

# Fall Opening at Silverton to be September 12 Announced

## OPENING TO BE ELABORATE

### Street Dancing to be Climax of Silverton Event Here

SILVERTON, Sept. 6.—Silverton is making elaborate plans for a fall opening and automobile show. The officials of the affair are doing everything possible to make the entire day a huge success in all respects. To that end they have set up three cash prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10; besides preparing scores of other gifts for those coming to Silverton on that day and evening. The stores participating in the opening are giving tickets with each purchase this coming week. The general grand drawing will take place at 9:30 on Friday evening, September 12.

After the grand drawing on Main street a dance orchestra will play and dancing will be free. The streets will be prepared to make dancing pleasant. Gaily colored street lights will give the affair a carnival appearance.

## BLIGHT CAUSES A SHORT ONION CROP

GERVAIS, Sept. 6.—Onion seed growers here are not reporting the crop it was expected at the beginning of the season. J. S. Harper, who has three acres near the Checkerboard, says he will still have more than half a crop due to blight. However, he thinks the blight is caused by the lack of air, as his acreage is at the edge of a timber tract, which breaks the crop from the air which furnishes the oxygen so necessary to a full crop and free from blight. Mr. Harper has a contract for his seeds with a California company.

Mr. Harper also says that he will have 11 acres in 1931, and that between Gervais and Chemawa there will be 100 or more acres for the year 1931. A like number of acres in the same area will be planted for onion sets, Mr. Harper says.

One carload of onion sets have been shipped out of Gervais this week, mostly from the Blaine Brown farm, east of town. It is estimated that about 10 carloads of sets will be cleared through Gervais this fall.

Onion harvest is in full swing also in this section, with a fair crop, but it is said that the market is not very encouraging at this time. Four carloads of wheat were shipped through the warehouse this week, making five carloads from the local point within the six day period.

## A. E. KUENZLI HURT IN BALER ACCIDENT

CENTRAL HOWELL, Sept. 6.—A. E. Kuenzli suffered painful injuries Friday while operating a baler. The crew was baling straw when in some way the Jackson fork hit Kuenzli, knocking him over on the block, one leg going into the plunger.

Had it not been for the presence of mind of Robert Janz, who pulled him back and prevented his going entirely in, his injuries would have been much worse. As it was he has two broken ribs, an injured back and his leg is badly bruised.

## FRANK FLOWERS ACCIDENT VICTIM

INDEPENDENCE, Sept. 6.—Mrs. George Carbury received the sad news of the death of her brother, Frank Flowers, who was accidentally killed while working on a building in Klamath Falls.

Mr. Flowers will be remembered by friends here, as he visited with his sister several times.

Mrs. Carbury left with two brothers from Seattle, early Saturday morning for the scene of the accident. The body will be taken to Ferndale, California for burial.

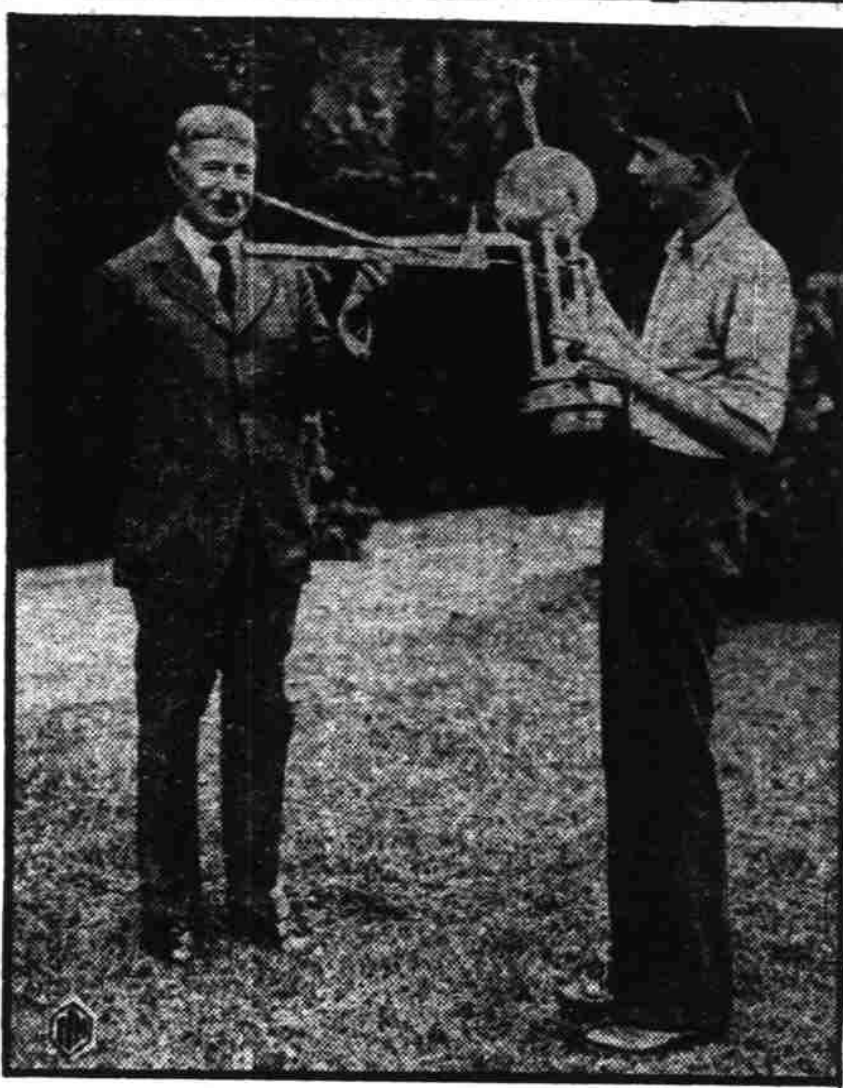
## Airplane Lands In oat Field

GERVAIS, Sept. 6.—An airplane was forced down in the Paul Jones oat field Tuesday, and because of the standing oats it was unable to leave the ground.

A portion of the fence between the Jones farm and the farm occupied by Frank Cannard was removed and the plane pushed over it, and thus it was able to take off. No information was given out as to the cause of the landing, but a pressing invitation was given to the Senior Cannard that "whenever he was around where they were he would be taken for a ride."

KINGWOOD, Sept. 6.—Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Emmett were Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jenks, all of Seattle. Mrs. Thompson is a sister and Mr. Jenks a brother of Mrs. Emmett. Mrs. Emmett's mother, Mrs. C. J. Jenks who has been at the Emmett home since last spring, returned with the visitors to Seattle where she will be for some time.

### AIRCRAFT CHIEF VIEWS MODEL



Frank Salisbury showing his prize-winning model airplane to General Mason M. Patrick, chairman of the advisory board of the District of Columbia model aircraft league. He has

been declared the D. C. model airplane champion for 1930. Salisbury piled up a total of 48 points to win the championship.

## MACLEAY GRANGE TO SPONSOR DANCE

### Proceeds to be Used to Defray Expense of Wiring Grange Hall

RICKEY, Sept. 6.—Plans for the dance to be given Saturday night, September 13, were made at the regular meeting of the Macleay grange Friday night. Milton Kephart, Milton Magee and Margaret Magee were appointed on the arrangement committee and Mrs. H. E. Martin, M. J. Miller Kephart and Mrs. Albert Magee on the refreshment committee. The proceeds will be used to defray the expense of wiring the grange hall.

At the business meeting Frank Bowers of the legislature committee spoke on proposed laws, and A. H. Puestman spoke on the new milk ordinances. Mrs. H. E. Martin of the economic committee also gave a report. A letter was read by the secretary, Mrs. Eva Jones from V. Martin, proprietor of the Macleay store in which Mr. Martin offered material assistance to the grange on entertainments they wish to put on.

During the lecture hour several group songs were sung. Dixie Jones gave a reading entitled "Settle Things," and Hazel Magee gave two piano solos. The balance of the lecture hour was given over to a round table of discussion of present farm conditions and out of the future. The next meeting of the grange will be held the first Friday in October.

## Independence

INDEPENDENCE, Sept. 6.—Mrs. B. D. Johnson of San Francisco arrived here Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. E. Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cook of Valsetz spent a few days at the D. A. Cook home.

Cecil Ruef left the first of the week for Park Rose, just east of Portland, where he will be instructor in the school. This makes the third year for him in this place.

Mrs. Robert Craven and daughter, Phyllis Ann, has gone to Portland to spend several days at the home of her parents. Robert Craven will go to Portland Sunday and they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Craven's sister, who will be married Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Dawes and young son are visiting at the home of her mother at Corbett.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buster of California have been visiting relatives and friends around here for some time. Mr. Buster was in the drug store here a number of years ago.

Mrs. Joe Rogers of Oak Point is running a hop pickers store at the Hedres hop ranch. Picking started in this ranch Monday.

Dr. H. W. Beal returned home from Los Angeles, where he had been for the last two weeks, attending the National Progressive Chiropractic association's annual convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Smith of Salem are assisting in the Oberson cafe during the hop picking rush.

Mrs. S. B. Walker had the misfortune to fall while going down her basement steps and fractured the bones of her left arm above the wrist.

Rev. E. A. Nelson of Rupert, Idaho, will preach in the morning in the Baptist church. Union services will be held in the evening in the Presbyterian church.

## Woodburn

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## Liberty

SCOTT'S MILLS, Sept. 6.—John Geren, who works at Montgomery Ward and company in Portland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Geren, Sunday and Monday. John has been working in Portland all summer and plans

on entering O. S. C. again this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shepherd had as their dinner guests Sunday Rev. Leroy Crocker and family of Salem and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Millard and son, Homer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Magee visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas and family at Lyons Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schaecher visited Mrs. Schaecher's mother, Mrs. Mary Mickens in Mt. Angel Friday.

## MARGARET HALL TO TEACH AT PASO

WOODBURN, September 6.—Miss Margaret Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall, left Thursday for Pasco, Washington, where she will teach home economics and act as dean of girls in the Pasco high school. Miss Hall has been studying at the University of Washington this summer, preparing for a master's degree.

Rex and Kathleen Garrison returned Wednesday evening from a vacation trip to Victoria, British Columbia.

## FORMER RESIDENT VISITS AT TURNER

TURNER, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Emerson Day of Portland was meeting old Turner friends Thursday. At present she says her niece, Miss Loraine, who had made her home in the family for years, is married and her nephew Loren is in high school. Mr. and Mrs. Day made their home near Turner a few years, moving to their present home six years ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tharen Finch returned early in the week from a trip to Iowa.

Harold Asplund, principal of Woodburn grade schools, returned September 1 from Columbia university, in New York, where he has been studying health education, in preparation for school

## EILERS TO COACH AT OREGON STATE

### Star Guard of '26, '27, '28 Is Only New Member Of Staff

AURORA, Sept. 6.—Vernon Eilers of Aurora, star guard on the Oregon State college football team in 1926, '27 and '28, has returned to Corvallis where he will assume his duties as football coach for the coming year. Eilers is the only new man on the coaching staff.

He spent his summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. Eilers on their attractive place on the Willamette river north of town. He received his high school education at Lincoln high in Portland. He was very prominent in athletics then. Playing four years of football, two years of track and one of soccer.

During Eilers' final year of football, he was chosen on several all-star teams for his outstanding playing at the guard position. Among the all-star teams for which he was chosen were Charles Erb's Pacific coast conference all star, Oregon Journal's all-star Pacific coast, United Press composite, Howard Jones' Pacific coast, and the Southern California all-opponent. He is also a champion javelin thrower. Last year Eilers refused an offer to play professional football with the Milwaukee Badgers. As assistant freshman football coach, Eilers will work with Dick Newman, famous Nebraska quarterback.

## TURNER FAMILY VISITS ARLINGTON

TURNER, Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards left Friday morning for Arlington, taking their grandchildren, Mary Jane and brother, Loren, to meet their mother, Mrs. Guy Hobson, who will meet them and take them to their home at Whitney, Oregon. They are returning this week before their school opens next Monday. The children spent their summer vacation with their grandparents and grandmother, Mrs. Hobson of Salem.

The Hobson family formerly lived in Turner, moving to eastern Oregon about two years ago.

work in Woodburn, which will start September 15. Mr. Asplund was given a scholarship for his study in New York.

## Milk Used in Fighting Fire; Damage Slight

CENTRAL HOWELL, Sept. 6.—Excitement ran high at the Ramsden place for a little while Friday evening when the car, belonging to Bert Swanson of Silverton, who with his family was calling there, caught fire from a short in the wires just above the battery. The sun visor above the windshield burned, making quite a blaze. The blaze was finally smothered after attempts to extinguish it with water were made.

Ray Ramsden was doing his evening chores and upon hearing the alarm, ran in with part of a pail of milk which he promptly flung over the blazing car. Actual damage done to the car was very little.

## FORMER SILVERTON RESIDENTS MEET

### Home of Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Hall Scene of Happy Reunion

WALDO HILLS, Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Edson Comstock and children, Roger and Janet and Mrs. S. J. Comstock of Silverton returned home from a vacation trip to Ashland where they were guests of Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Hall. Rev. Hall was for four years pastor of the M. E. church in Silverton. On Sunday evening the Comstock's listened to Rev. Clayton Judy, formerly pastor of the congregational church in Silverton, who filled Rev. Hall's pulpit that evening, it being a union service. Rev. and Mrs. Judy were in Ashland for a few weeks where he was a supply in the Congregational church, he having resigned his pastorate in Idaho. On Monday, Rev. and Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Hall's sister, Miss Katherine Voice, recently came from England; the Comstock's and five Ashland friends motored to Crater Lake.

Mrs. Mary Galligan who fell at the L. B. Haberly home a week ago Sunday is suffering considerable pain in her arm which is fractured. Mrs. Galligan who is 83 years old and blind, missed her direction after a short nap on the porch and stepped from the edge. At first she said she was uninjured but a doctor was called who found the trouble.

Mrs. Harold Roop, who has been ill some weeks both at the Silverton hospital and at her home was taken in the Jack and Ekman ambulance, to her doctor for examination on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Geer and daughters, Vesper and Reba and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilson motored to various Oregon beaches spending most of their time at Pacific City. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have recently come from Ohio and are getting great enjoyment in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Sebo are at Breitenbush Springs for the week. Mr. Sebo's son, Gilmore, is up from Portland staying at the home while they are away.

The work of pouring concrete for the new Drift creek bridge is finished. The house belonging to Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Shockley has been raised six feet for the foundation; the county will build for them to bring their house up to the grade. The work of building the new road through this stretch is progressing rapidly.

Mrs. John Goodknecht is spending the week in Silverton with her brother, Lew Davenport.

Miss Myrtle Moore returned Friday to her work in the office of the state medical officer in Portland after her two weeks vacation spent with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Moore and sister, Mrs. A. A. Geer.

Mrs. Mary Galligan had as her guest Saturday, her son George Galligan and his daughter. On Sunday another son, Hubert visited her. The guests were all from Hood River.

Mrs. Maude Haberly and daughter Mildred, left Saturday for The Dalles where Mildred's school opened Tuesday. Mrs. Haberly will make her home there during the school year.

Ted Riches has resigned from his work at the Silver Falls retail yard and will manage the Albaugh farm the coming year.

The army worm, dread pest of the cotton farmer, appeared in several Alabama counties this season.

## LABISH SCHOOL TO OPEN SEPT. 22

### Building Being Redecorated and Large Enrollment Expected

LABISH CENTER, Sept. 6.—The school board has announced Sept. 22 as the opening date for school. Redecorating work has been completed for several weeks, the interior now being finished in an attractive cream and green stipple. A large attendance is again anticipated this year and Mrs. Florence Burr will be the teacher.

Mrs. Harold Solie and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Moss, and Lawrence Solie of Silverton called at the Joe Garbarino home Thursday.

Ed Weisman and daughter Constance, motored to Portland Friday. Mrs. Weisman's mother and sister, Mrs. Lynch and daughter, Alvina, who have been guests at the Weisman home, returned with them.

Mrs. Frank Isham has been quite ill at her home for the past week.

Miss Emma McClaughry will take up her duties as teacher at the Meridian school located out from Aurora Monday morning.

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