

CHRISTMAS AT ALL THE CHURCHES

EACH CONGREGATION HAS A FINE TREE

DELIGHTFUL PROGRAMS RENDERED

Holiday Spirit Was Everywhere and Suitable Exercises Marked the Great Day

The Christmas festivities at the various churches in the city were in keeping with the spirit of the occasion. At each of the churches there was a Christmas tree and elaborate programs suitable to the occasion were rendered.

Methodist Church

At the Methodist church Saturday night there was a lengthy program as well as a Christmas tree. The program was as follows:

Opening song—Chorus.
Prayer by Rev. Fesse.
Song—"Christmas Time," by the chorus.

Recitation by Jessie Summers.
Recitation by Robert Burdette Bois.

Recitation by Mary Byers.
Recitation by Miles Calkins.
Recitation by Grace Elliott.
Song by Helen Hamilton.
Recitation by Glenn Fouts.
Recitation by four little girls.
Recitation by Hazel Richardson.
Recitation by Bessie Fry.
Recitation by Roy Nicodemus.
Song—"Sing It Over Again," by the chorus.

Recitation by Eula Fry.
Recitation by Vera Wood.
Recitation by Jack Harris.
Recitation by Ruby Nicodemus.
Recitation by Audrey Roberts.
Recitation by Billy Turner.
Song by Ella and Edna Harbine and class.

Recitation by Ella Harbine.
Solo by Iris Turner.
Recitation by Wayne Keesee.
Song by Mr. Feese's class.
Solo by Miss Mowyer.
Solo by Bessie Faircloth.
Remarks by Dr. W. A. Leonard, superintendent of the Sunday school.

Catholic Church

The Catholic church had their Christmas on Monday, and everyone present enjoyed a very pleasant time. There were many little ones and grown persons, as well, and all were delighted with the ceremonies. An excellent program was presented, which was as follows:

Introductory remarks by Rev. J. J. Cunningham, S. J., pastor.
"Offering to the Christ Child," by B. McAndrews.

"The New Big Boy," by Andrew Folsom.

"Santa Claus," by Walker Folsom.
"A Snake Tragedy," by Garrett Konop.

"Santa Claus Up to Date," by Nettie Matt.

"Christmas Sixty Years Ago," by Thelma Folsom.

"A Friendly Warning," by Irene Santamaw.

"Christmas Fun and After," by Stanley Santamaw.

"A Christmas Quarrel," by Agnes Matt and Viola Santamaw.

"Child Lost—Boy Found," by Gordon Nelson.

"Santa Claus," by Ellsworth McClure.

"Queer Happenings," by Royce McClure.

"Little Boy Blue," by Kathryn McAndrews.

"Christmas Lyric," by Esther McAndrews.

Baptist Church

The exercises at the Baptist church Saturday night were in the form of a sacred composition entitled "Precious Name," given by about sixty persons. A large Christmas tree was placed at the end of the room, and in front of it was the word "Jesus," in illuminated characters. The children marched in bearing arches which when arranged across the platform formed the words "Christ Is Born," and "We Have Seen His Star."

The whole presented a beautiful spectacle and showed great skill in its production.

Presbyterian Church

The Christmas cantata "A Night in the Orient," was given at the Presbyterian church Saturday night, and it and the Christmas tree furnished a most enjoyable evening for the members of that congregation.

Christian Church

The Christian church was also crowded Saturday night. The large room was tastefully decorated and presented a beautiful appearance. On the wall at the platform was a large cross surrounded by evergreen branches, and in the corner of the room were two nicely decorated Christmas trees. There also was presented a sacred composition enti-

led "Pine and Savior." It consisted of the following:

Orchestra.
Song—"Christmas Bells," by the entire Sunday school.

Song—"Glory Be to the Father," by the school.

Prayer by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Hilton.

Carol—"The Shining Star," by the choir.

Responsive reading.
Solo—"The Christ Child," by Dorothy Elliott.

Recitation by Madge Clark.
Carol—"Ring the Bells," by the school.

Acrostic—"Words of Christ," by Classes Nos. 4 and 5.

Song—"With Joy We Sing," by the infant class.

Recitation—"The King of the Jews," by Myrtle Arnett.

Carol—"The King Is Born," by the choir.

Recitation, by Helen Wirtz.
Solo—"Falling Snowflakes," by Helen Wirtz.

The following little girls also went through the "Snowflake" drill: Madge Shive, Dorothy Sanderson, May Hansbury, For a Ward, Wade Drew, Josephine Lee, Florence Christian, Myrtle Arnett and Gertrude Wirtz.

Song—"Unite in Praise," by the choir.

Duet and chorus—"Song of Bethlehem," by the choir.

Christmas address by Superintendent George A. Wirtz.

Responsive reading.
Song—"Glory in the Highest," by the school.

Closing Words.
Song—"Antioch."

All the programs presented at the various churches were very entertaining, and evinced much talent in many of the participants. The spirit of the Savior seemed to fill every one that night, and the exercises were marked with a veneration that was pleasing to the pastors of the different congregations.

POTATOES ARE COSTLY FOOD IN THE SOUTH

Los Angeles Operator Says That a New High Record Price Will Be Reached This Winter

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24.—Potatoes will be in the luxury class here before the winter is over, according to a prominent jobber. The reason for this is given as a shortage of crops in the sections upon which Southern California draws for its supply.

"With a short crop here and elsewhere, and a heavy demand, it looks as if prices would be the highest for years, if they do not establish a record," he said. "Any good potatoes, I think, will bring at least \$2.50 per hundred pounds, wholesale, before the winter is over."

SPLENDID PROGRESS BEING MADE ON PANAMA CANAL

Requisition for Material for Emergency Dams Indicates the Completion Is in Sight

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 24.—Indicating the progress being made in the construction of the Panama canal, the commission's office today received from the isthmus requisitions for material to be used in the building of emergency dams. The installation of these will constitute the final large work in connection with the locks.

Emergency dams will be erected at the head of each set of locks and will be used in case of accident, which would permit the water of Gatun lake to flow into the canal. The commission soon will advertise for bids for structural steel, of which the emergency dams will be built. It is believed the first of these will be installed June 1, 1911, and the last January 1, 1912.

A MAN OF DYNAMIC FORCE

In the midst of the furious conflict with slavery that Wendell Phillips tried to provide and to aggravate, he found time to deliver powerful arguments in favor of other causes he held to be right and just; in favor of woman suffrage, against capital punishment, for the removal of an unjust judge, in behalf of Ireland, against the sudden public conscience that views with indifference the lost souls of the street, says Charles Edward Russell in Success. With all these efforts and with all his unflagging assistance to William Lloyd Garrison in the details on the anti-slavery campaign, he found time to prepare and deliver scholarly orations like that on "The Lost Arts"; biographical tributes, like those on "Daniel O'Connell" and "Toussaint L'Ouverture," and stimulating addresses on Christianity and morals. His mind seemed a prodigious engine that rested not, but labored full steam ahead.

The total value of agricultural products of the state for the current season is given at \$115,000,000.

YOUNG SAFE-CRACKER KILLED

IS SHOT BY A DURHAM STORE-KEEPER

Receives Charge From Shotgun As He Was Fleeing From a Safe He Had Tried to Open

CHICO, Calif., Dec. 24.—Bert Kelly, a 22-year-old safeblower, was shot and killed last night by Richard Epperson, a storekeeper, at Durham, near Chico. Epperson shot and killed a negro two years ago as he was breaking into his store. He sleeps in a room adjoining the store, and heard a noise last night. He looked through a hole in the partition and saw Kelly with some explosive at the safe door. He called to Kelly to hold up his hands. Kelly pulled a revolver and ran to the door. Epperson called on him to halt, and shoved a shot gun through the hole in the partition. Kelly did not stop, and Epperson fired the shot gun and the charge tore a hole through Kelly's kidneys.

EXCITING RACES AT 'FRISCO

AVIATORS WILL COMPETE IN RELAYS

Nine Biplanes Are to Be in the Air at the Same Time—Try for the Altitude Record

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—For the first time in the history of aviation a relay race will be run, or, more correctly, flown at Aviation park, South San Francisco, on January 19th. This will be the most spectacular event of the entire meet, and will be a contest of speed and quick starting between teams of three. The Wright aviators will be represented by Roy Knabenshue, Archie Hoxey and Walter R. Brookings, the latter riding his "baby biplane," with which he has made such spectacular speed flights. Willard, Mars and Curtiss himself will relieve each other and endeavor to win honors for the Curtiss machine.

The Farman biplane will be entered with Clifford Harmon, the American amateur, and possibly Grahame-White, the English flyer, and one of the three French aviators, who will be entered in the next few days.

During this relay race there will be in the air at one time nine biplanes circling the track or flying near the course and keeping pace with the leaders. The danger ever imminent to aviators will be, of course, increased by the risk of collision in the air, and the appearance of this flock of man birds will be a novelty not lacking in thrills.

Bud Mars, the daring young Curtiss aviator, who recently had such a thrilling escape from death when his engines froze at an altitude of 4,000 feet, declares that all previous records, whether for height, speed or endurance, will be broken at the coming meet by Curtiss machines.

THE STRENGTH OF KINDNESS

I know a mother of a large family of children who has never whipped but one of them, and that one only once, says Orison Swett Marden in Success. When her first child was born people said she was too good-natured to bring up children; that she would spoil them, as she would not correct or discipline them; and would do nothing but love them. But this love has proved the great magnet which has held the family together in a marvelous way. None of these children has gone astray. They have all grown up to be manly and womanly, and love has been wonderfully developed in their natures. Their own affection responded to the mother love and has become their strongest motive. Today all her children look upon "mother" as the grandest figure in the world. She has brought out the best in them, because she saw the best in them. The worst did not need correcting or repressing, for the best neutralized it.

WILL DRIVE THE LOAN SHARKS FROM CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Commercial organizations and labor unions are planning to join hands in a concerted movement to drive "loan sharks" out of Chicago. For the first time the representatives of capital and labor and of various organizations which have attacked the money lenders spasmodically in years past will unite their forces and agree upon a definite plan of crusade.

Returns Home

Guy Merrill returned to his home in Merrill last Friday from a trip to Central California with a number of horses and mules that he had taken down there for sale.

WATER SUBDUES PRISONERS

HOSE TURNED ON INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

Men in Fresno Jail Cease Their Howling When Their Cell Is Flooded

FRESNO, Dec. 24.—The Industrial Workers of the World who are prisoners in the city jail are calm today, following a drenching from the fire hose last night. The big cell where they are confined was flooded four feet deep with water. The sewer was stopped up by straw from mattresses and the water was long in draining.

The sheriff addressed the prisoners and said he did not want to treat them differently from all the other prisoners. It was not pleasant to punish them, but the prison rules must be enforced. The men replied they would be good, and the Industrialists accepted their breakfast this morning. It was the first meal they had eaten since Thursday evening.

CAROUSEL ENDS IN DEATH

SIX ARE KILLED BY GAS IN ROOMS

Bodies Found When Man Is Called for Work—Empty Bottles Strewn on the Floor

KENTON, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Six were killed by gas this morning as a result of a secret carousel in a room in the Lintz hotel. The dead are Charles Latham and wife, Wm. Kennedy and son Pearl, 24 years of age; Harry Newcomb, 23 years old, and Miss Bailey, 21. The tragedy was discovered by a man who went to call Kennedy for work. The Kennedys were found in a front room, while the others were in an adjoining room. The gas stove had been disconnected and empty bottles were strewn about the rooms.

BRACING ATMOSPHERE MAKES ONE FEEL GOOD

Storms in the East and Dry Weather in the South Makes One Glad He Lives in Oregon

The storm a few days ago made a few persons grumble a little, but when they stop to consider the condition of the weather in other parts of the United States they have no cause for complaint.

For over a week the weather has been simply delightful, and the clear, crisp days make one feel that life is worth living.

In the East there is much suffering, and in the city of Chicago 1,000 men stood in line in a biting wind waiting for a cup of coffee and a roll. Others were frozen to death, while many others suffered from the severe weather.

In this part of Oregon there has been no suffering, and with the exception of a few days of storm the weather has been delightful.

Col. M. L. Allison, who has just returned from a trip to San Antonio, Texas, where he went as a delegate to the trans-Mississippi Commercial congress from this county, does not give very flattering accounts of the prospects in the country he has been over. He said to a Herald reporter:

"The weather? They haven't any weather there this year. It has been so dry that they are pumping water for stock, and in the country between El Paso and Del Rio they are driving out the cattle, as there is not water enough to keep them alive. There will be thousands of cattle die there this winter. They are so poor that the first norther will kill them by the hundreds."

"The first moisture I came in contact with was when we reached the Sacramento Valley, and there was a little rain, but not so much that it did any great good. They were trying to plow, but the ground was so dry that the earth turned over in clods instead of ridges."

"No. If a man wants to know how good a country we have here let him take a trip to the South and East, and he will be more than satisfied with Klamath county when he returns."

NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LANDS TO SETTLEMENT AND ENTRY

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., November 11, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of the Interior has vacated departmental order of withdrawal in so far as the same affects the withdrawal for irrigation purposes under the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat.,

NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LANDS TO SETTLEMENT AND ENTRY

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., September 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the acting secretary of the Interior has vacated departmental order of withdrawal in so far as the same affects the withdrawal for irrigation purposes under the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat., 388), for use in connection with the Klamath project, Oregon, and by his authority such of said tracts as have not been heretofore finally restored, reserved, or otherwise withdrawn, reserved, or otherwise withdrawn, will be subject to settlement under the public land laws of the United States on and after January 2, 1911, but shall not be subject to entry, filing or selection until February 1, 1911, at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, warning being expressly given that no person will be permitted to gain or exercise any right whatever under any settlement or occupation begun after November 1, 1910, and prior to January 2, 1911, all such settlement or occupation being forbidden.

Willamette Principal Meridian
T. 36 S., R. 7 E., SW 1/4 NW 1/4 and W 1/2 SW 1/4, sec. 25, west of Upper Klamath Lake.

FRED DENNETT,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

R. A. BALLINGER,
Secretary of the Interior.
12-8-1-25

RESTORATION TO ENTRY OF LANDS IN NATIONAL FOREST

Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing 629.97 acres, within the Cascade, Crater, Deschutes National Forests, Oregon, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906 (34 Stat., 233), at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, on January 30, 1911. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1, 1906, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the applications of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler or applicant is qualified to make homestead entry and the preference right is exercised prior to January 30, 1911, on which date the lands will be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. The lands are as follows: Lot 1, Sec. 18, T. 24 S., R. 8 E., W. M., 37.47 acres, application of T. F. Hamner, of Crescent, Oregon; List 6-357. The NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, the E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, the E 1/2 of E 1/2 of NW 1/4, the SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 33S., R. 6 E., 110 acres, application of John A. Gray, of Fort Klamath, Oregon; List 6-381. The SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, of SW 1/4, the E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 33S., R. 6 E., 30 acres, application of Collier Gray, of Fort Klamath, Oregon; List 6-381. The SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, the W 1/2 of SE 1/4, the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 24 S., R. 8 E., 132.50 acres, application of C. C. Randolph of Rosland, Oregon; List 6-400. The SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, the S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, the E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 24 S., R. 8 E., 125 acres, application of Jesse Strotts, of Rosland, Oregon; List 6-404. The S 1/2 of NW 1/4 (or Lot 2 and SE 1/4 of NW 1/4), the W 1/2 of W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 31, T. 24S., R. 9 E., 90 acres, application of Fred La Follette, of Crescent, Oregon; List 6-404.

FRED DENNETT,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Approved October 31, 1910.
JESSE E. WILSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.
11-24 12-15

NOTICE

To the Voters and Taxpayers and to the Citizens of Klamath County, Oregon, and to all whom this may concern:

You are hereby notified that in sixty days from the date of this notice it will be unlawful for swine to run at large in Klamath County, Oregon, under penalty of five dollars for the first offense and ten dollars for each and every subsequent offense, to be recovered from the owner of the swine by civil action in the name of the State of Oregon before a Justice of the Peace of the Precinct in which such owner or keeper, or either of them, may reside; and such penalty shall be for the benefit of, and when collected paid into, the common school fund of the County in which such action is brought within sixty days after such animal is proved to be at large.

C. R. DE LAP,
County Clerk.
4 wks

NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LANDS TO SETTLEMENT AND ENTRY

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., September 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the acting secretary of the Interior has vacated departmental order of withdrawal in so far as the same affects the withdrawal for irrigation purposes under the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat., 388), for use in connection with the Klamath project, Oregon, and by his authority such of said tracts as have not been heretofore finally restored, reserved, or otherwise withdrawn, reserved, or otherwise withdrawn, will be subject to settlement under the public land laws of the United States on and after December 12, 1910, also to indemnity school land selection as well, but shall not be subject to entry, filing, or other selection until January 11, 1911, at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, warning being expressly given that no person will be permitted to gain or exercise any right whatever under any settlement or occupation begun after September 13, 1910, and prior to December 12, 1910, all such settlement or occupation being forbidden.

Willamette Principal Meridian,
Oregon

Township 36 south, Range 7 east, SW 1/4, SW 1/4 sec. 19; SE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 23; SW 1/4, SW 1/4 sec. 27; S 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 28; S 1/2 NE 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 31; SW 1/4, SW 1/4 sec. 32; W 1/2 NE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 34; SE 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 sec. 36.

Township 37 south, Range 7 east, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 1; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 2; NW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 3; SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 4; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 5; E 1/2 NE 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 9; NW 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 24; W 1/2 NW 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 25; NW 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 36.

Township 37 south, Range 8 east, W 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 6; SW 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 7; SW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 8; N 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 sec. 18.

Township 38 south, Range 8 east, W 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 6; W 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 7; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 8; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 9; S 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, SE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 10; S 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 13; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 sec. 15; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 16; SW 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 18; NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 19; S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 20; NW 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 23; S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 25; NW 1/4 NE 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 27; NW 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 sec. 28; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, NW 1/4, NW 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/2 SE 1/4 and lots 2, 3 and 4, sec. 29.

Township 37 south, Range 9 east, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 6; E 1/2 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 7; all of section 19; N 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 30; E 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 31.

Township 38 south, range 9 east, N 1/2, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 6; NE 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 7; NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 18; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 19; all of sections 28 and 29; E 1/2 NE 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 30; W 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4, S 1/2 sec. 31; N 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 32; N 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 sec. 33; NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, N 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 sec. 34; all of sections 35 and 36.

Township 40 south, Range 11 east, E 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 21.

FRED DENNETT,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

FRANK PIERCE,
First Assistant Secretary of the Interior,
10-6-12-15

NOTICE

E. G. Argraves and Frank H. Coffey, members of the City Realty company of Klamath Falls, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Argraves having sold his interest in the firm to R. I. Long. 12-1-12-12

OLD VIRGINIA FARMS FOR SALE

Send for free illustrated catalog; largest list in Virginia.
CASSELMAN & CO., Richmond Va.

OVER 65 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

PATENTS

TRADE MARKS
DESIGNS
COPYRIGHTS & C.

Any person sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free of charge. Our invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HARRISON on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through HARRISON & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the

Scientific American.

A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$3 a year; four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers.

MUNN & Co., 361 Broadway, New York

Branch Office, 65 7th St., Washington, D. C.