

**Community Xmas Party Is Given**

NU-ACRES, Dec. 29—Approximately 250 were present at the Community Christmas party held in the hall Thursday night. The youngsters all had a chance to talk to Santa, and receive gifts. Refreshments were served after the gifts were distributed.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meroney were Walter Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Robin-

ette and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tullis, Jr., and Colleen of New Plymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ballard and Pauline of Parma called at the Tom Evans home Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Keck and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Keck and family of the Oregon Trail community. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baxter spent Christmas day in Boise with friends. Leo Ellibee and children had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Durrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tish of Greenleaf had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans and family. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hohstadt and family had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ivie of Fruitland. Mr. and Mrs. Tarzen Johnson and children had Christmas dinner with Mr. Carrel of Nyssa. Mr. Carrel is Mrs. Johnson's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bales and girls of Fruitland spent Christmas eve with the Pat Hohstadt family. The Jim Mc D Roe home was the scene of a Christmas dinner for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mc D Roe and family of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams and daughter,

Mrs. Alice Adams, Hugh Adams and Miss Myrtle Wann, all of Vale, Mrs. J. P. Ichall of Ontario and Vern Garrett of Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Randolph and Melvin of Madras spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nedbalek while on their way to spend the holidays with relatives in Caldwell and Nampa. While here Friday they called on Mr. and Mrs. George Grasmick.

Christmas dinner guests at the Roy Lobb home were Mr. Lobb's mother, Mrs. Jimmie Lobb, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lobb and Dick and Charlene of Toppish, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lobb and family of Caldwell, Lola Hlett of Fruitland, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith of New Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Schafer of Caldwell.

Mat Henne, who has been visiting his brother, Sam Henne, and other relatives in this part of Idaho returned to his home in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nedbalek and Rudy were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nedbalek and Donna.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins of Fruitland spent the week-end with the F. C. Fry family. While visiting Saturday evening they were all pleasantly surprised when Roger Jenkins of the U. S. navy appeared.

Jenkins was thought to have been en route to Pearl Harbor. He will be home until December 29, and will then go to Pearl Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henne went to Nampa to eat Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Flanary and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grasmick and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Raymer of Boise spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ostimiller in Fruitland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grasmick visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi Olson in Marsing Monday. Mrs. Grasmick's grandmother is seriously ill in the Good Samaritan hospital in Nampa. Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Seuell were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Seuell and Darryl of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Baker and family of Weiser and Betty Buskirk of Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fry received a telephone call Monday from their son, John in Detroit, saying that John and his wife are parents of a baby girl, first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Osborne spent Christmas with Mrs. Osborne's sister, Mrs. Henry Storm and family of Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawley and Dick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Climer and twin daughters in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson and Bob Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burt and Rodney spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and family in Greenleaf.

Mrs. Ed Meroney received word Christmas afternoon of the death of her brother in Pocatello Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson had Christmas dinner with her folks in Vale.

Mrs. Robert Shaw's father, Mr. Hite of Vale has been seriously ill. Pfc. Robert Johnson spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson. Pfc. Johnson will be stationed overseas when he returns from his furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meroney and Joy called on Mrs. G. G. Wherry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harm and children in Payette Saturday.

Bill Hansen and Viola McLain of Fruitland were callers at the Fry home Saturday evening.

A great number of folks from this community attended the basketball game in Fruitland Friday night when Burns and Fruitland played. Fruitland victorious again has not lost a game this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Evans and Janice had Christmas dinner in Nampa with Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Ross and family.

Jimmy Jones of Fruitland was an overnight guest of Larry Jenkins Thursday. They attended the Christmas party at the hall.

ed home to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren of Adrian were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lane. Their daughter, Nina, who has been staying in the Lane home during her mother's recent illness, returned home Thursday.

Gregory and Francis Thiel returned home Friday from an extended trip through Nebraska and South Dakota.

The L. L. Kreeger family are spending the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Dave Hall and family at Coolidge, Arizona.

Francine Lovelace, who is attending college in Arizona, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelace. She came by plane to Boise and her parents met her there.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson and C. M. Beaumont attended the annual meeting of the Malheur County Jersey Breeders association in Ontario.

Ross Lane in working for the Christensen Motor company of Caldwell since he resigned as tester for the Malheur County Dairy Herd Improvement association.

Keith Lane is home from the Nampa Business college until January 3.

Visit in Adrian—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Elliott and Wilbur Jackson of Corvallis visited over the week-end at the home of Mrs. Threlma Elliott in Adrian.

They left Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Jimmy Wilson and son of Ontario, for Klamath Falls where they will visit at the C. W. Wilson home before returning to Corvallis to resume their studies at Oregon State college.

To Utah—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray and family and Mrs. Dale Bingman left Monday for Utah, where they will visit for a week.

Here From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wieneke of Portland arrived last Wednesday to visit their son, Ward Wieneke, and family.

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**Dinners Feature Xmas. Observance**

KINGMAN KOLONY, Dec. 29—The observance of Christmas day was featured in the Kolony by the many gatherings of families and friends for dinners. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hurst entertained for their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Betig of Boise and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White of Fruitland. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moore and family had Mr. and Mrs. Snead and sons, James and John of Letha and Rudy Zimmerman as their guests. Mary Ann Thiel was a guest of Myrna Lane. Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb entertained for Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Piercy, Thurman Piercy, Margaret Garwood, Mr. and Mrs. James Phifer and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Toomb of Nyssa and C. M. Beaumont.

Mrs. Ruth Petty and children were guests of Mrs. Petty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pinkston. Mr. and Mrs. Max Howard and Denny were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burningham of Nyssa. Rev. and Mrs. Moore of Adrian were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lane. Clarence Little, who is working for Sam Shaw at Willow Creek, return-



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