

FIRST BAPTIST JUNIOR PARTY

Junior children of First Baptist Sunday School made the acquaintance of Santa Claus at a Christmas Tree party in the Sunday School room Monday afternoon which also included a program of recitations and singing.

A decorated Christmas tree and lighted wreaths set the Yule atmosphere in the hall.

The party was the second held by the Baptist Sunday School within the last week. The party for the senior division was held last Friday night.

One small, but fervent admirer of Santa Claus expressed a wish to kiss the old gentleman, to the delight of the other children and parents, backed down at the last minute because "the stuff on Santa's face." Ice cream and cookies were served to the children and parents after the gifts were distributed.

James A. Greer, Jr. Off For Okinawa

James A. Greer, Jr. of the United States Army fire fighting branch of the service, known to many in Prince Rupert, expects to leave San Francisco soon for the island of Okinawa, scene of one of the deadliest battles of the Pacific War.

In writing to a local pal, from his home in Deming, New Mexico, Greer said he would have preferred to return to Prince Rupert and Alaska but, orders were orders. So it's the historic life in the far Pacific for him. He lived in Prince Rupert throughout the war, and held a high opinion of the people and the North, generally.

Greer is a printer-operator by trade, but likes combating fires as well that he practically abandoned the print shops to join the army. He estimates he has travelled 23,000 miles in going to and from government fire fighting jobs. His 80-year-old father publishes a weekly paper in New Mexico.

Divorces Popular

Eighty-six marriages were dissolved in a week in Supreme Court in Vancouver. Twenty-one decrees were granted in a single day. One petition reads as follows: Roberta I. Hunt, Terrance, married in 1943 to Dean Hunt, 211 West Fifteenth.



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BATTERY HOLDS TURKEY SHOOT

At the annual turkey shoot of the 120th Heavy Battery, R.C.A. held in the armory Monday night winners were Gunner T. A. Paavola in the first group and Gunner William Finlayson in the second group. Winners in the officers', warrant officers and sergeants' group was Capt. A. D. Vance.

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MOOSE LADIES SPONSOR PARTY

STEWART—Stewart Chapter, Women of the Moose, were hosts to men of the Moose Lodge and other guests at a Christmas party at the week-end. The front door of the Moose Home was brightened by a lighted Christmas tree which guided the guests to the function.

Following carols, games and the distribution of gifts by a feminine voiced Santa Claus, guests and members enjoyed a dinner in the banquet room.

There were short addresses by Senior Regent Jean Stewart of the ladies' Chapter and by Mr. Russwurm and Mr. Smithson of the men's lodge.

Train Schedule

For the East—
Monday, Wednesday, Friday—
8 p.m.
From the East—
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday—
10:45 p.m.

YULE PARTY ON C.N.R. VESSEL

Christmas afloat will be the experience of a group of 13 passengers aboard the Canadian National coastal steamer Prince Rupert which docked here today. The 13 are making the round trip to Ketchikan for the thrill of spending the Yule season on board ship.

According to William Cruikshank, local passenger agent, a much larger number of round-trippers will be aboard the Prince Rupert next week

and will spend New Year's eve and day on the vessel. Special entertainment is planned for both occasions by the ships officers and crew.

Mennonites Moving

GOULDTOWN, Sask.—As soon as transportation can be arranged, it is the intention of 23 Mennonite families to leave this west-central Saskatchewan district for Paraguay, in South America. No definite reason for the migration is known.

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