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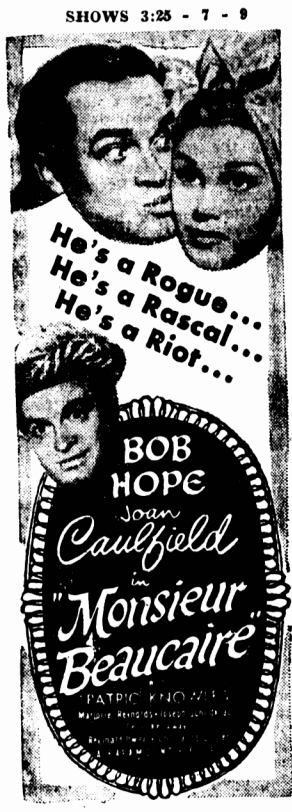

SPORTS - CARTOON

MRS. LAVINA E. CRABBE

Mrs. Lavine E. Crabbe, 86, a resident of Chico for over 50 years, and of Butte County for 60 years, died Thursday night at her home on Chestnut Street after an illness of several years.

Mrs. Crabbe was born on Prince Edward Island, Canada, where she lived and was married to the late William Crabbe at the age of 17. Mr. Crabbe was a mining engineer and they came from Canada to Magalia in 1886, and then moved to Chico a few years later. Mr. Crabbe preceded his wife in death in 1918.

Mrs. Crabbe has lived at the home where she passed away, 924 Chestnut St. for 38 years, and was well known and beloved by all who knew her for her work and efforts in behalf of others. She raised the four orphaned children of her oldest son from childhood and was always ready to help anyone in sickness.

She was an active member all her life in the Halleck Relief Corps until her illness deterred her.

She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Eleanor MacLean of Chico; Hammond J. Crabbe of San Francisco; Ben F. Crabbe of Red Bluff; the four grandchildren she raised, Mrs. Joe White of Los Gatos Mrs. Helen Goekler of Oakland, Ellery B. Crabbe of Los Angeles and Arden Crabbe of Redding; two brothers, Albert and Artemus Prowse of Canada; three other grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 1.30 in the Nugent-Huddleston Funeral Chapel with Mrs. Blanche Smith officiating assisted by the Halleck Relief Corps. Interment will follow in the family plot of Chico Cemetery.

The deceased was a sister of the late Senator B.C. Prowse and the late Mr. L. E. Prowse and a sister-in-law of Mr. Joseph Crabbe, Assistant Fire Marshal.

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George Macready he's the title role with Leslie Brooks and Forrest Tucker also featured. The screenplay is by Edward Bock, from a story by Maxwell Shane and Alex Gottlieb. John Sturges directed.

BRITISH STAR GETS NOD OF N. Y. CRITICS

Chosen as the best actress of 1946 by New York city film critics, Celia Johnson, English star, is seen with her six-year-old son and a friend. Her performance in the British film, "Brief Encounter," earned her selection. Olivia de Havilland in "To Each His Own" was second.

Bernard Baruch (left) and Andrei A. Gromyko, newly appointed Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister, converse briefly in the lounge at Lake Success, N. Y. A few minutes later, Gromyko went before the U. N. Atomic Energy Committee and accused Baruch of making "light minded statements" and insisted that the Big Five powers retain the right to veto punishment of any nation caught making atomic weapons illegally.

PARKDALE SCHOOL CONCERT

Interested parents and friends enjoyed an excellent Christmas program on Wednesday afternoon, December 18, in Parkdale Hall when the pupils of Parkdale School presented their annual school concert. Mrs. Edwin Cook capably presided.

Following the program Santa Claus appeared and distributed to Children and teachers a generous treat of candy and oranges which were provided by the Women's Institute and Board of Trustees.

On Thursday, Dec. 19, this concert was repeated in the presence of a very large audience. The chairman for the evening was Mr. F.S. Driscoll. Santa again appeared and gave gifts to the members of the W. I.

Following is the program:

Song, "O Come All Ye Faithful" by Grades VIII—X.

Remarks by Chairman.

Welcome Recitation by Ralph Thompson.

Exercise, "Christmas Candles" by Evelyn MacKay, Joycelyn Stewart, Viola MacKay, Marion Nichol, Faye Hickox, Marlene Gregory, Allison MacEachern, Gerald Coles, Keith Llewellyn, Donald Gallant, Elmer Hogan, Robin Clay.

Motion Song, "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas" by Dorothy Nichol, Winnifred Hogan, Robert Gregory, Billie MacLean, Marie MacIntyre, Erma Gallant, Margaret MacDougall, Thomasena Brown, Freddie Hickox.

Dialogue, "The Practical Test", by Florence Rowe, Helen MacLean, Lizabeth Puncher, Sterling Moore, Alex MacDonald, Elmer Paquet, Leonard Driscoll, Betty Cook.

Duet, "Every Year a Happy Christmas" by Evelyn MacKay and Raymond Bertram.

Drill "Christmas Trees" by Marlene Gregory, Bessie MacDougall, Penelope Warren, Diann Dixon, Florence Gormley, Billie Gallant, Ronnie Higgins, Merrill Smith, Ian MacDonald, Kenneth Burke.

Dialogue, "The Little Rebels" by Ralph Thomson, Leonard Gallant, Irwin Buell, Frederick Beer, James Warren.

Christmas Songs "I Saw Three Ships" Grades I and II and "Baby Jesus" Soloists: Carlyle Gaudet, Donald Gallant, Jocelyn Stewart, Marian Nichol.

"Upside Down Drill" by Clifford Gregory, Cecil Livingstone, Fenton MacKay, Hillard Coles, Jimmie Walker.

Solo, "I Can't Go On This Way" by Leonard Driscoll.

Dialogue "The Train to Mauro" by Jean Murphy, Ernest MacKay, Foster Burke.

Drill "Star, Bell and Festoon" by Beverly Good, Beverly Gaudet, Erma MacDonald, Marlene Brown, Ruth Watters, Barbara MacGregor, Eleanor Gregory, Velmo Coles, Lorraine Gallant.

Motion Song "A Shopping We Will Go" by Sylvia MacKay, Arlene Gregory, Maureen McIntyre, Olive Newman, Shirley Gallant, Mildred Thompson, Shirlie Clay, Edward Bertram, Borden Myers, Wilfred Gaudet, Reggie Gay, Roddie Hickox, Vernon MacDonald, Alan Burns.

Piano Duet, "Good King Wenceslas" by Freddie and Roddie Hickox.

Christmas Songs "The Holly and The Ivy" and "Santa Claus is Coming to Town" by Grades 3 and 4.

Intermission. Sales of apples.

Motion Song "Santa is a Fine Old Man" by Mary Gallant, Brenda MacKay, Gary Thomson, Marlene Gregory, Jack MacDougall, Carlyle Gaudet, Gerald Coles, Lloyd Gregory, Marian Nichol.

Reading "Ten Little Bottles" by Florence Rowe.

Drill "The Star Rays" by Arlene Bell, Mary Jean Burke, Pamela Gaudet, Lorraine Bell, Lois Coles, Joyce Gallant, Ruth Good, Gloria Godkin, Catherine Watters, Bernice MacKay, Glenda Gregory.

Solo "O Holy Night" by Shirley MacKay.

Dialogue "The Christmas Burglar" by Craig Matheson, Jean MacGregor, Vaunda Buell, Harry Cook, Gordon Gregory.

Christmas Songs "Good King Wenceslas" and "Good Christian Men" by Grades V—VII, Soloists, Shirlie MacKay and Jimmie Walker.

Exercise "Twelve Naughty Boys" by Gordon Notting, Merrill Brown, Rowan Beer, Robert Seamen, Alder Swan, John Llewellyn, David Llewellyn, Frankie Gormley, Kenneth Burns, Kenneth Coles, Walter MacIntyre, Jackie Ferguson.

Duet, "Don't Wait Til the Night Before Christmas" by Ena and Edward Bertram.

Rose Drill by Eleanor Bell, Betty Puncher, Jean Murphy, Helen MacLean, Joyce Coles, Vaunda Buell, Betty Cook, Jean MacGregor, Georgie Nichol, Dorothy Peardon, Florence Rowe, Alice MacDonald, Vera MacKay.

Song, "White Christmas" by Grades VIII—X, Soloist: Betty Puncher.

Song "Silent Night" Grades V—X. (Two-part harmony).

Arrival of Santa.

The National Anthem.

Music under the direction of Mr. Roy Mugford.

WARREN GROVE SCHOOL CONCERT

On the evening of Dec. 19th, a very enjoyable concert was presented by the pupils of Warren Grove School in the North River Hall. After opening remarks by the chairman, Rev. A.E. Todd, the following program was presented with Mrs. John Thorne presiding at the organ.

Chorus: School, Christmas Sleigh.

Recitation: Wayne Ladner.

Drill: Nine pupils, Christmas Thought.

Solo: Hang out the front door key, Stewart Vickerson (encored).

Dialogue: The Mail Order Hat, six pupils.

Recitation: This Years Request, Doreen Vickerson.

Duet: Madam, I've Come to Marry You, Marjorie Sanderson, and Verna Younker (encored).

Dialogue: Wanted, A Housekeeper, —eight pupils.

Recitation: Letter To Santa, —three boys.

Solo: Make Room In Your Heart For a Friend — Dorothy Corbett (encored).

Dialogue: The Colored Santa, six pupils.

Recitation: Soap The Oppressor—Raymond Vickerson.

Intermission: Instrumental Music.

Chorus: Christmas Bells by School.

Dialogue: A Quiet Evening with the Radio—four pupils.

Duet: Sioux City Sue— Marjorie Sanderson, and Dorothy Corbett. (encored).

Pantomime: Silent Night —three girls.

Recitation: There's Always A Reason—Ruth Corbett.

Dialogue: Proposal—Two pupils.

Solo: Santa Claus Has Come to Town—Janette Owen (encored).

Recitation: Curosity, Alice Kneebone.

Cowboy Scene: Group singing of cowboy songs by several pupils.

Solo: Two Sweethearts — Verna Younker (encored).

Closing chorus: Parcel Packing Santa by School.

Remarks by chairman who paid a fine tribute to the efforts of pupils, teachers, organist and others who helped to make the concert the success it proved to be.

Santa then arrived on the scene much to the merriment of the younger set and presented teacher and pupils with many nice gifts from the Christmas tree, also a treat of candy, nuts and oranges to the pupils and younger children by the teacher. Lunches were then served by the ladies of the Institute.

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Honor roll for the month of November:—

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Grade VIII—1. Jean Stewart, 2. Annie Horton; 3. Eva Jenkins.

Grade VI—1. Shirley Myers; 2. Hudson Jenkins.

Grade V—1. Ann MacPhail.

Grade IV—Preston MacNeill; 2. Joan Trowsdale; 3. Sterling Jenkins.

Grade III—1. Barbara MacPhail, 2 Louise Jenkins.

Grade II—1. Hester MacNeil.

Grade I—(a)—1. Marie Myers; 2. Jack Myers; 3. Lloyn Jenkins

Grade I—(b)—1. Pierce Trowsdale; 2. Milton Jenkins; 3. Eleanor Ferguson.

Grade I—(c)—1. Evelyn Myers; 2. Leonard Myers; 3. Jennie Myers.

Highest average in senior grades, Beth Stewart 90.2 per cent.

Highest average in Junior grades, Hester MacNeill, 90 per cent.

Freda Carver, Teacher.

Honor roll for the month of December:—

Grade X—1. Beth Stewart; 2. Robert Trowsdale.

Grade VII—1. Jean Stewart; 2. Eva Jenkins; 3. Doris Wood

Grade VI—1. Shirley Myers; 2. Scott MacPhail; 3. Hudson Jenkins.

Grade V—1. Ann MacPhail.

Grade IV—1. Joan Trowsdale; 2. Preston MacNeill; 3. Sterling Jenkins.

Grade III—1. Barbara MacPhail; 2. Louise Jenkins.

Grade II—1. Hester MacNeill.

Grade I—(a)—Marie Myers; 2. Dewar Myers; 3. Lloyd Jenkins.

Grade I—(b)—1. Milton Jenkins; 2. Pierce Trowsdale; 3. Eleanor Ferguson.

Grade I—(c)—Evelyn Myers; 2. Leonard Myers; 3. Jennie Myers.

Highest average in Senior grades, Beth Stewart 87.1 per cent.

Highest average in Junior grades, Marie Myers 95 per cent.

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MONTGOMERY SCHOOL CONCERT

On Monday evening, December 23rd., the pupils of Montgomery school presented their Christmas concert to a large number of ratepayers and visitors under the direction of their teacher Miss Audrey Howard. The school was nicely decorated for the occasion and a beautiful Christmas tree laden with gifts for teacher, pupils and visitors, stood in the corner. The following programme was carried out which, judging by the applause of those present, was enjoyed by all. Miss Leita MacLean acted as chairman.

Welcome Recitation, by Douglas Smith.

Welcome Drill by seven pupils.

Chorus, Ring Merry Bells.

Recitation, Pearls of Wisdom by Chris Sabine.

Dialogue, Sales Resistance.

Recitation, Mrs. Santa Claus by Ethel Smith.

Recitation, Wondering by Warren MacLean.

Song by Geraldine and Gertrude MacDonald, Encore.

Dialogue, Cinderella-Up-To-Date.

Chorus, Where Do You Live Santa Claus?

Recitation, Christmas by Annie Lou Sabine.

Monoloque, The Day After Christmas by Audrey MacDonald.

Song by Geraldine and Gertrude MacDonald, Encore.

Monologue, Composition of Animals by Edison MacDonald.

Recitation, Message from Santa by Gertrude MacDonald.

Goodnight Drill by eight pupils.

Goodnight Recitation by Handford MacDonald.

The guitar accompaniment for songs was furnished by the teacher, then Santa Claus appeared and presented each of the pupils with a treat and a gift from the teacher. There were also numerous gifts for the visitors and for the pupils from their little friends. The Women's Institute gave to each child present a lovely treat of fruit. The teacher was also the recipient of many lovely gifts from the children and friends as well as a beautiful string of pearls from the parents. The people then departed to their homes, well pleased with the night's entertainment.

RICE POINT SCHOOL CONCERT

The annual Christmas concert of Rice Point School was presented on December 18th., to a large but attentive audience, which filled the school to overflowing.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Miss Gamble, on her first Christmas concert, for the remarkable way in which she trained her pupils.

Much credit is due Mr. John MacDonald who so capably acted as chairman.

The following was the program:

Opening Chorus by school.

Welcome by Wayne MacEachern.

The Christmas Story by Reta MacDonald.

Dialogue, Christmas Disappointment.

Recitation, Christmas Baking by Ella MacEachern.

Song, Mountain Dew.

Recitation by Marina MacEachern.

Reading by Reta MacDonald.

Dialogue, Cat Pie.

Song by Connie MacEachern and Helen McDougall.

Recitation, Kerchoo by Ruth MacDougall.

Dialogue, Annoying Interruptions

Chorus by school, Jingle Bells.

Step Dance.

Recitation, Christmas Story by Ella MacEachern.

Song, While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks by Night by four girls.

Recitation, Christmas Shopping by Wayne MacEachern.

Carols by four girls.

Dialogue, Sparkin' Mary Jane.

Closing Chorus by school, Goodnight.

Farewell by Ruth McDougall.

Santa Claus, personfied by Mr. John B. MacDonald in his usual jovial manner distributed gifts from a beautifully decorated tree to pupils and teacher.

Mrs. Rankin MacLean in a few well chosen words congratulated pupils and teacher for a very successful evening's entertainment, which was seconded by Mrs. John B. MacDonald. The teacher thanked pupils and parents for their help and co-operation. The children were treated to bars and fruit by the teacher.

The singing of the National Anthem brought the concert to a close

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