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Election Held Monday Night for Eastern Star Lodge

Annual election of officers plus conferring of the initiatory degree upon two new candidates made up a full evening for Marilyn Chapter, No. 145, Order of the Eastern Star, at the lodge hall Monday night.

Initiated into the order were Miss Frances Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson, and Jack Gulliford of Idanha. Worthy Patron Floyd Johnson was assisted by his wife, Laurell Johnson, who acted as Worthy Matron during the conferring of the degree on their younger daughter. A gift of an Eastern Star ring was presented to Miss Johnson, on behalf of her parents, by Mrs. Roger Nelson, of Salem.

Also welcomed into the chapter, through affiliation, was Margaret Clise, of Gates, who was later presented with a corsage.

Elected as Worthy Matron for the coming year was Mary Gulliford of Idanha, with other officers as follows: worthy patron, Robert Draper; associate matron, Edna Hutcheson; associate patron, W. R. Hutcheson; secretary, Mary Tuers; treasurer, Dorothy Draper; conductress, Julia Kemp, and associate conductress, Elsie Volkel.

Appointive offices were announced to be: chaplain, Clara Morris; marshal, Laurell Johnson; organist, Margaret Clise; Adah, Virginia Hoeye; Ruth, Julia Bassett; Esther, Mabel Parker; Martha, Ruby Brisbin; Electa, Gladys Lake; warder, Viola Hirte; and Sentinel, Jack Gulliford.

A special honor was given to all past matrons and patrons present, with each being introduced and the date of service told. Past matrons included the first one, Mildred Allen, and Elsie Potter, Leora Stevens, Hallie Toman, Laurell Johnson, Mabel Parker, and a visitor, Ava Sasser, of Jessica Chaper at Wallowa. Past patrons present were Wilson Stevens, Ivan Smith, and Floyd Johnson.

Four Rainbow Girls of Marilyn Assembly, accompanied by Mrs. Donald Sheythe, sang a group of Christmas numbers. The girls were Norma Downer, Rosalie Bassett, Jan Ross, and Frances Nesbitt.

A report of the MOES club was

given by its president, Edna Hutcheson, who stated that the group has planned to give a dinner on Saturday evening, January 28, with tickets to be sold. Last year's officers of the club, including Mabel and Roger Nelson, who were secretary and treasurer, were thanked, and new officers announced: president, Dorothy Draper; vice president, Opal McRobert; secretary, Laurell Johnson, and W. R. Hutcheson, treasurer.

A degree for the out-going worthy matron, Clara Morris, in which she was "crowned" was given by the officers, who also presented her with a gift. A solo, "For You" was sung by Goldie Storey of Idanha, accompanied by Margaret Clise at the piano.

Floyd Johnson, out-going worthy patron was also "crowned" as well as "robed" as part of the coronation ceremonies, also receiving a gift. Clara Morris then presented gifts to all her officers and courtesy girls of the past year. It was announced that open installation of the new officers will be held at the lodge hall this Saturday evening, December 17, at which time Mary Gulliford and her new list of officers will be installed. Appointed to head the committee was Leora Stevens.

At the close of the lengthy, but impressive meeting the men of the chapter, headed by Wilson Stevens, served a smorgasbord lunch in the dining room. The chapter room had been beautifully decorated by the Rainbow Girls, with a lighted, decorated Christmas tree as the center of attention. Attractive displays of Christmas bulbs and greenery were also used in the large room.

Christmas Program Planned by Gates School

GATES—The annual Christmas program of the Gates school is to be presented Wednesday evening, December 21 at 7:30 in the high school auditorium. It is open to the public and friends of the school are cordially invited to attend.

The program will consist of songs and pantomimes by the primary grades, under the direction of Mrs. Schaer and Mrs. Barnhardt; a play, The Shoemaker's Christmas, by the intermediate grades, directed by Mrs. Parker with Mrs. Crossler at the piano; a play, "Too Much Mistle-

toe," presented by the upper high school grades and directed by Donald Paul; and musical numbers by the chorus and band with Mrs. Crossler at the piano.

The audience will be given an opportunity to join in three familiar Christmas songs at the close of the evening's entertainment.

Individual Room Parties
 Individual room parties, in celebration of the Holiday season, will be held Friday afternoon, the 23rd, after which school will be recessed

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for a week. It had been hoped that these parties might be held in the new rooms, but it is doubtful if there will be time to move in before the holidays. It is probable that classes will convene in the new section January 3.

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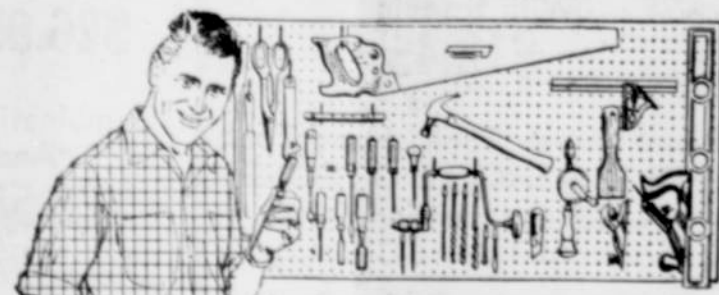
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