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HIGHLAND.

The winter term of the Friend's Polytechnic institute opened last Monday with a large in attendance. Several more expected next Monday.

Rev. Elwood Scott returned from Marion on Thursday and delivered his lecture on church history before the institute on Friday. The W. C. T. U. of the Friend's church held an open session last night. An interesting program was rendered.

Miss Ora Stroud is organizing a kindergarten at the Polytechnic.

The Highland literary society re-organized Friday night. Following officers were elected: President, J. O. Willis; vice president, W. Apple; secretary, Miss Ada Webb; Treasurer, Mrs. Maude Ramsey.

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BUTTEVILLE.

John Swan and wife have gone to housekeeping in his new residence on the hill.

Henry Cone has moved into town and set up a harness and barber shop in the old butcher shop.

Mrs. Emma Ackerson has been housekeeper for Mrs. Wm. Her during her illness. Wm. Her's name is frequently mentioned by his neighbors for representative.

CANBY.

Roswell Mack and wife of McMinnville have located here, to make their home.

John Cook is showing public spirit by making some good improvements.

S. Garrison, our enterprising hoop manufacturer, has an order for 180,000 from California.

Dr. White is building a new barn. J. Shull has moved into his new house.

D. C. Dimick is building a large wagon shed and store house.

F. Zelmer has sold property to Mr. Kintrel and family and Mr. Dougherty and family, of Colorado, who have located here.

W. W. Weed has a new barn finished.

Rev. S. Matthews is making himself independent of a salary by running a large orchard.

The board of council is composed of H. Lee, Wm. Her, and Dinck, Clanger, Weekli and Rosenkrantz.

MAKESBURG.

Mrs. Dora Haly has returned from a visit at Baker City.

John Heppler has invented a stump puller.

At the mask ball Wm. Hanson was floor manager and Peter Adams prompter.

A. Klebe and sons are clearing land at a rapid rate.

Vienna Callahan and H. Bair took prizes at the mask ball.

G. W. Scramlin had a valise stolen with \$15 in it.

A. Reynold is enjoying quite a reputation for getting up good meals.

MACLEAY.

The Misses Taylor, of Macleay, entertained a number of friends at their cozy, lovely home on New Year's night. At 7:30 the guests began to arrive and in less time than an hour, the rooms were filled with music and laughter. As you entered the front hall, your eyes rested upon a large broad band which extended from east to west of the hall, and the more you gazed thereon the more beautiful to the eye appeared the band, sprinkled with dust, alike to diamonds, with the following words, beautifully made in silver colors: "A Happy New Year." As you entered the front parlor, you noticed that the decorations were made with some special reference to the season. The holly and mistletoe made a strikingly beautiful combination. The doors leading from first to second parlor were slid apart and magnificent curtains of green fir leaves, made into long strings, which looked very artistic, took the place of the beaded ones. The mistletoe hung in every hall and room. As ferns and grasses were the limitations aside from holly and mistletoe in the decorative art, they were woven in skillfully. Music, games, and social conversation occupied the fast flying hours, and at 11 the happy company were conducted to the dining room where refreshments were served. Too soon the hour to bid the friends good-night came, and each guest before going was presented with a New Year's card tied with sprigs of mistletoe by a ribbon. Thus ended another brilliant affair in social circles.

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The Misses Della Hunsaker and Ida Mills spent part of last week in Portland attending teachers association and visiting friends.

Albert Welch and family left on Thursday evening's overland for Los Angeles. During their five year's stay in Woodburn they have made many friends in both business and social ways, who regret their departure from the city.

Walter L. Tooze and wife entertained a number of their friends at their home on Wednesday evening. Various games were indulged in, and all enjoyed an old-fashioned candy pull, after which the guests were seated at tables and partook of an elegant lunch.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Tooze, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Finzer, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cornwall, Dr. J. L. Shorey and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Manning, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bayha, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cowles, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. A. Auter son, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hunsaker, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Guiss, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pennybaker and the Misses Della Hunsaker, Ida Mills, Emma Oliver, Mary Scott, Amy Cooley, Phoebe Yoder, Grace Jones, Edith Alderson, and Emma Laviger, Messrs A. C. Hough, Elmer Finzer, S. Wilcox, Robert and Will Ray, Al Austin, Dr. J. Fox, Professors D. W. Yoder and Joseph Fash.

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