

Merry Widows

The Merry Widows were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Orma Cleaver. A delicious potluck dinner was served followed by a gift exchange.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Thursday, December 22 - Nyssa City Council, special meeting, 113 Main, 12 noon.
Thursday, December 29 - Adrian City Council, Regular meeting, Adrian Fire Hall, 8 p.m.



Eastside Market

Engagement Announced



THE ENGAGEMENT of Becky Mathews and Dave Jordan has been announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neill Mathews of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jordan of Westfall. A January 15 wedding is being planned at the Conservative Baptist Church in Nyssa.

Community Calendar

Friday, December 23 - Alcoholics Anonymous, Nyssa Methodist Church, N 3rd & Emison, 8 p.m. For further information call 372-3318 or 372-2526.

Wednesday, December 28 - Nyssa Senior Citizens, 116 Ehrgood Avenue, potluck, 10:30 a.m.

Job's Daughters, Bethel 33, Installation, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 29 - American Legion, Business Meeting, Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Prudencio Escobedo of Nyssa announce the approaching marriage of their sister, Rosa Maria Zuniga to Ramon Cardenas. They will be united in Holy Matrimony during Nuptial Mass ceremonies to be held at 7 p.m. on Sunday, January 1, in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Piedras Negras, Coah.

Miss Zuniga is the daughter of the late Lucio and Dolores Zuniga of Eagle Pass, Texas.

Sage of Nu Acres

By Lyle Dohner

Joanne Alves, whose childhood was spent in her native Holland, said the gift giving and Christmas time were separated by nineteen days, when she was a child.

St. Nicholas' birthday, December sixth, is called in Holland - Sinterklaas. On that eve, the children would set out their wooden shoes and put in them a few carrots for the good saint's horse, and joyfully look for gifts in them in the morning.

It all started ages back when Nicholas was a kind and loving man who helped out the poor. After his demise, people started using his birthday in this way, giving gifts in love.

What about Christmas? Joanne said "That's Jesus' birthday, a religious holiday, when Christian people go to church and sing carols, and gather in their homes to rejoice and sing together. It was people outside of the church in Holland, who added the Christmas tree and

changed gift giving time to then.

"To the Lord here is a fir and myrtle tree." In the Bible in Isaiah 55:13, that is said to be for an everlasting sign. I'm glad that is there, for we love the Christmas tree in our home at Christmas home at Christmas.

The Delbert Wilson family of Molalla, may, or may not, be able to get over from the coast to spend Christmas with his mother, but if they do, she'll be ready for them.

Her bedrooms are newly decorated and the house is all spiffed up, and she is looking down the road for them. So, come on, Delbert, the first sunny day leave your flooded area and brave the road for home.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payne last Saturday was George Lenny of Homedale.

At the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hodge, there will be a special celebration when Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Ming will both be there for Christmas. Ming has been working in Bend on a special project while his wife, Jean, has been living there with her

parents, the Hodges.

Sunday Vesta Wilson visited her brother-in-law, Hugh Rash and his son, Raymond, in New Plymouth. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Alden Bryan in Fruitland. Alden is just home from surgery and a fortnight stay at the hospital. She reports Mrs. Bryan is well and he is recovering nicely.

Report has it that neighbor Ivan Richardson went in for plastic surgery on his hip last week. Must visit him at Holy Rosary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw went to the Nyssa-Harper basketball game Friday night and while there, visited with her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Winters and their daughter, Ellen, from Harper. Ellen played on the girls' team and was a cheer leader for the boys team.

For the George Dohners, it will be another quiet Christmas at home, with a joyful celebration at church that night. I got him a sixty-nine cent magnetic stud finder for a special gift.



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CHRISTMAS



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Ye Faithful

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