

Teensters

Union No. 1

By PAM REED

Dear "Unionites": Here's an "open letter" to all the teenagers of Lincoln County and, in fact, wherever the Lincoln County News reaches—and that, I find, is pretty far out! Let's face it: I'm no writer, and the fact of the matter is, writing is quite a chore for me and I need help from your Teensters. I have quite a struggle with my English compositions and I know I'm sometimes a "trial" to my teacher. What I'm trying to say is that unless you Teensters keep the letters coming, I just can't get this column written each week. No letters so far this week

(and this is Monday night). Oh, yes! I did get one short note from "The Voice of Experience" for which I'm very grateful. He's the same gentleman who wrote in the week before last and signed himself "A Citizen"—but he is not a Teenager and although we still welcome all and any letters, we'd prefer to have them from Teenagers. The only way I can continue this column is by the number of letters indicating interest in it—that we receive for publication. It's up to you, do you, or don't you? Love, Pam.

NOGAL NEWS

By ROSALIE DUNLAP

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Witham and Bobby spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hayes in El Paso. Mrs. Pearl Stearns spent Thanksgiving week end with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Adams of San Angelo, Texas. Mr. Adams brought Mrs. Stearns and Irma back to Nogal. He returned Tuesday, while Irma will stay here visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forsythe and sons of Longmont, Colo., spent Thanksgiving day with his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Forsythe. They enjoyed a delicious Thanksgiving dinner at Mesalero. That evening all the Forsythes but Ralph left for Albuquerque to visit other relatives. On Sunday, Mrs. Ralph Forsythe returned home and the Jack Forsythes returned to their home in Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sitton and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zumwalt were Thanksgiving dinner guests of the Dunlaps. Over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Dick McKinley of Portales visited the Dunlaps. Mr. and Mrs. John LaMay and family spent Thanksgiving day at Alamogordo with Mrs. LaMay's sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs.

Entertain personnel of Ruidoso Ranger Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peebles assisted by his parents, the Charles Peebles, entertained at a barbecue Sunday afternoon at the Jim McEuen's. The venison was prepared at Sid's Barbecue Pit. Potato salad, cold slaw, baked beans and all that goes to make a delicious meal made up the menu. The following guests attended: The J. B. Hightower family, Jim McEuen family, and Sid's Barbecue family of Alto; Sam Sinclair family, Don Schultz, Sam Wolfstein, the Kennedy, Claude Hobbs family, Herbert L. Traylor family and Pat Willingham of Ruidoso, and Roder Pope of Ruidoso Downs.

Mrs. John Smith hostess to Claunch Ladies Club

The Ladies Club of Claunch met Friday, Dec. 4, in the home of Mrs. John Smith, hostess. Fourteen members were present and four visitors. The visitors were Mrs. Claude Sorrels, who was a member before moving away, Mrs. F. O. Sorrels of Big Spring, Tex., Peggie Maxwell of Tularosa and Nelda Bussy of Alamogordo. The work for the day was quilting for the hostess and names were drawn for 1950 "Secret Pals." The club will have a Christmas party the afternoon of December 18 in the home of Mrs. Berle Tally. There is a mystery box drawing every first Friday. Mrs. Claude Sorrels was the lucky one this drawing.

Woman's Club in Friday meeting

The December meeting of the Carrizozo Woman's Club will be held this Friday, Dec. 11, at 2 p.m., at the club house. Mrs. J. T. Clegg will have charge of the program for the afternoon. Gifts will not be exchanged between members this year. Instead, members are asked to bring gifts to be sent to the hospital in Las Vegas or to the children's home at Las Lunas. The Woman's Club wishes to take this opportunity to thank all the merchants and townspeople for their cooperation in helping to make the district convention of Women's Clubs, held here in November, the huge success it was. Hostesses this Friday will be the Meses. Pat Murphy, A. W. Gnatkowski and Lloyd Harte. All members are urged to attend and bring gifts for the hospital or for the children's home.

Wedding shower honors Clara Nell Burns

Miss Clara Nell Burns was honored at a pre-nuptial shower on Sunday, December 5, at 2:30 in the afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall. After the entertainment, Miss Burns opened her gifts from a decorated table, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Elbert Burns from Roswell and her fiancé's mother, Mrs. W. H. Rickerson of Carrizozo. The bride-to-be received a variety of beautiful gifts. The refreshment table was lovely, with a tiered wedding cake, miniature bride and groom, and candles. Refreshments of lime float, cake, nuts and candies were served by the hostesses: Jonette Nowell, Barbara Turner, Maxine Roberts and Alma Sherrill. Miss Burns' wedding to Harry Rickerson will take place Friday, December 11 at 2:30 p.m. in the Trinity Methodist Church in Carrizozo. Miss Burns is a graduate of Carrizozo High School, class of 1959.

Friendship Circle of Baptist Church has Christmas party

Sixteen members of the Friendship Circle of the First Baptist Church in Carrizozo held their monthly meeting December 7 at 8:30 p.m. in the dining hall of the church, with Mrs. Dorothy Ely and Mrs. Catherine Baker co-hostesses. The dining hall and tables were decorated in the Christmas motif. Mrs. Margaret Ball, teacher of the class, made red and green cloth napkins as favors. All enjoyed a delicious dinner. Mrs. Madeline McDaniel had charge of the devotional and presented a story "I Was an Inn Keeper." Members exchanging gifts were the Meses. Margaret Ball, Marjory Burns, Belle Boyer, Edna Carl, Birdie Walker, Madeline McDaniel, Mary Hoover, Irene Young, Edith Leonard, Pearl Adams, Emma Swift, Nettie Berry, Minnie Nell, Eunice McBride, Dorothy Ely and Catherine Baker.

ALTO BRIEFS

By ALLEN LINDAMOOD
Last Monday Charles and Lawrence Peebles went to Roswell on a business trip.
Captain and Mrs. Troy Brooks and children Terry and Rusty visited her parents, Mrs. Ernest Bloods, last week. He will leave Ft. Smith, Ark., very soon for foreign duty in Germany and Mrs. Brooks and the children will go over in about six months. If plans work out, the Bloods will go over some time during the next four years for a visit.
Mrs. William Galtner and Anna were in Thursday while they were in the community from Carrizozo on the Fama Census work. The George Dingwalls were in Carrizozo Wednesday of last week. The Ray Downes from Lubbock spent a few days last week with the Slay Family.
Mrs. J. B. Hightower and sons Billy and David Wayne visited the Charles Harringtons in Alamogordo last week.
Robert Creel came up Sunday from Carrizozo.
Mr. and Mrs. William Dingwall of El Paso stopped by to see the George Dingwalls on their way home from California where they also visited the Donald Dingwall in Van Nuys.
The George Hightowers left on Wednesday for Silver City after a visit with his mother, Mrs. W. N. Hightower. Friday, Mrs. W. N. Hightower went to Alamogordo with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Harrington, for a long stay and will go out to Silver City later for a stay with the George Hightowers. In the spring we'll be happy to welcome her back to her home at Alto.

Serves in Marines at Yuma air station

Yuma, Ariz. (FITTING)—Marine Acting Cpl. James K. Houston, son of Mrs. Ballo B. Graham of El Rancho Courts, Ruidoso, is serving at the Marine Corps Auxiliary Air Station in Yuma, Ariz.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the people of the Hondo-Ruidoso Valley for the many cards and expressions of sympathy after the passing of our father, Felix Salgado, of La Jara, Colorado.

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