Silver Falls Company Is Adding $40,000 Dry Kiln Addition

Will Double Drying Space

Announcement Puts Crimp Rumors That Mill Might Cease Operations

SILVERTON—Work has been started on construction of a new dry kiln which will double the lumber drying capacity of the Silver Falls Timber company mill here, it was stated here yesterday by W. L. McGinnis, superintendent. Market conditions require the drying of more of the lumber. The addition will cost $40,000.

This announcement was viewed here as a practical and conclusive denial of rumors that the sawmill here might cease operations; rumors which have circulated since the windup of logging operations in the company's nearby camps. Logs are now being hauled by rail from more distant woods.

Call Disposal Plant Bids

SILVERTON — One ordinance was passed upon its third reading and a second one was opened at a special meeting of the city council Monday night. The first one provided for the sale and issuance of $4500 refunding bonds. The second provided for the sale and issuance and payment of the $35,000 sewage disposal plant bonds.

A resolution was also passed accepting the sewage disposal plant project as drawn up by the federal government. George Hubbs, city recorder, was instructed to advertise for bids on the machinery for the disposal plant, the bids to be opened December 5.

George Hubbs was also instructed by Mayor W. H. Moffett to investigate the federal power lines in view of what they might be able to do for Silverton.

"It is said," Mayor Moffett reported, "that the Bonneville setup could give Silverton three times as much lighting for the same cost as it now has. If this is correct we owe it to our constituents to give it a try." Mr. Hubbs will interview J. D. Ross, Bonneville administrator, in writing, upon the matter.

Rev. Bullock new Pastor at Dayton

DAYTON—Rev. Dale Bullock of Vallejo, Calif., has been called to fill the vacancy of the Dayton Baptist church pulpit caused by resignation of the pastor, Velton Patten, several months ago. Rev. and Mrs. Bullock have located in the home of the late Mrs. J. E. Mellinger and complimenting them a reception will be held at the church Friday night.

Mrs. J. W. Lorett delightfully entertained the Past Noble Grand club of Naomi Rebekah lodge of Dayton at her home Thursday afternoon, when plans were made for a turkey dinner to be held at the Odd Fellows' hall Thursday, December 8, at which time the Christmas party and election of officers will be held.

First Cold Days Bring Hot Lunch Service for West Stayton Students

WEST STAYTON — Thursday was ushered in by a half inch of snow here, but it was melted by noon only to be followed by a heavy freeze Friday night. This is the first real winter weather to hit here.

The West Stayton school children are getting hot lunches beginning this week. A WPA cook is on hand.

Ben H. Chamberlin has been drawn on the November federal jury.

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Did You Vote? They Didn't

Capital residents beside crepe-draped ballot boxes

While the rest of the United States voted in the Nov. 8 elections, residents in Washington, D. C., the capital of the country, sat by and awaited the outcome. As a protest against not being permitted to vote, crepe-draped ballot boxes were placed on three prominent downtown corners.

Community Clubs

NORTH SANTIAM—Owing to Thanksgiving, the community club will meet on Tuesday, November 22. Election of officers will be held. Musical numbers and a short play are being arranged. The Jolly Neighbors club will feature a "Fish Pond," articles tbeing priced nominally. The proceeds will go toward the new community hall. Each family is requested to bring 1½ dozen sandwiches.

AUBURN — The November meeting of the community club will be at the schoolhouse Friday night. A group from Salem Heights will put on a play. All are requested to bring either cookies or sandwiches.

ROBERTS—The regular meeting of the Roberts community club was held Friday night.

The school will have charge of the next meeting, December 9, when the pupils will present a short program and pie social to raise funds for the Christmas candy.

Richard Adlard, an exchange student at Lingnan university at Canton, China, spoke on the war situation in China. He showed pictures of conditions as he personally saw them. Mrs. J. W. Isely gave an Armistice day reading and Joe Votroubet gave an accordion solo.

Woodburn Opens Red Cross Call

WOODBURN—The annual Red Cross drive was begun in Woodburn last week with a goal of 250 members. A large Red Cross flag was put up over Front street by the fire department to remind every one coming into Woodburn that the drive is now on.

The city has been divided this year with Mrs. Gerald B. Smith in charge of the east side and Mrs. Ray Glatt leading the west side. Assistants are: East side, Mrs. Larry Darnell, Mrs. Willard Chandler, Mrs. L. J. Simonsen, Mrs. J. F. Lacey, Mrs. William Nelson, Mrs. O. H. Boje, Hiram Overton and Mrs. O. E. Lee. West side, Mrs. M. M. Hicks, Mrs. M. A. Warring, Mrs. George D. Jones, Mrs. Blaine McCord, Mrs. H. D. Miller and Miss Vera Bogard.

Antique and Quilt Display Is Friday

SILVERTON — Antiques and quilts will be on display at an open meeting of the Loyal Guard class of the First Methodist church Friday afternoon. Mrs. H. J. Iverson, president, invites the entire community to attend and to contribute antiques for the afternoon show. Mrs. George Isrealsom and Mrs. Erwin Kern and their committees will be at the church in the morning to receive the articles, which should be marked with the name of the owner and the date of the article.

A benefit tea will be held in conjunction with the affair, also a short program.

Lions Will Hold Charter Banquet

SILVERTON—Silverton Lions club will observe charter night Friday with a banquet at the Silverton grill. Specially invited guests and members will attend. Joe Cross is president.

Dr. A. L. V. Smith is chairman of the Friday night affair, with Alf O. Nelson as program chairman, and H. E. Scott as banquet chairman.

Add to Mink Pens

LIBERTY—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stacey returned Sunday from a trip along the coast highway to Astoria and Bay City. They brought with them 16 more mink to add to their stock of the fur animals.

Brooks Methodist Aid Group Meets

BROOKS—An all-day meeting of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society was held Wednesday in the church. A covered-dish luncheon was served at the noon hour and work was done on articles for the annual bazaar in December.

Special dinner guests were the school teachers, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hammel, and Miss Rose Marie Kronberg. Members present were Mrs. M. F. Day, Mrs. C. A. Bailey, Mrs. Mary E. Jacobs, Mrs. C. E. Watts, Mrs. William Buchanan, Mrs. William Schafer, Mrs. Willa Vinyard, Mrs. Jennie Gilbert, Mrs. Monroe Ward, Mrs. Orval Otto and daughter Maxine, Mrs. R. P. Lea and daughter Carrol Lea, Pauline Earls, Mrs. Cora Wilkinson and daughter Martha Jane, Mrs. Harry Bosch, Mrs. Jay Batholomew, Mrs. William Cottew, and Mrs. A. M. Dunlavy.

Another meeting will be held in the church Wednesday, November 16, at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Florence Bressler and Mrs. Pearl Harris attended the all-day meeting of the Neighbors of Woodcraft Thimble club at the home of Mrs. O. L. Scott in Salem Wednesday.

Gift Exchange Is Planned by Club

LINCOLN — The Lincoln Good Will club met at the home of Mrs. Leola Hurt, with Mrs. Harry Cherry and Mrs. D. Godlove as joint hostesses. The group decided to hold a cooked food sale in December.

Mrs. Sam Atkinson was the recipient of a gift from the club as she has moved from her former residence on the Alvin Madsen farm to a farm on the Turner road.

A gift exchange was planned for the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred McKinney with Mrs. Victor Utterback and Mrs. Ben McKinney assisting. Mrs. Davidson, who has recently moved to the Frank Smith place, was a special guest.

"Hard-Boiled"

Luise Rainer

On Nov. 18, Luise Rainer, Viennese actress who twice has won the Motion Picture Academy award in Hollywood, will renounce her Austrian citizenship and receive her final naturalization papers as a U. S. citizen. "Then," she tells newsmen in New York, "I'll be a hard-boiled American."

Large Crowd out For Juniors' Play

"Crashing Society" Well Presented; Program on Armistice Day

LEBANON—"Crashing Society," junior high school play in the gym Thursday night, attracted a large audience and was a scream from start to finish. The play was directed by Miss Kee Buchanan of the high school faculty and was accorded praise for fitness of the roles assigned and the splendid work of everyone in the cast.

Tables with decorations of American flags and flowers in tricolors at which 75 persons, including members of the Past Noble Grand club, their husbands and friends, assembled at IOOF hall Friday evening, featured the patriotic program presented.

The program included talks by Arthur Wilson, commander of the American Legion, Frank Groves, and a patriotic address by Senator-Elect Dr. Joel C. Booth in which he gave interesting history, paid tribute to Betsy Ross and placed the perils of America and her duty before the audience; readings by Lotta Simons and Mrs. Penfold, leader for the evening; closing with patriotic songs.

Store Will Open

P. J. White, recently from Ariona, has completed the arrangement of the business block leased from Bert Cotton and has placed a full line of supplies and is ready to open trade.

Mrs. Lotta Simons went to Albany Friday night to join Mrs. Velma Horton in a number on the program put on by the Albany Kiwanis club and the American Legion in cooperation in an Armistice day demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burgess of Baker were recent guests of the J. G. Reed family.

A group of grangers of Berlin attended Pomona grange at Crowfoot grange last week. A good program was presented.

Mrs. W. J. Bird of Lacomb entertained Friday evening with a shower honoring her granddaughter, Zola Hazen, whose engagement to Orvis Ford, nephew of Claire Ford of the Lacomb lumber mill, has been announced.

Farmers Make Cider

Making cider and fall butchering is occupying many farmers near Lebanon.

George Miller was at Centralia, Wash., last week on business for the Ford Lumber company.

A turkey banquet at Hotel Lebanon will feature the meeting Wednesday of the central Oregon parts and service managers, Ford dealers of the Ford Motor company.

Victims of Fire Move To old Barnett House; Lightfoots Go to Alsea

SILVERTON—C. B. Hanks and family, who burned out Sunday morning at their home on Hobart road, have moved into the old Barnett house at 202 Cowing street. Hanks is a mail carrier on Star route in the Silverton Hills country. The Hanks lost their complete household equipment in the early Sunday morning fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lightfoot have moved from their home at 423 Brook street to Alsea, while the E. F. Tripletts of Alsea have purchased and moved into the former Lightfoot home.

Ekman, Sr., Coming

SILVERTON—Ernest Ekman went to Portland Tuesday to meet his father, Henry Ekman, of Minneopolis who arrived Tuesday morning to spend the winter with his sons, Ernest and Edward at Silverton.

Granger's News

TALBOT—The Ankeny Home Economics club gave a card party in the grange hall Saturday night. High score went to Mrs. J. O. Farr and Mrs. George Henderson.

BRUSH COLLEGE—Mrs. C. C. Chaffee will be hostess to the Brush College grange Home Economics club for a 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon at her home Thursday. Election of officers will be held.

Attention of grangers and farm folk generally is centered this week on the national grange convention, which opens in Portland today, with one of the big highlights to be the initiation into the seventh or national degree by a class of about 6000 candidates in two sessions, at 2:30 and 8 p. m., Friday at the civic auditorium.

Business sessions will be held in the Multnomah hotel, and among the big questions to come up for discussion will be one which a number of Marion county granges have endorsed: Preservation of the American market for the American farmer. Socialized medicine, the mounting public debt, regimentation of agriculture and other tendencies to centralization, extension of rural electrification and emphasis on the family-sized farm and self-sustaining rural communities and homes will be among the business matters.

The main speakers will include S. D. Sanders, cooperative bank commissioner, and Albert S. Goss, land bank commissioner, both of Washington, D. C.

The national convention will be in session nine days, Thanksgiving day marking the close.

Juvenile grange work will be given emphasis at the convention and one session will feature exemplification of the juvenile graduation ceremony and installation exercises.

Pay-as-You-Go System Is Wanted Pension for Aged Widely Sought

(Editor's Note: The following is written from Independence, Kansas, by Lucena Isabelle Mountain, The Statesman's Aumsville correspondent, who is now enjoying an automobile tour of the country.)

INDEPENDENCE, Kans.—The election is now "water under the bridge" but with it the American people have spoken, and the world, if interested, knows the result.

However, in a long automobile tour, leaving Aumsville October 29, opportunity offered to interview a cross section of the people of six states, before election. Strangely enough, almost all of the huge bill boards in each state bore the portrait of an injunction to cast one's ballot for the democratic nominee.

In fact, my niece, Miss Joy Walker, secretary of the chamber of commerce of Ellensburg, Wash., with whom I was traveling, woke me from a comfortable doze in the rear seat, in southern Colorado to actually witness the sight of a lone portrait of the republican candidate for governor there.

As I was saying, I wished to learn of what the people of other states were thinking. On the west slope either I encountered republicans or dissatisfied democrats, at any rate each one approached would like to see a change.

Favor Age Pension

Invariably, they favored a comfortable old age pension, denounced the president's purging, longed for a pay-as-we-go system, all favored sales tax and had practically no knowledge of a transaction or gross income tax. Like the good old soul who had always longed to see "the other side of the mountain" I too found only "the other side" of the mountain.

Over the backbone of the American continent we crossed high, high, into Wyoming. People are the same here as there. They want a change. The parties here at heart are not thought of as formerly, but are New Deal and Anti-New Deal. They too are unfamiliar with the idea of a gross income tax. Invariably they are glad the president's purging was a fizzle and would be happy to see a comfortable old age pension for the needy.

Greatest of all, they, as we of the Pacific slope, would like to see enacted a pay-as-we-go system.

Lindsay Funeral Thursday Morning

SILVERTON—Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 a. m. from the Ekman funeral home for Alexander Lindsay, 72, who died Monday night. Rev. N. C. Ernston of Portland will officiate and interment will be at Rose City, Portland.

Mr. Lindsay was born in Forfarshire, Scotland, on September 26, 1866. He came to America in 1891 where he settled in eastern Oregon. In the early part of this century he owned 1720 acres of land and 2000 head of sheep. His ranch was near Heppner. In October, 1895 he married Ida Howard, daughter of J. L. and Minerva (Howard) Howard. Mr. Howard was county commissioner at that time.

Survivors include the widow and the following children, Annie Lorenz of Silverton; James of Ione; Mrs. Jesse Wicker of Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. Elizabeth Kane of Eugene, Mrs. Mary Hurgett of Portland and Mrs. Elbra Brady of Silverton.

Lettermen Stage Hillbilly Program

CHEMAWA — The Chemawa high school's Lettermen club presented a hillbilly program before a large crowd here Saturday night. The theme was centered around a barn dance, with several of the boys dressed as girls, and specialties offered between equare dances.

The entire proceeds will be used in purchasing an amplifier and loud speaking system for the school. This is the first major project of the club which is being sponsored by Jerry Gastineau.

Stitchers Work On Quilt Blocks

Pioneer of 1859 Critically ill at Home in Shedd; Club Gathers

SUVER—The Ivy club met at the hall Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Lloyd Goodman and Mrs. Jay Thomas as hostesses. The afternoon was spent working on blocks for the quilt the club is making to sell. Five members and one guest, Miss Jessie Tewell of Portland were present.

H. F. Covey is at Shedd with his father, J. A. Covey, who is critically ill. He was stricken Thursday just as he finished dressing for the day and dropped to the floor, having been unconscious since that time. J. A. Covey is a pioneer of 1859.

Community Meet Held

Suver community club met at the hall Friday night with good attendance. A short local talent program was given, also a piano number by Nellie Richter of Dallas. Games and refreshments followed.

H. F. Covey and B. R. Douglas attended friends and parents day last week at Monmouth and talked to Monmouth school authorities about the cost per pupil to educate Suver children. A Monmouth bus now carries all the children in the district who live on the highway to that place.

Cooking School Is Slated Tomorrow

DALLAS—The Dallas Woman's club is sponsoring a cooking school which will be held in the club rooms in Library hall on Thursday at 2:30 and again at 7:30 p.m. Alta Simmons of Albany will be in charge of the school which will feature electric cookery. Equipment used will be furnished by the Adolf Electric store.

Friday, November 18, a baking contest will be held with prizes awarded for sponge cakes, butter cakes, rolls, bread, open face and double crust pies. This will be held at the Mountain States Power office on Main street.

Those entering the baking contest are asked to have their entries in by 10 a.m. Friday so that judging may be completed. A cooked food sale will be held following the judging of the entries.

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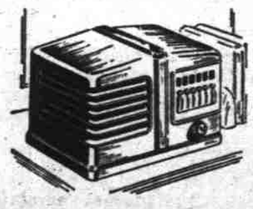

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