

### Booth Builds Second Block

#### Church of Christ Mission Rally Draws Leaders From Over State

LEBANON—The frame building on the east side of Main street occupied by the N. D. Davis real estate office and the Alberta dressmaking shop, are being razed to give place to a reinforced concrete, steel and brick block 27 1/2-foot by 120-foot deep to be erected by Dr. Joel C. Booth.

Keelers brothers are the contractors and will build an exact duplicate of the Booth block erected last fall and now occupied by a number of business offices. The arcade will be 11 feet wide; the new building when finished will be occupied by 11 business units including the ones moved from the old building.

Ed Kellenberger is adding a 20-21-foot addition to his store and equipment rooms on Grant street; Perry Ginter is the carpenter.

Dr. N. E. Irvine has been confined to his bed since Friday with a severe attack of influenza.

#### Mission Rally Success

The missionary rally at the Church of Christ brought speakers and mission workers from all parts of the state. Dr. E. S. Swander presided and directed the program which included a talk by Mrs. O. J. Coulter, returned missionary from China; an open forum led by Miss Murphy of Turner; an address by Virgil Halbig of Albany and many other speakers who delineated the year's topic: "The World is Wide."

Juanita Holloway, Lebanon high school student, had the door of the school bus shut on her hand Monday causing bruises and lacerations.

Mrs. E. C. Morris was rehired as teacher of the Tennessee school at the board meeting Monday night.

Frank Bennett, superintendent of Albany high school, after an address at the local high school Thursday, will address the Lions club on educational subjects following the noon luncheon.

#### Bean Says He'll Run

PENDLETON, March 31—(AP)—Hawley J. Bean, Echo farmer and son of Justice Henry J. Bean of the state supreme court, said today he would seek the republican nomination for joint senator from Umatilla, Morrow and Union counties.

### Facts and Figures From Taxpayers' Angle Presented by Young and Aird On Proposed 7-County Utility Setup

MONMOUTH—F. H. Young, manager of the Oregon Business and Investors' association, with offices in Portland, spoke to the Men's Luncheon club here, Tuesday. He was introduced by H. W. Morlan, local merchant, with whom Young worked extensively in 1932 helping defeat the proposed physical merger of Oregon's higher institutions of learning.

Young presented facts and figures affecting the taxpayers on the proposed utility district measure which is to be voted on at a special election April 8. Counties, of which parts are included in the proposed PUD are: Clatsop, Columbia, Washington, Clackamas, Yamhill, Polk and Lincoln. Sponsors propose to organize this huge area, which is as large in square miles as the state of Delaware, into a public utility project. Part of the land is contiguous and other parts are widely separated by the coast range mountains.

#### Challenges Regulation

In the event of its formation this PUD would be managed by a board of five directors—one from Polk county—and would not be regulated by the Federal Power commission; or by the state of Oregon through its public utilities' commission, as to rates, charges or practices, Young said, where Wallace on the latter facts.

The five directors need not be taxpayers, nor have electrical knowledge. They would, by law, be permitted to collect \$10 per day each for services, plus expenses. This board of directors would have the right to establish any rate that it sees fit in any part of the district. The rates, as established, need not be uniform. They can have one rate in one county and another rate in another county or even in the same county they can establish different rates.

#### Ask Source of Money

The first question confronting this board of directors, Young stated, would be "Where are we going to get the money to begin PUD operations?"

He explained that there are two ways in which the money can be raised: (1) by taxation; (2) by issuance of bonds. Under the law a bond issue up to 10 per cent of the assessed value of the property in the district can be voted. By counties, such a bond issue, resolved into figures would be: Clatsop \$1,136,801; Columbia, \$1,043,486; Washington, \$1,640,390; Yamhill, \$1,544,817; Clackamas, \$3,092,827; Polk, \$1,016,719, and Lincoln, \$250,092.

This combined total of nearly \$10,000,000 of bonds would be, if they are sold, a mortgage on the property in the PUD, put there to start the utility district scheme into activity.

#### Vote Is by Units

It is up to the people in the counties, and in the cities, to settle whether or not they are going to participate. A county can vote itself out; and a city can vote itself out, he said.

Young said one consideration that can't be overlooked is the enormous cost of building transmission lines for power into remote, sparsely settled areas, where revenue will be low.

To build compelling lines, or otherwise prepare to give as good and efficient service as the present power companies now furnish in this proposed PUD area, would cost at least \$6,000,000, Young explained. In order to extend the service and serve more consumers, more money will be needed, because more lines will have to be built.

He called attention to Polk county's avoidance of bonded indebtedness, where revenue is more than \$99,000, a sum exceeding that of any other city in Polk, on a smaller assessed valuation than either Dallas or Independence.

#### Col. Aird Speaker

Tuesday night Monmouth citizens and many farmers from its adjacent communities, listened to a calm, well balanced discussion of the taxpayer's side of the proposed PUD by Colonel William A. Aird of Clackamas county.

He was introduced by C. F. Gillette, city attorney of Monmouth. Aird stated, in part: "If you vote yourself in, you're in, at least for the period your bonds will run, which may be 30 years. Why rush into this thing in a hurry? We have until 1941 to avail ourselves of Bonneville power. Let's take time to inform ourselves, and not leap without looking carefully."

The cost of clearing right-of-way, alone, is going to be a huge and costly problem in the rough, mountain sections. In a sector of Clatsop county, which is to be serviced, the cost of clearing right-of-way has been estimated to be \$1,000 per mile. This work must precede the actual setting of poles and stringing of wire.

Only about 10 or 12 per cent of the consumer's cost of power is for generating the power. The long end of the cost—85 to 90 per cent—is in getting it to the homes, he said.

### Alaskan Nurses Work at Center

SILVERTON—Two Alaskan nurses have been doing field work at the Silverton health center this week. They are Ida Sprenger from Nome and Margaret Dunnigan from Fairbanks. Through the Silverton center, the women have been studying how to organize and manage a community health center. Mary Bartlett of Portland has also been assisting in the local health center.

A vaccination clinic was held at Silverton Wednesday afternoon. The vaccine and serum were gifts from the 40 et 3 group of the American Legion. Assisting at the clinic from the local Legion auxiliary were Mrs. Ernest Starr, Mrs. Dewey Allen, and Mrs. Harry Wilson.

### Jason Lee Church Cubs to Organize

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Two-layer white butter cream cakes with butter cream icing topped with English walnut.

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Cabbage California New lb. 3c

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Danish Pride Milk, tall cans . . 3 for 23c  
Sperry's Pancake Flour, No. 10 sack . . 45c  
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At All Four Markets you'll find the new quick cooking Golden Age Macaroni. Bring coupon and get 3 packages for the price of 2.

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Cream Cheese per lb. 22c  
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Finest Quality Salad or Cooking Oil Per Gallon 79c Bring container.	White King Toilet Soap Regular size 4 bars 19c EXTRA Standard Tomatoes No. 2 1/2 size cans 2 cans 15c Fancy Pumpkin No. 2 1/2 size cans 3 for 20c
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