

Santiam Bean Festival Planned at Stayton, July 15 to 20

Mayor to Head Arrangements

Community Building Will Be Erected From Funds Raised by Event

STAYTON—A Santiam Bean festival will be staged in Stayton July 15 to 20. This outstanding celebration of the Santiam valley is being sponsored by the Stayton Lions club with the aid of all local fraternal and civic organizations. W. A. Weddle, mayor, has been named general chairman.

The entire Stayton community is behind the program to make possible the erection of a large community building in Stayton and also to bring to town those of the Willamette valley to acquaint them with the community.

This five day event will abound with entertainment, street parades, contests, carnival attractions, dances, water sports, track sports. The Browning Amusement company will bring its show in for the festival and it will be located in the city center.

The committees appointed for the event are as follows: General committee, W. A. Weddle, chairman; Gilbert Schatznick, V. H. Tiel, Edward J. Bell, Secretary; L. H. Wright, R. G. Wood, George Thomas, Chris Neffling, Mrs. Margaret Anderson, Kathryn Weddle, H. J. Rowe, parade committee; Grant Murray, chairman; R. G. Wood, Margaret Anderson, A. C. Van Noyce, advertising committee; H. J. Rowe, chairman; Chris E. Neffling, Gladys John, pet parade committee; Kenyon Thompson, chairman; Robert Wood, Jr., Marc Landon, Dora Decker, police committee; Wilbert Peeler, chairman, balance firemen; dance committee, Jerry Marking, chairman; William Kerber, Mrs. Genieve Smith, Mrs. Josephine Bell, Mrs. Lura Fair, public address and lighting committee; Walter Bell, chairman; Wilbur Peeler, Albert Maelzel, Fred Lau, Jr., concession committee; V. H. Tiel, chairman; Kathryn Weddle, Gus Munden, Marion Kiecker, Wilbur Lester, sports committee; Leonard Thomas, chairman; George Cole, Clyde Boyer, Slim Knell, Hub Saalfield, clown committee; Walter Frey, chairman; C. P. Burmester, Joe Barnes, finance committee; George H. Bell, chairman; Rose Bell, L. H. Wright.

The committees will meet again Wednesday, June 26, to complete plans.

Portland Youth Drowns in River

WEST SALEM—A Portland youth, Ernest Caldwell, 16, was drowned in the Willamette river here Sunday. He had gone wading at the foot of Patterson and Edgewater streets, where the body was recovered in seven feet of water by swimmers.

He had arrived here a few hours earlier to join his brother and sister who have been staying at the Riverdale auto camp the past two weeks while employed as cherry pickers near here. His home was at 829 Southeast Steele avenue in Portland.

After resuscitation efforts proved futile, the body was taken to Clough-Barrick mortuary. Later it was sent to Portland to the Brueggemann Mortuary.

Rites Are Held For Mrs. Murphy

OAKDALE—Funeral services were held Friday at the Henkle-Bonham chapel for Mrs. Joe Murphy who died last Tuesday. She had suffered a partial stroke the previous Saturday and remained unconscious until her death.

Ella Card was born near Newport, February 9, 1872, and was married to Joe Murphy at Dallas November 29, 1892. She was a member of the Falls City Christian church.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Vernon of Falls City and Emerson of near Dallas; her mother, Mrs. Anna Thorne of Dallas; two brothers, Bill Shepard of Corvallis and Galtin Shepard of Corvallis and 11 grandchildren.

Three Links Club Is Entertained

DALLAS—The Three Links club of the Almira Rebekah lodge was entertained Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Louis Hadley with Mrs. A. M. Larsen and Mrs. Elmer Schleske as assistant hostesses.

A short business meeting was held with the remainder of the time spent in socializing. A supper hour followed.

Present were Mrs. Albert Baileback, Mrs. Alfred Domaschek, Mrs. Carl J. Graves, Mrs. Ralph Howe, Mrs. L. H. Rawell, Mrs. Anna Kestner, Mrs. Pete Vick, Mrs. E. L. Parsons and the hostesses, Mrs. Larsen, Mrs. Schleske and Mrs. Hadley.

House Being Razed For Service Station

SILVERTON—The old Wrightson house on the corner of McGinnis and Main streets has now been razed, part of the beautiful hedge surrounding it has been destroyed. Robert Morford, the new owner of the property, is making an effort to have the beautiful holly tree removed without injury.

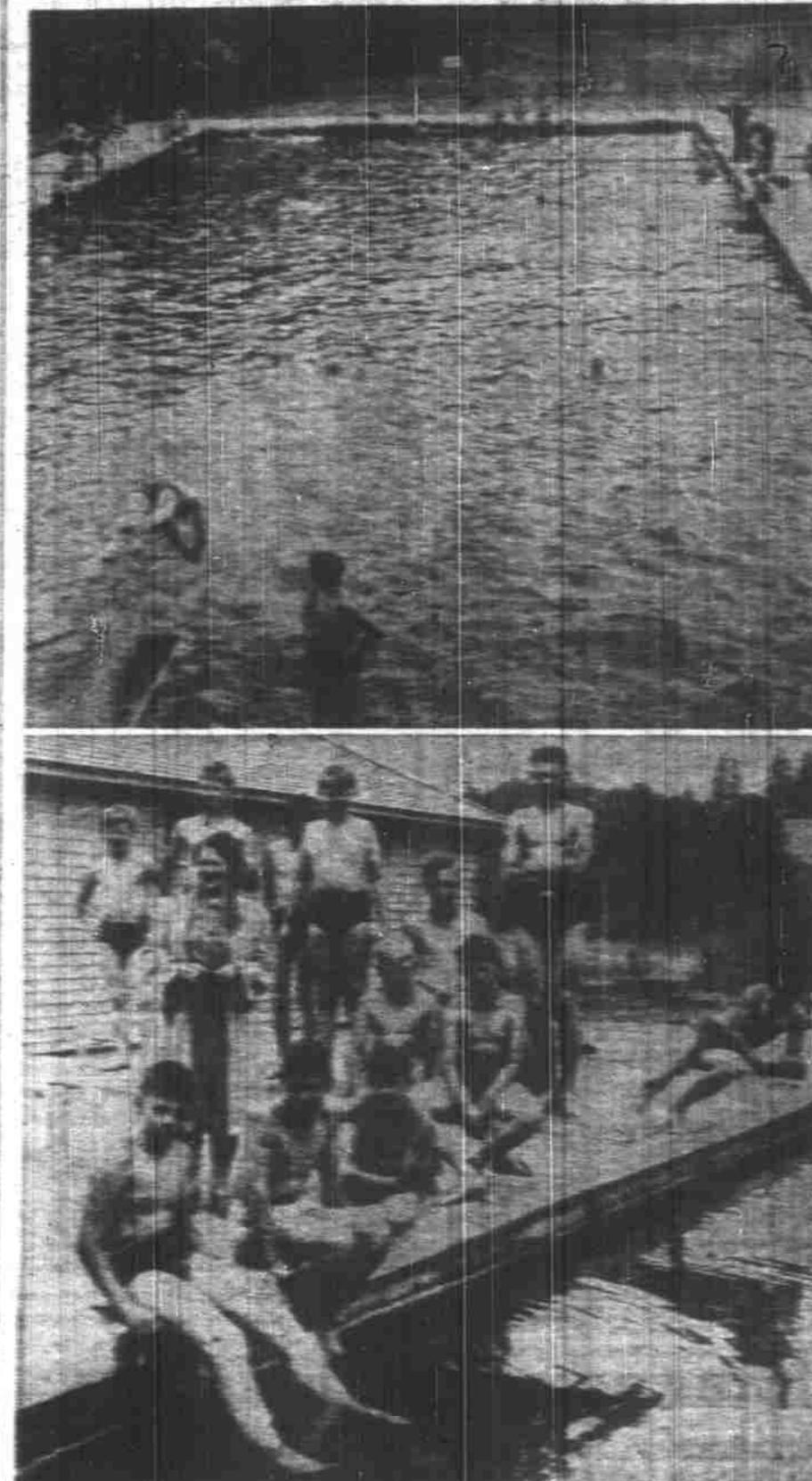
A new service station will be built on the location as soon as the debris is cleared away.

Named Dean of Men, OCE

MONTMOUTH—Dolores R. Dewey was named dean of men of Oregon College of Education by the state board of higher education this month. Dewey has been a faculty staff member of OCE since 1935, and acted as adviser of men last year.

Farm Labor Camp Work Starts

Water's Fine at Silverton Pool



Keeping cool was made easier at Silverton last week with the opening of the new \$20,000 swimming pool. The upper picture shows the pool, 45 by 150 feet. Below, Mayor Zetta Schlader, under whose direction the pool was constructed as a city project, is surrounded by opening-day swimmers.

Powell Clan Elects Officers Sunday At 23rd Annual Reunion at Monmouth

SILVERTON—Jay F. Powell of Monmouth was elected president of the Powell clan at their 23rd annual reunion Sunday, held at the Monmouth IOOF hall in all-day session.

Assisting officers are F. M. Powell of Silverton, reelected secretary-treasurer since the organization of the group; Lee Powell of Philomath, first vice-president; Mrs. McNamee of Turner, second vice-president; Quincy E. Proops of Albany, third vice-president; and James Powell, Cottage Grove, fourth vice-president.

The next meeting of the clan will be at Stayton city park the fourth Sunday in June, 1941.

Memorial services were held for the late Perry O. Powell of Dallas and Ira Powell of Monmouth who passed away during the year.

The four annualists representing each branch of the family, the Rev. John A. Noah, Alfred and Linda Powell Proops, were given by Jeanneice Dickensone, Mrs. Myro McKinney, Mrs. S. Small and Joyce Emerson. The reports of the annualists list deaths, births, marriages, graduation and other items of interest for the members of their branch during the past year.

Program numbers included vocal selections by Wendell Small of Cottage Grove, Gweneth Spaniel of Stayton, group singing and a skit by the Monmouth group singing.

The Powells in whose honor the memorial society was formed were pioneer ministers of the Christian church and were instrumental in establishing organizations throughout the state. They first settled in Linn county and later in Monmouth and other parts of the northwest.

F. Stebbins Dies At Klamath Falls

SILVERTON—Mrs. Oscar Brown received word Friday night of the death of her son, Fred Stebbins at Klamath Falls. He was manager of the Ford company there.

Mrs. Brown left at once for Klamath Falls to attend the funeral services.

Other survivors include the widow, a daughter and a son; two sisters, Mrs. Coca Graden of Silverton and Mrs. T. P. Ristene of Portland, and a brother in Minnesota.

Mayor Quits Business

SILVERTON—Mayor Zetta Schlader, who has been in business at Silverton for the past several years as owner of a drug store, closed her place of business Saturday night. Mayor Schlader does not plan to leave Silverton this summer, other than on brief vacation.

Twins Are Born

DALLAS—Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Klinefelter of Dallas in the McMillan Hospital here Tuesday. The babies have been named Sandra Jo and Shirley Dean. Mrs. Klinefelter is the former Virginia Fundis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Fundis of Dallas.

West Stayton Unit Going up

Over 200 Tent Bases Are Being Constructed East of Town

WEST STAYTON—Work has started on construction of the mobile farm labor camp on the Nick Schmitz farm just east of West Stayton.

About 210 tent bases are now under way and it is expected more will have to be added later. There are six carpenters from Salem working on construction and one local laborer, Norman Schmitz.

The portable hospital trailer and electric plant that the units of the camp, will move here from Banks as soon as the berry season there is over.

This unit will be in charge of a manager employed by the farm security administration, however routine activities of the camp will be self-governed by a committee of the camp elected by camp residents.

WEST STAYTON—Little interest was shown here last week in the annual school election when only seven residents appeared to cast votes. Leonard Walker was re-elected clerk. Weston Lacey, the on-going director, was reelected for another three-year term.

W. A. Davidson Dies in Hospital

MONTMOUTH—William A. Davidson, 53, died early Sunday at the Decorous hospital, Salem, where he had been since June 17 following a heart attack. He was born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, February 23, 1887, and when a boy accompanied his parents to Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. They married August 17, 1915, to Lula Crampton at Prevost, Canada. Until 1918 they lived at Cedar Alberta, where he was manager of the Galvin Lumber company.

The next 15 years they lived in Omaha, where he was in a coal distribution. In 1933 they moved to Stayton, Oregon, and engaged in farming. Last fall they came to Monmouth, Oregon. She had five grandchildren and three grandsons. Two brothers still live in Nebraska.

Mrs. Davidson was active in the work of her church and had served as president of the Altar Society.

Surviving are the widow and six children: Eva and Anita, both graduated from Oregon College of Education this month; Raymond, Winona, Jack and Billy. Surviving also are his mother, Mrs. Annie K. Davidson, a brother, Fred, and 2 sisters, Ida M. Davidson, Mrs. Jean Bennett and Mrs. Frank Benner, all of Whidbey.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete in charge of the Smith-Bass mortuary here.

Funeral Is Held For Ada Eastman

SILVERTON—Funeral services were held for Ada Sarah Eastman, 88, Sunday at 2:30 from the Elks club with interment in the Silverton cemetery. Edwin Haure, Christian-Science reader, was in charge.

The fire baked the fruit on nearby cherry trees and partially damaged a number of apple trees.

The cause of the blaze is unknown. The building was not insured.

Actually this building was a typical Oregon frame house of the type built by the original families of the state and was known as the "old Gregerson place."

Mrs. Eastman was born in Indiana December 15, 1853. On May 29, 1873, she married William E. Eastman. They came to Portland in 1905 and to Silverton in 1916. Mr. Eastman died here in August, 1938. Mrs. Eastman went to Portland in 1932 to live with her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Wenzel, where she died Friday night.

Other survivors are two sons, L. C. Eastman and Austin Eastman of Silverton, a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Adamsen of Portland, seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Summer Program Starts, Dallas

DALLAS—The summer recreational program at the Dallas city park started Monday under the direction of John Spener.

Spener is giving swimming lessons to beginners from 11 a.m. to 12 noon daily from Monday to Friday. Plans are being made to secure a Red Cross swimming instructor for two weeks during the summer to give advanced and intermediate swimming, diving and life saving instruction.

Mrs. Jessie Bracken of Monmouth has been secured to give lessons in handicraft work as a part of the summer program at the park.

Silverton Club Discusses Airport

SILVERTON—Rebuilding Silvertown's airport, which was recently dismantled, was discussed at last week's meeting of the Silvertown Club.

The club, if it undertakes the work, will endeavor to form the beginning of a permanent landing field at Silverton.

No definite decisions were reached and the matter will be discussed further at the next meeting.

Grangers' News

UNION HILL—The Union Hill Grange met Friday night. Mrs. C. Carter was installed as lady assistant steward by W. M. Tate, acting as installing officer.

Phyllis Danielsen of Aurora and Frances Perrott of Corvallis were elected by the auxiliary to attend girl state camp at Silver Creek Falls park for one week.

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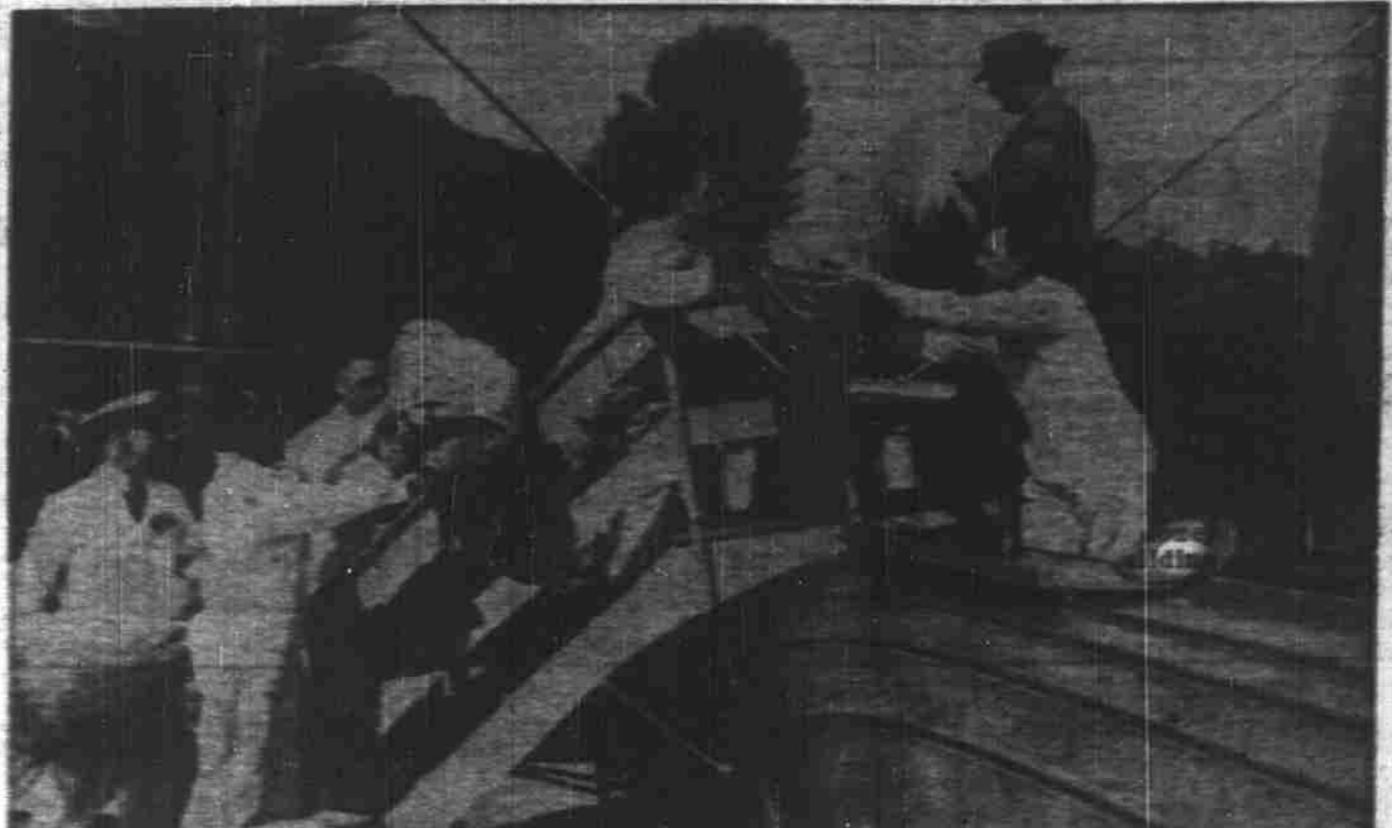
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Arm Crushed in Fall

SILVERTON—Milton Fehr was taken to the Silverton hospital Saturday night with a badly crushed arm from a fall out of a cherry tree.

Father Carbury became suddenly ill late Saturday night and medical attention was needed. He was reported improved Sunday.

Clipper Run From Seattle Links US, Alaska by Air



Before takeoff on the first scheduled commercial flight between continental US and Alaska, photo shows stacks of mail bags stacked aboard Pan-American's big Alaska Clipper at Seattle. The clipper carried on its first run a group of passengers which included directors of Pan-American and Civil Aeronautics Authority officials. Alaska terminals is at Juneau.

Funeral Is Held For Mrs. Burian

LEBANON—Monday funeral services were held in St. Edward's Catholic church for Mrs. Mary Burian, who died at the Lebanon General hospital Thursday after an illness of several months. Rev. Mitchell of Corvallis and Rev. Martin Bohrson officiated. Interment was in the IOOF cemetery with arrangements in charge of the Lowe mortuary.

Mrs. Burian was born in Verdigris, Neb., February 24, 1883, and was married there in 1901 to Frank Burian who died in 1927. She had spent practically all of her life in or near Verdigris, until the family moved here 15 years ago. One daughter, Marie Reiling, and two sons, Joseph and Henry Burian, live in Lebanon. Another daughter, Edie Neffler, lives in Almond, Neb.; her son, George, in Silverton and Frank in Cottage Grove. She had five grandchildren and three grandsons. The next 15 years they lived in Omaha, where he was in a coal distribution. In 1933 they moved to Stayton, Oregon, and engaged in farming. Last fall they came to Monmouth, Oregon. She had five grandchildren and three grandsons. Two brothers still live in Nebraska.

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Fire Destroys Barn at Monitor In Second Flare

MONITOR—A fire that started at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon burned a small amount of hay in Hay Stager's barn. Shortly the fire seemed out.

Suddenly at 9:15 it flared up again and by 9:30 all that remained of the building was smoldering embers.

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