

Air Force Planes Roar Over Portland Area

PORTLAND — Air Force planes roared over the Portland area Thursday in a joint exercise of the Strategic Air and Air Defense Commands.

The exercise began early in the morning as SAC planes acting as "hostile bombers" made simulated "bomb runs" over the Portland target area.

Before noon, F-89 Scorpion Jets of the 480th Fighter-Interceptor Squadron, stationed at the Portland International Airport, had "scrambled" 28 times to go up to meet the mock raiders.

Lt. Col. Younger A. Pitts, new Portland Air Base commander, said the exercise "had been an extremely favorable mission from the air defense standpoint."

Exercises such as this are carried out periodically to test the effectiveness of air defense measures, Pitts said.

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Sutherlin Fair Oaks Grange Visited By Three Other Granges

Fair Oaks Grange of Sutherlin was surprised Tuesday evening by four members from South Deer Creek, ten from Evergreen and two from South Umpqua Granges who made a visitation.

John Landers, Evergreen Master was presented to the Master and was seated at the Masters station as a guest officer. Maggie Francis, home economic chairman, thanked the members for the food and help given for the Timber Days booth and announced that the money received would be added to the building fund. She stated that Betty Thornton would be hostess for the home economic meeting Aug. 20, and Teresa Wilson and Velma Brauningner would be hostesses for the potluck Aug. 27.

Agriculture chairman, Lester Harrison said in his report that farmers are holding their own in investments and buildings, that farm exports had increased by 40 per cent and imports down 7 per cent. He also stated that cone picking would be good this season and the price would be about the same as last year.

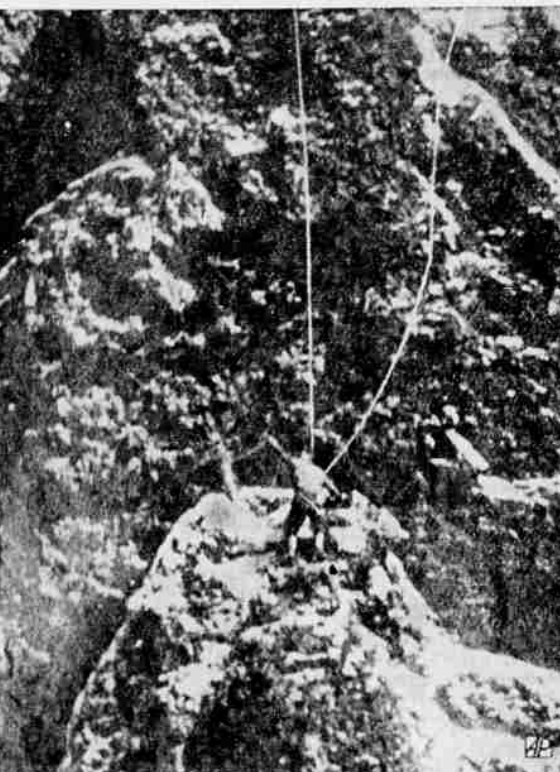
Fred Brauningner, Timber Days chairman, said that a meeting would be held Aug. 23 and that any one interested could attend. It was estimated that about 3,000 people were at the grounds Sunday and he wished to extend to all the men who helped him many thanks. A letter was read from Grace Croft, Pomona Grange secretary, congratulating the Fair Oaks Grange on having the most members present at the July Pomona Grange meeting and they received a \$10 prize. A letter was received from the Odd Fellows thanking the grange for the loan of their chairs for the queen's banquet and also one from Mrs. Edna Campbell for the card sent her while she was ill.

The Chester Williams' invited all members to attend the open house birthday party for Mrs. Hetta Beswick, mother of Mrs. Williams. It was announced that the bloodmobile would be in Sutherlin Sept. 27 and would be sponsored by the Fair Oaks Grange to be held at the IOOF Hall in Sutherlin.

Members of the various Granges gave short talks after which grange closed and a social hour was held with refreshments being served by the hostesses, Teresa Wilson, and Velma Brauningner, reports correspondent Mrs. Brittain Slack.



LEONA GETS HER JOB—Leona Gage, who was Miss U. S. A. for a day, poses for her husband, Gene Ennis, with their two sons, Gene Jr., 3 (standing) and Nathan, 2. Leona, who said she lied about being married when she entered the Miss Universe contest so she could earn money for her family, is rehearsing for her first night club appearance at the Hotel Tropicana in Las Vegas, Nev.



STRANDED CLIMBER — One of four stranded mountain climbers near the top of Eiger mountain in the Swiss Alps, waves to rescue plane which flew alongside Aug. 10. This climber is 300 feet below his companions who are marooned on a higher ledge. Ropes lead to where they are clinging to a vertical rock face about 1,200 feet from the top of the 13,036-foot peak near Grindewald, Switzerland. A concerted effort is being made to reach the stranded men. (AP Wirephoto)

Tread-Rubber Plant Opened In Chehalis
CHEHALIS — The million dollar tread-rubber plant built here by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. was opened formally Thursday with Gov. Rosellini expected to attend. The company said it expected several thousand visitors for guided tours during the eight-hour open house. The plant, with a capacity of 30,000 pounds of tread rubber daily, is the first to be built in a new 137-acre "industrial park" developed to attract industry here. Goodyear said the plant has the capacity to supply recap materials for the entire Pacific Northwest.

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Community News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Biss and son, Dean, of Montague, Calif., visited here last weekend with relatives and friends. They are former residents of this city.

Mrs. Mamie McKay of Winston and Miss Marilyn Hull of Dillard returned recently from a week's stay in San Francisco and Palo Alto, visiting in the latter city with Mrs. McKay's daughter, Mrs. Frank Olson, and family. During their stay, they visited the usual tourist spots in San Francisco and enjoyed a day at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Whelchel returned early this week from a trip to Seattle to greet the Independent Order of Foresters Robin Hood Band after completion of their tour of the Northwest. They accompanied the band members to Roseburg, then saw them off for their home in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakely and daughter, Phyllis, of Eugene, friends of the Whelchels, came down to Roseburg with the band, returning home the same night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Auer traveled to Port Orford last weekend at which time they attended the wedding of the latter's niece, Miss Sandra Boice, to Brooks Wagner. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Court Boice, former residents of Roseburg. The Auers then went to Bandon where they were the guests of Mrs. Auer's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Capps. The party went together to see the 16-mile boat races on the Rogue River from Agness to Illahe and back.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thorman of Bend were weekend visitors in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Webb, 2345 W. Harvard. Thorman has been teaching in the Seventh-day Adventist Church School in Bend for the past two years and will move soon with his family to Portland to teach in the Portland Union Academy School — the Adventist church school for that area. A. D. Butherus, former principal of Roseburg Junior Academy, is principal of the elementary school there.

DISCUSSIONS SET
MANAMA, Bahrain — Discussions are taking place between the Sultan of Muscat and Oman and his field commanders and political advisers on the question of the withdrawal of British troops from Oman, it was announced Thursday. The withdrawals will start within three or four days, it was predicted here. No further news of rebel chafing activities in Oman were received.

The Sacred Heart School of Nursing at Eugene held their annual picnic Thursday and Friday of last week at Tenmile Lake. Mrs. Ellis Gwaltney of this city made the trip as one of the chaperones. Her daughter, Mrs. Frank Perish, is a member of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gwaltney and sons, Dick and Mike, will be going to Eugene Sunday to see the Gwaltneys' daughter, Mrs. Frank Perish (nee Kay Gwaltney) receive her diploma of graduation from Sacred Heart School of Nursing.

Many out-of-town visitors attended the Sabbath services at the local Seventh-day Adventist Church Saturday at which time they heard Elder Don Gray speak on the subject, "The True Christian Need Have No Fear of the Future." Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Arndel Nash, Willows, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hassing, Kirkland, Wash.; Mrs. Arnold Hudson, Miami, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hassenflugg, Gainsville, Texas; Mrs. E. F. Coy, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thorman, Bend; Miss Lundy Owen, Riddle; Don Berk, Myrtle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Leonard, Eureka, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Parks, Loma Linda, Calif.; and Beverly Becker, Eugene. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cornforth who are just moving to Roseburg where they will be teachers in the Adventist church school.

Mrs. Stanley Allison and her sister, Miss Elva Allison, both of Amity, spent a recent weekend here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tate Keith and family. The two women are cousins of Mrs. Keith.

Allan Winter has returned from 2½ years in France where he was stationed with the 60th Station Hospital Unit. He plans to attend the University of Oregon this fall. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Winter, 335 W. Harvard Ave.

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