

VanCleave's Hold 16th big Reunion

The 16th annual reunion of the Van Cleave family was held Sunday at the J. B. Van Cleave home near Aumsville. Mrs. Ellen Van Cleave, 93 years old last month, was present.

vice-president; Melvin Van Cleave, secretary-treasurer; Hazel Bowen, assistant historian, re-elected. Frank Van Cleave of Spokane, historian, could not be present.

Son to A. Karrs
GRAND ISLAND—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Karr (Marie Miller) are the parents of a 6½-pound son, Stanley Dwight, born Friday, July 29, at the home of Mrs. Karr's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor.

Contrasts Found In Voyage Abroad

SCIO—Icebergs in the glistening sun on one course and fog-horns almost incessantly sounding on another were some of the scenes and experiences witnessed by H. W. Dennison of Scio in his voyage across the Atlantic a short time ago. Dennison sailed from New York nearly a month ago on a visit of two months to relatives in Great Britain. His ship was seven days on the water. Dennison is visiting some of the scenes of his childhood, having been born in Ireland and lived there during the first 22 years of his life.

Ray Evans is down about 200 feet in the drilled well at the Kenneth McDonald farm a few miles east of Scio. On a nearby farm Evans sank a well to a depth of 130 feet two years ago. Water was encountered in both wells but not in sufficient quantities and the drill was sent farther into the slate-colored formation. The former well now has plenty of water, it is stated.

Asquith Honored On 73rd Birthday

AURORA—Sunday Mrs. W. H. Asquith entertained with a dinner in honor of Mr. Asquith's 73rd birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gaffey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Adams, George Viding, all from Portland.

Kenneth Evans, who enlisted in the navy in July, is ill in the naval hospital at San Diego.

Mrs. Carl Kahle of Sherwood, mother of Fred Kahle of Aurora, is seriously ill of blood poisoning. She is in the Oregon City hospital.

Senator's Ex-Wife Opponent?



Mrs. Linda Bilbo, divorced wife of Senator Theodore Bilbo of Mississippi, will oppose her husband for the U. S. senate in 1940—unless she changes her mind. The Bilbos were recently divorced after being married 35 years. "I am no inexperienced campaigner," said Mrs. Bilbo in making her announcement.

Swimming Pool for City Is Latest Project Proposed by Planning Group

SILVERTON—A swimming pool that will at least in part pay for itself is the latest plan of the Silverton planning council, headed by T. T. Leonard. As discussed at the Wednesday night meeting of the council, the pool, if built, would be ready for use for the 1939 season, with either season tickets or some other such method to help finance the matter.

The suggestion of season tickets came from Rev. M. J. K. Fuhr, who reported that this method had been successfully developed elsewhere.

Members of the planning council believe there are sufficient organizations in the city which would be more than willing to help finance a swimming pool.

Dr. P. A. Loar reported on the progress of the sewage disposal plant project and appointed as a committee to spread the information about the project were Dr. Loar, Ernest Starr, T. T. Leonard and Miss Celia Hannah. Serving on the swimming pool committee are S. P. Rose, Dr. Loar, Mrs. R. A. McClanathan, Rev. Fuhr and Fred Sears.

Truck Farming To Be Enlarged

SCIO—Encouraging progress is reported by Stone and Phillip in their truck-farming movement, which incorporates about 100 acres in small disconnected tracts throughout the forks of the Santiam.

This year's project is largely in the nature of an experiment in the production of Bermuda onions, cabbage and corn that will meet ready sale on eastern markets. Next year the promoters contemplate using 200 acres or more in the work.

Ira Stone, who had large experience in this work in California, states that normal climatic and soil conditions in this part of the valley are ideal for the best success in the movement.

Growers Discuss Co-op Seed Mart

DAYTON—A well attended meeting was held in the city hall in Dayton Saturday night. Representatives of Deschutes, Marion and Yamhill county, who are interested in cooperative seed marketing, were present. Another meeting will be held at 1 p. m. August 9 in Salem.

The cotton growing states of the south want to confer with pea and vetch growers in an effort to reduce interstate tariff on the seed to be used for cover crop. A great deal of this has come from Europe and prices are

Park Is Project Of Garden Group

SCIO—Arranging a small park on the vacant lots north of the Scio State bank was discussed at a meeting Monday of the Scio Garden club at the home of Anna Kotan a few miles southeast of Scio. Cohostess with Miss Kotan was her sister Mrs. A. L. Riddle.

The club will be represented at the flower show scheduled for Corvallis August 25. Mrs. V. J. Philippi of Scio is to entertain the club at the September meeting.

Kroeman brothers of Scio have received a patent on their "Streamline Wire Splicer," which is being manufactured by a Portland concern. Fence, telephone, grape and berry wires may be spliced by the device.

Cannibalism not Dead—at Least Among Chickens

BELTSVILLE, Md., Aug. 4—(P)—The curse of concentration, poultry experts at the national agricultural research center said today, results in cannibalism among some flocks of chickens. "When they are badly crowded they sometimes eat each other," said an expert. "Cutting back the upper beak or using a beak guard stops it."

Homemakers Return

GRAND ISLAND—Mrs. Morton Tompkins and Mrs. Clarence Badger returned to their respective homes Sunday, culminating a five-day vacation trip attending the homemakers' summer camp help up on the Santiam river.

Sweet Home Asking PWA Fund for School House

SWEET HOME—Application for a grant of \$9900 to construct a school building here has been

filed with the public works administration by Sam Kimball, chairman of school district No. 55, PWA Regional Director C. C. Hockley announced. Total cost of the building is estimated at \$22,000.

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Leo O'Rourke
Slayer of his ne'er-do-well brother in a modern "Cain and Abel" tale, Leo O'Rourke, 20, of Chicago, is pictured as he told a coroner's jury of the slaying. Leo testified it was an accident and said he merely meant to frighten his brother, who was drunk and threatened to kill him and his father. The jury exonerated O'Rourke but police held him on a first degree murder charge pending action by the state's attorney's office on Aug. 4.

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