meet every Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the McDaniels home and is open to anyone who is interested.

Ed Hanan of the Detroit Theater spent a few days in Portland on business this week.

The folks in this part of the Canyon are breathing much easier, with the letting up of the cold spell. Many were kept busy thawing out or fixing bursted water pipes, etc. The usual greeting was, "How's your pipes?" Even the old Santiam started to get ice on its bottom. That's no foolin'. The Detroit fire department depends on the river for its water supply. Luckily no fires.

Detroit high school did not fare so well in its basketball game with

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Sublimity, played at Gates Friday night. The score was 68 to 23, in favor of Sublimity. Detroit plays at Gates Tuesday night.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson last week were Mr. Johnson's niece, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ballatyne, of Albuquerque, N. Mex. The Ballatynes also visited with their daughter in Spokane before driving here. They reported the weather very cold in Washington.

Winifred Booth and her brother, Tommy Thompson, auto dealer in Redmond, returned this week by car after a visit with their sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Leon of San Francisco. Also visiting at the Leon home was a niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rider of New York. Winifred is making her home here with another sister, Mrs. Ray Johnson.

The PTA decided to postpone the "open house" at the new school, scheduled for Jan. 24, until a later date, because of weather and road conditions.

Idanha
 By CHARLES DE SULLY

Mrs. Luella Floyd was taken to the Memorial Hospital suffering from a heart attack. Latest reports are very favorable.

Kenneth Harris underwent a very serious operation, having part of his lung removed. He is doing remarkably well but will be a long time confined to bed. Mr. Harris and the girls have taken a home in Portland so they may be with him. Mrs. Harris is making many trips. Cheerup, Ken! We are all for you.

The chimney fire in Detroit Saturday night fortunately was not serious. It proved one fact, the efficiency of our firemen. From the time the phone call was made, only seven or eight minutes elapsed before they were on the scene.

C. Paris is certainly having a tough time. His wife recently returned from the hospital after an operation and her younger son had appendicitis at the same time. Now his elder son has been taken to the hospital and may have to be operated on. (We hope not.) To add to all this, when he picked up his mail, he had word his father was not expected to live.

Warren Stoll and family have left for California for a two weeks' visit. Warren will visit some of his old army friends.

LYONS

Lyons is again without a beauty shop, which will be greatly missed. Mrs. Clara Basl who operated the shop here has moved to Sweet Home. She wished to thank her many customers for their patronage and co-operation. It is hoped that another operator will be secured, soon.

The Mehama Hme Extension Unit met Friday at the Women's Clubhouse for an all day session. Miss Eleanor Trindle, county agent, and Mrs. Miller, assistant agent, demonstrated blouse making, with short-cuts in sewing. Those present were Mesdames Roy Philippi, Ira Kirsch, Chester Blum, Louis Kirkland, Jack Teeters, Arch Kimsey, Milton Roten, Giles Wagner, Earl Wolfkeil, Jack Ryland, Miss Trindle, Miss Lois Blum, Miss Jean Kimsey and Mrs. Miller.

The Lyons PTA held its meeting at Rebekah Hall Friday evening with a fair crowd considering the cold weather. Rex Putnam, state superintendent of schools, who was to be the speaker, was unable to attend due to the icy roads. Glen Julian showed motion pictures pertaining

to consolidation of schools. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Muzechenko furnished several musical numbers. At the close of the meeting doughnuts and coffee were served.

LEGAL

The school board of District 29-J solicit sealed bids on the following school properties:

District 61 Jordan containing acreage and building; Dist. 84 Twin Cedars, acreage and building only a few years old; Dist. 130 McCully Mountain, school house and shed to be sold separately, all in Linn County.

District 90 Oakdale school house in Marion County.

Bids must be accompanied by 10 per cent in cash or certified check to cover bid, bankable not for balance. The Board reserves the right to reject all bids. Bids close Jan. 24, 1949, at 9 p. m.

For further information see a member of the school board, Alice Huber, clerk, G. Paul Johnston, chairman, George Nydegger, and Vernon James.

Boots Champion

In the Matter of the Application of WILLIS POTTER, clerk of sessions, and ANNE M. DAWES, trustee, of the Presbyterian Church, NEAL MARTTALA and MARY ANNA EPPS

NOTICE OF ALLEY VACATION TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIS POTTER and others, have filed a petition Nov. 20, 1948, with the Common Council, to close the fourteen foot alley running north and south through the center of Block 13, Hobson's Addition to Mill City, Linn County, Oregon, Between B Street and C Street in the City of Mill City, Oregon, as same appears upon the recorded plat of said Addition of said City, now on file in the Recorder's Office of the Recorder of Conveyances in and for Linn County, Oregon, and that said Common Council has set the 2nd day of February, 1949, at 8:00 P.M. o'clock thereof at the City Hall as the time and place for the hearing of objections, if any there be, why the above described alley should not be closed.

Earl Ragsdale
 City Recorder

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by Schooy District No. 129-J, Linn and Marion Counties, Mill City, Oregon, at the office of the School Superintendent until 8:00 p.m. Thursday, February 23, 1949, for the construction of an Elementary School Building for School District No. 129-J, Linn and Marion Counties, Mill City, Oregon, and will then and there be opened and publicly read aloud. Bids received after the time fixed for opening will not be considered. Plans, specifications, form of contract documents and proposal may be obtained at the office of S. R. Haavretid, Architect, 340 W. 1st St., Albany, Oregon, upon a deposit of \$35.00 per set, on or about February 1, 1949, and plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Mill City School Superintendent after the same date. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond made payable to

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