

# Around The Town

Jake Neal returned Tuesday from Phoenix where he went on business.

William Epperson and Jesse Barksdale were Kingman visitors Tuesday.

F. J. Fleming, of Oatman, is visiting in Prescott.

Wm. C. Fastnow is spending a few days on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weihe, of Los Angeles are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wunderlich.

Charlie Dutton returned from a business trip to the coast last Saturday.

M. B. Dudley departed to Phoenix this morning, where he will attend to important business.

Ed Duncan is taking the place of Austin Reed on the Central Commercial Co. delivery truck.

John Allen Ware was called to Los Angeles Tuesday on account of his wife's illness.

Allen E. Ware went to Los Angeles Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with his wife and son, Edwin.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Phelps entertained a group of young people at their home Wednesday evening.

Gordon Mills is now driving the laundry wagon for the Mohave Steam Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Devine returned home last Tuesday after spending a pleasant vacation on the coast.

Dr. R. M. Tafel has returned from San Francisco where he went to study under Dr. Adams.

L. R. Fitch spent several days in the hospital last and this week with a threatened case of blood poisoning.

Stewart Thompson returned Wednesday night from the coast where he was called on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Toler White left Saturday for the coast where Dr. White will spend a few days recuperating from a recent illness.

The Central Commercial Company was the first store in Kingman to put in their Christmas window display. And it certainly is worth seeing.

Mrs. Gordon Castelberry and daughter, Laura May, of Oatman, were visiting Mrs. Castelberry's sister, Mrs. Brough.

Mrs. Barney Ricca who has been very ill at the Mohave County Hospital is showing some improvement in her condition since last Friday.

The Tarr, McComb and Ware Commercial Company have moved their warehouse and machinery loading platform to the east end of town.

Mrs. A. J. Primm who has spent the past few months with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Neal at Chicken Springs, left this week for Hollywood where she will remain for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens are in from their ranch on the Sandy. Mr. Stephens has just passed through a serious spell of pleurisy but is O. K. again now.

M. and Mrs. D. F. Meredith, of Chloride, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. J. W. Prisk and family, in Kingman. Mrs. Meredith will visit here during the balance of the week.

Austin Reed, former employee at the Central Commercial company, left Wednesday for Glendale, California, where he will secure a position in one of the stores.

Frances Harris lost a wrist watch last week which was valued by her on account of it being a keepsake. She advertised for it in last Friday's Miner and Saturday morning early it was returned.

R. H. Hayward returned from the coast Sunday morning, leaving Mrs. Hayward and daughter in Long Beach. Mrs. Hayward was called to that city on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Brough of Oatman are the happy parents of a baby girl, born to them Monday, November 27th, at the Mohave County Hospital. The young lady is to bear the name of Helen Inez.

Last Saturday night the High School second team and the town team played a game of basketball at the high school gym, the high school boys being the losers by two points. The score was 27 to 29.

Mrs. Harry Duke of Oatman was in Kingman last Tuesday on business. Earl Duke formerly with Black & Ellis left Thursday for Casa Grande, Arizona, where he will take charge of a garage.

The Epworth League meeting was very successful last Sunday and promises to be good this coming Sunday. Everyone is invited to be there at 6:45 and enjoy the Christian Fellowship of the Leaguers.

Mr. and Mrs. Merville Mills went to Flagstaff Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Mills' parents. Miss Teresa Bo Hays was born last Friday, November 24, to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hays of Kingman.

Arthur Sugars, who is now assistant trainmaster, stationed at Kingman, is remembered by many Mohave County people. Mr. Sugars was conductor on the Santa Fe running through here 15 years ago.

Mrs. J. L. Perrill, who has been visiting in Kansas all summer and fall, has returned to her home in Katherine. Mrs. Perrill's sister, Miss Josephine Lewis, returned here with her to spend the winter.

The Kingman school pupils are enjoying a two days vacation from the regular routine of the school year. Tom Devine is busy remodeling the lobby of the Beale Hotel. He plans to put in an up-to-date fountain and service room.

Byron Duncan had an accident this week that came near costing him his left eye. One end of a pole hit by some rushing cattle did the damage. Mr. Duncan was knocked down but was soon on his feet again. The pole just missed his eye.

Ernest Sirbeck, graduate prescription druggist, is the latest addition to the Kingman Drug Company's force made by James Sharpe. Mr. Sirbeck who was formerly from El Paso, was with the Oatman Drug Company just previous to his coming here.

Frank W. Dryden, who recently visited in this county, accompanied by his daughter, has gone back to Yavapai county, where he is the superintendent of the Howard Copper mines. Mr. Dryden was formerly the superintendent of the Boundary Cone Mining company, at Oatman.

A. L. Runyan this week brought in from the Hibernia mine several wonderful samples of copper-silver ore. The breast of ore is now about 16 inches wide and carried exceptionally high value. The vein is about three feet thick and carries values throughout, but the rich streak is possibly the richest body opened in the Walapai mountains.

## NEWS FROM CHLORIDE

Last week your correspondent was engaged in a very bitter struggle with Mr. (or Mrs.) Flu, or some of the relatives of that family and it kept him too busy to say one word. Anyhow, there seemed to be little to say, as things have almost ceased to happen anymore and it is just the steady grind of every day life running on, which no newspaper ever reports.

They did have a small turkey shoot Sunday, shooting off eight birds. W. A. Epperson, S. P. Hall, Joe Ausenhus, John Shull, Chas. Hervey and Don Barksdale being among the lucky winners that we have heard of.

Curt Tatum brought in a bunch of cattle from Round Valley a few days ago.

Herman Schroeder, who arrived here a couple of weeks ago, and had been stopping with John Riggs, was taken to Kingman by Frank Meredith and Jack Weimer last week. It seems that Mr. Schroeder has been suffering from some sort of mental disorder for several years and has not yet recovered, and it was thought best to take him where he could have skilled medical examination and attention.

There is a rumor afoot that parties are making an examination of the Tennessee mine.

Mrs. Ralph Van Denberg, of Casper, Wyo., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Luper.

L. G. Nuttycombe has purchased and just moved into the Charley McDonald place.

Mrs. Al Lambert is in looking over her property.

Parents-Teachers Association meets a week from Friday night. Good work can be done in these meetings if every one will come out and do his share, and it is planned to have a little entertainment also as we go along in the way of music, etc.

### NO MORE TAX EXEMPT LIBERTIES

Next year the tax exemption of the Liberty bonds will expire under the Liberty Loan Act. It will be noted that the sale of Liberties had to be made inviting to the large buyers and as a result the purchasers of \$5,000 lots were exempted from income taxes and purchasers of \$50,000 lots were exempt for five years. Next year closes the exemption period and the owners of Liberty bonds will have to pay Uncle Sam their pro rata of governmental upkeep. It is the general impression that Liberties will become inviting to small investors and the big fellows, owing to the income tax levy will have to let loose of millions of bonds. It is better thus. The little fellow should hold as much of the governmental securities as possible.

## CHURCH NOTICES

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL MISSION**  
Rev. H. H. Gillies, Rector  
Sunday, Dec. 3rd. First Sunday in Advent.  
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon. Rev. Canon Bertrand R. Cocks will speak at both morning and evening service.  
7:45 P. M. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher Rev. Canon Cocks.  
Monday, Dec. 4th.

At 8:00 P. M. on Monday evening there will be a meeting of the members and friends of the parish in the Parish House to discuss such matters as may be of interest. If possible be present at this meeting as it is of great importance to the Church in the coming year.

**ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Sunday, Dec. 3rd.  
Mass will be said at the upstairs of the Parish House at 10:00 A. M.  
FR. HOOTSMANS.

**ST. JOHNS METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Rev. T. H. Dodd, Minister.  
Church School 10 A. M.  
Morning Worship and Sermon 11 A. M.  
Subject: "Advent".  
Epworth League Service 6:45 P. M.  
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.  
Subject: "The Famous Astrologers".

**PRELUDE:**  
1. Is there such a thing as a "lucky wedding ring?"  
2. Does a young woman improve her prospects of marriage by a college education?  
3. If temperaments do not agree, should married people separate?  
4. Do you believe in astrology? Are we really influenced by the stars?  
5. Is it wrong through spiritualistic seances, etc. to pry in to the secrets of life beyond the grave?  
6. Etc, etc.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.  
Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "God, the Only Cause and Creator". Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening Testimonial at 7:30. Chapel on Spring St.

**LADIES-ALTAR SOCIETY**  
There will be a meeting of the Ladies Altar Society on Monday, Dec. 4th at 7:30 P. M. at the Parish House.  
FR. HOOTSMANS.

## YUCCA NOTES

O. A. Eshom, wife and son were Kingman visitors last Monday.

Neal Bros. and W. H. Munds and others shipped five cars of cattle, mostly steers, last Saturday. The bulk going to San Diego. We are told prices run \$25, \$35, \$45. Much of the stuff was weighed.

Telly Bland's shipment of cattle has been delayed owing to the car shortage.

Yucca is very busy now with so much construction work going on. Several strangers around, and three new families.

Preparations for Thanksgiving seem very limited. Really one should be thankful every day and not try to load it all into twelve short hours.

The families of H. W. Munds and Ivan Neal will celebrate Thanksgiving jointly.

Mr. Franklin Hopkins who arrived in Yucca the first of the month from Chicago died in the hospital at Kingman last Saturday. He was a sufferer from tubercular throat trouble contacted from ulcerated teeth. Mrs. Hopkins and her sister Mrs. Munds accompanied him to the hospital at Kingman and everything possible was done for his comfort. His father came out from Grand Rapids in answer to a telegram, and he and Mrs. Hopkins accompanied the body to that place where interment will be made. The sympathy of Yucca folks is extended to those who are bereaved and we all realize such afflictions seem a wee bit harder coming at this time.

**RADIUM PRICES CUT**  
The price of radium has been cut \$50,000 per gram, but it will not cause a rush to purchase among the newspaper men of the country. Radium is now a necessity to the medical profession of the country and it is possible that experiments with this wonderful salt may give it a still more stable place in the scientific world.

Some day we expect a greater field will be opened, which will make it possible the reduction of the metal to a point where it will be available for use throughout the land. Of course, the popular belief that radium holds potential heat and light units, which may be given off without impairing or reducing the value of the material, is all bosh, but it may develop into curative properties that will curtail the inroads of malignant diseases on the human system, which would be a boon to mankind.

## MUSICAL PROGRAM OF THE THURSDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

The new department of music is proving one of the most delightful features of the Thursday Afternoon Club work.

On the evening of November 27, the second meeting of this department was held in the club room and a most inspiring program was rendered. Every number was by an American composer and we have reason to be proud of musical America.

The Negro Lullabye sung by Vera Carr, Marcella Mills, Odella Mills, Ione Ferguson, Florence Anderson and Lois Gates was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Is there in all the world, sweeter music than the half melody half humorous airs of the negro?

Aren't some of the Kingman men lucky to have real artists to perform for them the homely duties of washing their dishes and serving their meals? Take Mr. George Burns for instance—his the privilege of listening just any old time to what the public regards as a rare treat and we did have that treat in Mrs. Burns' two songs, "Bobolink Song" by Bishop and "Sweetest Fellow" by Nevin.

The next number was a piano solo, "Shervo" and "Shepherds All and Maidens Fair", played by Mrs. Carl L. Smith. It was lovely.

Miss Blanche Parsons gave a short talk on "Popular Music in America" bringing out the point that popular music need not necessarily be jazz as we are prone to think of it, and citing a number of selections for mvarious operas that usage has put into the class of popular music.

"Opera in America", a paper by Mrs. Tafel was very instructive and written in Mrs. Tafel's inimitable style.

Mrs. E. F. Robinson sang two lovely songs, "Invocation" and "The Star" by Rogers.

We were disappointed in not receiving from Mrs. Charles Lewis the "Paper on Musical Opportunities in America". Mrs. Lewis is always so thorough and well informed we miss her very much since she moved from our midst.

And now let us tell you about Mrs. Charles Moore and her two songs. She looked like a girl who had just stepped off of a magazine cover—honestly, and her voice would make a canary "sit up and take notice". She prefaced her selection, "The Gypsy Trail" by Galloway, by reading a short paper on the habits and customs of the Gypsy and her "Over the Hills" by a short sketch of the life of La Bente, the composer.

Mrs. Ora Thompson's piano solo, "Polka de Concert" by H. Bartlett, was masterfully rendered. We heard a musician in the audience whisper, "There are five sharps in that piece!" We didn't know anything about that but we did know that it was full of melody and skillfully played—but she was mean and wouldn't come back!

"Rock-a-Bye" and "Good Night Song" by our little starlets, Vera, Ione, Marcella, Odella, Florence and Lois all dressed in their nighties and carrying lighted candles and their dolls were as cute as could be.

And then for the real fun! We all sang "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia", and because this was our last meeting before Xmas, we sang "Silent Night", that loveliest of hymns, and "Good Bye Ladies"—or the others did, we couldn't manage the last without climbing up on the piano or some high place but some of those voices can soar to the heights to beat Henry Ford. That's "goin' some!"

Just received a large shipment of the wonderful remedy, Tanlac. This is the great medicine you have been hearing so much about. The remedy that's made such a wonderful reputation and which has accomplished such remarkable results all over the United States and Canada. Get your bottle now at Kingman Drug Co. (Adv.)

## Everybody's Doing it. What? Collecting Keys

The more keys you have the better your chance of winning the handsome set of Community Plate on display in our window.

Every purchase of 50c at the Rexall Store carries a key. The holder of the magic key which opens the lock will get the Prize No strings to the contest, and a chance for everyone. The set of Silver is a 61-piece set, guaranteed 50 years, and sells for \$125.00. You would be proud to own it. This is second week of contest. If you haven't started collecting keys, better get busy. Tell you more about it at the store.

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## EASTERN STAR CELEBRATES THEIR EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Last week the following invitations were received by all of the members of the Kingman Eastern Star Chapter.

Order of the Eastern Star Birthday Party of Kingman Chapter. This birthday party is given to you: 'Tis something novel, 'tis something new;

We send to each a little sack Please either send or bring it back, With so many cents as you are old; We promise the number shall not be told.

The "Sisters" will give you something to eat And "Brothers" will furnish a musical treat.

The Eastern Star members with greetings so hearty Feel sure you will attend their "Birthday Party".

All of the members were sure of a jolly good time, knowing the person of the committee on arrangements and were present unless they were sick or out of town.

After the regular business of the chapter Mrs. Ned Robinson, costumed in an old-fashioned frock of the '60s, sang beautifully, "A Medley of Old Songs." The Grand March was then played and all of the members deposited their little bags of pennies in a large box which was tastily decorated with pink, pleted crepe paper and a beautiful bow on the top of it. The leaders of the Grand March happened to know where the dining room was and they started for it. The artistic arrangement of the tables and the beautiful decorations spoke loudly for the credit of the committee which had charge. The two long tables were placed a short distance apart and connecting them in the center was a small table which held the large 3 tier Birthday Cake, the gift of Mrs. Raymond Carr. Then bordering the large tables and at each mem-

## HIGH SCHOOL PLAY POSTPONED

Due to a delay in the preparation of the costumes, Windmills of Holland will not turn until next Friday night, meanwhile the members of the Glee Club are getting their parts down pat. The Glee Club is giving this play to help in the purchase of a Victrola for the auditorium.

The scene is laid in Holland, where an American drummer tries to sell some modern machinery to an old Dutch mill owner, meanwhile he meets the old Dutchman's daughter, and then the fun begins. Come, and you will enjoy many a hearty laugh.

The dance to be given by the Rebecas New Year's Eve is going to be worth attending. (Adv.)

bers plate was a small candle placed in a hollow, wax rose which was upheld by a tiny birthday cake representing the 8th birthday of the Kingman Chapter of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. W. L. Linville and the Worthy Patron, Mr. Carl Walters took their places at the small table which held the cake. Mrs. Linville at that time reading many greetings from local members who were absent and members who reside in the far corners of the earth. These greetings were written in both prose and poetry and many interesting and appropriate thoughts were conveyed in them.

During the evening the members ate when they were given the opportunity. For every once in a while some one would start up some old familiar song. There was nothing formal but just a general good time conducted by ladies who know how to prepare a good time for themselves and their friends.

The final event of the evening was to be the singing of Auld Lang Syne.



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