

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kullander were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith of Independence. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Kullander are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Galloway and daughter, formerly of Vernonia visited over the Christmas holidays at the Lester Galloway home. They moved recently from Rapid City, South Dakota to Gold Beach, Oregon where they plan to reside permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whitsell of Ocean Lake were here for a

few days last week to be at the home of his mother, Mrs. Zoe Whitsell for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and their 20-months-old daughter, were involved in an auto accident earlier this month while enroute here from Port Orford where they had spent two months picking ferns. The Bakers' army surplus Dodge truck was damaged considerably when a car driven by Mrs. C. D. Jones of North Bend veered across the highway in front of the truck. Mrs. Jones suffered severe head injuries and shock.

DANCE Saturday, January 3, Legion hall. Music by Mel Patton Quintet.

Here from Wednesday to Saturday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Hale Greenman to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Greenman, and friends. They left Saturday for Portland and from there Sunday for their home at Medford.

Guests for Christmas dinner at the Roy Brady home were Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Ritz and daughters, Wesley Brady of Portland, Mr.

and Mrs. J. Rosa, Dean Brady and Wilbur Fast of Portland. On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph DeVaney and daughter were dinner guests. This was the first time in several years all children were home for Christmas.

Mrs. Clara Leopold of Portland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rosa, for a few days. Mrs. Leopold had the misfortune to misstep from the traction bus at the Emanuel hospital, spraining her ankle quite badly. She will be unable to work for some time.

Cleve Robertson and daughter, Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and Virginia Robertson left early Saturday morning by auto for Mississippi where they plan to remain over two weeks before returning here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culbertson, Jr., of Corvallis and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Culbertson and daughter, Lynne, of Eugene were here for the Yule holiday, visiting the Harry Culbertsons and the E. Knights.

Those at the Harry King home in Riverview for the holiday last week were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howard and son, Bill, of Camp McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davies and son, Craig, returned early this week from Huntington Park, California where they spent the holiday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horn returned Sunday from Spokane where they had been since early last week.

Mrs. E. Corsiglia and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corsiglia of St. Helens spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Valpiani.

The Adolph Nelson family including Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Russ Juola and daughter, Deanna, enjoyed a very lovely Christmas eve at the home of Marble and Phyllis Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson's daughter and son-in-law, of Beaverton. Their daughter, Marlene, and Deanna were very busy Christmas day delivering boxes of fruit and cookies to crippled friends.

Oliver Andrews, formerly of Vernonia, was a visitor of friends here the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lee Schwab and sisters, Genevieve and Lois, were Christmas holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Peasnell and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Poteet of Astoria.

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Mrs. Aimee Melis was here from Florence over the holidays visiting her brother, Ben Fowler, and family and two sisters, Mrs. John Winslow and family of Birkenfeld and Mrs. Maeva M. Peters and family. With her were her daughter, Marcia, Dave Freitag and Janice Radkey, all from Florence.

Mrs. Laura Brimmer from Seattle, Washington was here last week visiting her sons, Andy and Harold, and friends.

Miss Joy Brimmer from Linfield college, McMinnville is spending this week at the home of her father, J. W. Brimmer. She will return Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ruhl enjoyed their Christmas vacation at Manzanita, leaving here last Thursday morning and returning Sunday.

Going to Portland last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson who spent the holiday last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davidson. There also were the Anderson's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Thoreau and child. The Thoreaus left Sunday to return to their home at Palo Alto, California.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fletcher part of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moore of Portland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holcomb, former Vernonia residents now living at Gresham, were here last Friday for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tousley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adams at Clatskanie for several days last week including the Christmas holiday.

Mrs. Leatha Tousley and son, Arthur, arrived here from Portland Monday and remained to New Years day. They plan to leave soon for Oakland, California where Arthur will be employed with a Kaiser company doing construction work.

Mrs. Grace Bundy spent from Tuesday to Saturday of last week with relatives near Yamhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCabe and his son, Grant McCabe, now in the service and stationed in Illinois, arrived here December 26 after a trip to the east coast.

Spending Christmas and the week end at the F. R. Olin home were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Olin of Westfir, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Olin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Marshall were visited during the past holiday week end by their sons, Jack and family of Seattle and Larry of Sweet Home.

Jack and Kenneth Anderson left

Joy Theatre

Vernonia, Oregon

THUR-FRI Jan. 1-2
"HAPPY NEW YEAR"
"THE PERILS OF PAULINE"
(Technicolor) Betty Hutton John Lund
"MELODY MAESTRO" - Skinny Ennis - Brother Rat Cartoon

Saturday Jan. 3
"WEST OF CARSON CITY" - Johnny Mack Brown "THE FALCON'S ALIBI" - Tom Conway
"BIRDIE AND BEAST" CARTOON

Sun-Mon Jan 4-5
"THE GREAT WALTZ"
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Cartoon and News
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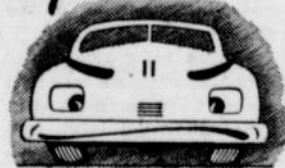
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