



### California Briefs

**Happy Camp**  
THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT presented to the public by Happy Camp schools' music departments, was attended by about 400 people, said James Tristan, concert director. Nearly 100 students participated. Virginia Coffield was in charge of stage decorations.

RUBEN SULLIVAN, district ranger, was master of ceremonies during the annual Happy Camp District forest service Christmas party at Buckhorn Lodge. Ham and turkey dinners were served and dancing followed. Mr. Milo Owen, Mrs. Earman Pence, Mrs. Bill Perry, Mrs. Joe Ragsdale, Mrs. Ruben Sullivan, Mrs. Raymond Wasson and Mrs. Ralph Ramsey presented a skit.

MR. AND MRS. FRED MAINES left for a three-month vacation recently. They plan to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham of Plains, Tex., and Mrs. Maines' brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Glanton, Dallas. They plan to be in New Orleans for the Mardi gras celebration in February.

HAPPY CAMP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL'S Christmas program was conducted in the high school gym Dec. 15. All grades participated.

THE VOLUNTEER FIREMEN conducted a holiday dinner-dance at the fire hall here Dec. 17 in honor of their wives.

**McCloud**  
MR. AND MRS. LEONARD NICHOLAS and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone were shoppers in Klamath Falls Friday of last week.

MR. AND MRS. FLOYD MARTIN and two children of Sacramento spent Christmas weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stedman, here.

KATHY FIORA and Jean Baldini of Sacramento spent the holiday weekend with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fiora and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller of Mount Shasta.

MR. AND MRS. LAIRD HOLYFIELD and three children, Burns, Ore., spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Holyfield.

MR. AND MRS. JOE LACONIS and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Martin were guests at a Christmas party at the home of Judge S. Smith, Dunsmuir, Friday.

MR. AND MRS. GENE TOTEIDA, San Francisco, spent the Christmas weekend with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Angelo A. Zan and Mr. and Mrs. John Young. Another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Del Nero, Weed, were

guests for Christmas dinner at the Angelo Zan home.

MR. AND MRS. MALCOLM GLOVER and children of San Rafael and Mrs. Glover's nephew, David Jonasen, visited with the T. E. Glovers here recently. The men are brothers.

DAVE BRICKELL, who is attending Officer's Candidate School at Fort Ord, arrived Dec. 20 to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brickell.

MR. AND MRS. JACK HUFFMAN and children were Christmas dinner guests at the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huffman, Weed.

FRANK PELLEGRINO, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pellegrino, is visiting his parents during the Christmas holidays. He is a junior high school teacher at Burbank.

MR. AND MRS. ROY HARGREAVES and son are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hargreaves, Vancouver, B.C.

MICHAEL CATTUZZO, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvio Cattuzzo, a student at San Jose State College, was one of three members of the Santa Fe Chapter of Pi Omega Pi Fraternity selected to attend the National Business Teachers Association Convention in Chicago Dec. 27-29.

## Reds Admit Disasters In Crops

By PHIL NEWSOM  
UPI Foreign News Analyst

Red China and Soviet Russia both admitted disastrous crop failures today.

Communist China announced that agricultural setbacks involving half of the 300 million acres under cultivation also had hit hard the country's production of consumer goods.

A Moscow announcement Thursday said that Soviet Minister of Agriculture Vladimir Matskevich had been fired and replaced by Mikhail Olshansky, a relative unknown.

A report to the Supreme Soviet last week acknowledged that the output of grains had been disappointing, and had in turn affected meat production.

Non-Communist official weather observers in Asia doubted Peking's report that weather was responsible for the crop failures and the shortages which foretold more suffering for the Chinese people.

Claim Rainfall Normal  
The weathermen said Red China's rainfall had been about normal and that Central China, where the Reds said no rain fell for nine months, had better than normal moisture.

They suggested the Communists were creating an artificial internal shortage in order to have more grain for export and more foreign exchange with which to purchase machines for its lagging industrial program.

The Soviets did not disclose this year's grain production figures, but there were indications they might even fall below 1959's disappointing total of 47 million tons which were 9 million tons below the banner year of 1958.

There are indications that Red China and the Soviet Union are not alone among the Communist nations experiencing serious agricultural setbacks.

Trouble in Poland  
Polish leaders have admitted that their greatest failure has been their attempt to enlist support of Polish peasants who have successfully resisted collectivization and whose output has fallen off drastically.

Resistance of Hungarian peasants forced the government last spring to resort to capitalistic practices to increase farm production. Private plots were assigned to farmers who were permitted a profit motive.

Communist East Germany boasted that its farmlands were 100 per cent collectivized but admitted shortages brought about primarily by sabotage and the flight of East zone farmers to the West.

BAGS 250-POUND BUCK ALTON, Ill. (AP)—Vince Arnold downed a 250-pound 15 point buck at a 30-foot range with a shotgun to give him the honor of taking the largest deer ever recorded in the area.

"The deer ran about two blocks into a dense thicket and then dropped," Arnold said.

### Medical Mirror

WHAT DOCTORS SAY ABOUT:

**Blood Pressure**  
• T.B. And Marriage  
• Menarche  
• Snakebite

Q. If high blood pressure is lowered will a person live longer?

A. There are a number of measures, (some involving new and effective drugs) by which blood pressure can be lowered. It can now be said that patients in the middle-age group and younger who have moderately elevated pressure can anticipate a somewhat longer life if they respond to these pressure-lowering measures. In older people the lowering of blood pressure alone, unless it is extremely high, would not be the chief or only consideration in prolonging life.

Q. I have arrested tuberculosis. Is it safe for me to marry?

A. It would probably be safe for you to marry provided your doctor agreed and informed you of the necessary considerations to prevent flare-up of the disease. Both parties should also be thoroughly acquainted with the hazards of reactivation of the disease as well as exposure of possible children.

Q. At what age will the menopause occur in a woman who started menstruating at 12½?

A. The age at which menstruation starts (menarche) is not related to the age at which the menopause will occur. It is rare for a woman to experience menopausal symptoms before 42 or 45. The majority have ceased menstruation sometime between 45 and 50.

Q. First aid manuals recommend that in poisonous snakebites the flesh be cut at the site of the bite and suction applied. Is this the thing to do?

A. It is often recommended, but many doctors, experimenting with animals, found that suction not only failed to remove enough venom to do much good but that the procedure may even hasten the spread of the poison. The pros and cons can be cleared up by further experiments.

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