

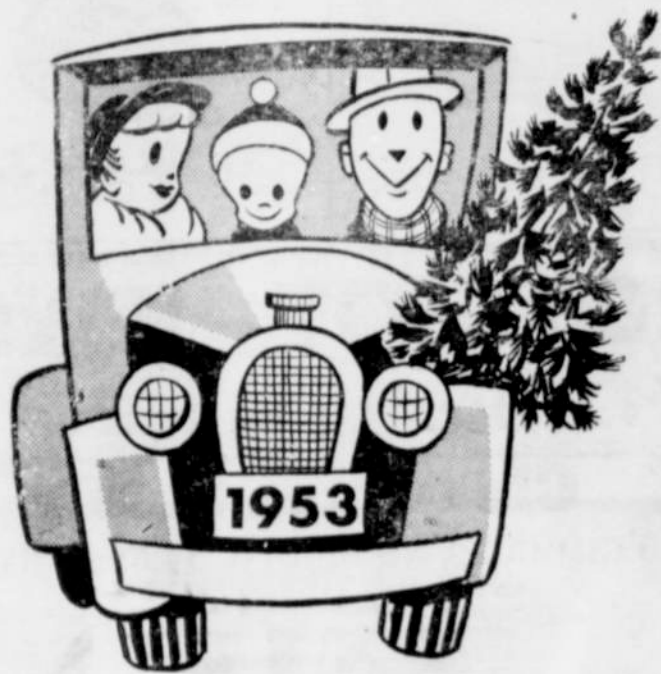
Merry Christmas



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Mill City Richfield Station

Les and Elaine Russell
Mill City, Oregon



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Yuletide
May the light of a Happy Season shine brightly.

JERRY'S TAVERN
GATES, OREGON

CHRISTMAS JOY



We're happy to Repeat Our Annual Wish: Happy Holiday.

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LYONS, OREGON



Mason's Shell Service

Mill City, Oregon
C. E. (Pink) Mason

Local Men Attend Meeting Of U. S. Chamber of Commerce in Salem Friday

D. B. Hill and Bob Hill of the Mill City State bank were among those from the canyon area who attended a "meet your congressman" program Friday night at the Hotel Marion, in Salem, sponsored by the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and local Chambers.

The congressman was questioned by 11 men from nine different cities on 11 national issues and then the meeting was thrown open to questions from anybody.

The 11 issues and the men who framed the questions on them were: Taxes, Lee Ohmart, Salem; government spending, Clyde Williamson, Albany; agriculture, Lyman Seely, Woodburn; Taft-Hartley act, Asa Lewelling, Salem; social security, Dick Hoyt, Corvallis; postal rates, Del Moore, Astoria; government functions, R. R. Mains, McMinnville; treaty law, Charles A. Sprague, Salem; foreign trade, John Misko, Oregon City; public housing, John Bfaff, Independence; highway, George Tate, North Santiam.

Gates Womans Club Holds Christmas Party Thursday

GATES—One of the jolliest events of the holiday season here was the annual Christmas party of the Gates Womans club, Thursday evening, December 17, held in the recreation rooms of the Gates high school. Mrs. Orville Nygaard, Mrs. T. E. White, Mrs. George Clise and Mrs. John Watson were hostesses for the evening. In the absence of both the regular president and vice-president, Mrs. W. R. Hutcheson presided at a short business session.

A letter to the club from the "Garden of Bethlehem Orphanage" in Tokyo was read. The letter was in acknowledgement of the receipt of the eight boxes of clothing sent to the orphanage by the club recently. A message from Mrs. Marion Weatherford, president of the Oregon State Federation of Womens' clubs was also read. Mrs. Phillip Hess and Mrs. Phillip Cann each held the lucky number (13) in two drawings that were held and each received a pair of pillow cases. Following adjournment Mrs. Dale Reynolds told stories of the origin of several favorite Christmas carols, which were sung by the group with Mrs. Don Miley at the piano and Mrs. Walter Brisbin leading.

Mrs. Robert Levon played the part of Santa, distributing gifts to each member, while Mrs. Reynolds passed out packages brought by "secret pals."

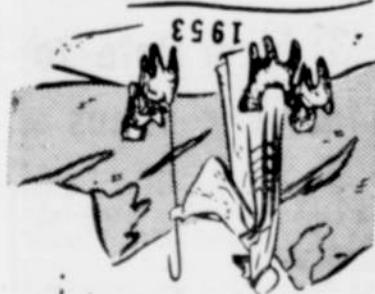
Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses, at tables decorated with holly and Christmas candles, to three special guests, Mrs. Phillip Cann, Mrs. Robert Rose and Mrs. H. L. Morton, who were welcomed into the club as new members and Mrs. W. R. Hutcheson, Mrs. Phillip Hess, Mrs. Richard Parker, Mrs. Walter Brisbin, Mrs. Burrell Cole, Mrs. W. S. Hudson, Mrs. Glen Henness, Mrs. Robert Levon, Mrs. Don Miley, Mrs. Gwen Schaefer, Mrs. W. F. Struckmeier, Mrs. Walter Thomas, Mrs. Floyd Volkel, Mrs. Dale Reynolds, Mrs. A. T. Barnhardt, Mrs. Albert Millsap and Mrs. Laura Joaquin.



Peace and Contentment be Yours

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LYONS, OREGON

Funeral Services Tuesday For Pioneer Gates Resident

GATES—Gates friends of Mrs. Bertha Shepherd were grieved to hear of her death Saturday, December 21 at the Santiam Memorial hospital at Stayton. Mrs. Shepherd, with her family had been residents of Gates for many years. Mrs. Shepherd was born in Marion, Oregon October 30, 1886. She married Adam Shepherd April 15, 1904. He preceded her in death in 1951.

Surviving her are a daughter, Mrs. Mable Hampton, Florence, Oregon; three sons, William, of Mill City; Paul, Tensed, Idaho and Harold, of Tillamook; a sister, Julia Johnson, Troy, Idaho and four grandchildren. Her only brother died in Alturas, Cal., two days before his sister, December 10. Funeral services were held at the Weddle Funeral home, Tuesday, December 15, the Rev. Harold Lyman, officiating. Burial was in the Lone Oak cemetery, Stayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunter left Tuesday night, about midnight for Los Angeles to spend the holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Hunter, and son, Terry. Tracy is superintendent of a machine shop in L. A. that manufactures small airplane parts. When asked why they left at midnight, Frank stated they would hit the mountain passes in the morning about the time the snow plows opened the highway.

JERRY'S CORNER . . .

To my many good friends and neighbors may you have a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Bright New Year
Jerry
Gene Teague Chevrolet
Stayton, Oregon

Mill City Hi-Lites

By Yvonne Dart
December 16th the Junior class put on its play, "Desperate Ambrose." All day Saturday, some of the G. A. A. girls, worked on the decorations for the Christmas Prom, which was given Wednesday night.

Tuesday Bob Veness came to the school and took some pictures for the school annual.

This (Thursday) morning the high school is having a Christmas party. At noon school will be dismissed to be reconvened January 4, 1954.



an old fashioned wish!

Frank White Garage

Lyons, Oregon

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY
December 24, 25 and 26
JOHN WAYNE in TROUBLE
ALONG THE WAY
Continuous from 5:00 Dec. 25
One Show only 7:00, Dec. 24
Kid's Matinee 2 p. m. Sat.
Abbott & Costello
MEET CAPT. KIDD

KIDS MATINEE
Starting Jan. 2, the Saturday Kid's Matinee will be presented by the Hilltop Store. Matinee tickets will be given with purchases in any department. No tickets will be sold at the Boxoffice

SUNDAY, MONDAY
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December 27-28
DORIS DAY, in
BY THE LIGHT OF THE SILVER MOON
In Technicolor

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY
December 29-30-31
Greatest Science Thriller Of All Time!
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By H. G. Wells
In Color by Technicolor NEWS

Doors Open at 7:00 P. M.
Complete show can be seen any time up to 8:30

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At
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Music by Slim Krause and His Rythm Makers
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