

# Woodworkers Union District Meeting Held at Silverton

## Workers' Homes Calledhovels Officers of District Are Installed Sunday

Speaker Declares IEU Is "no Union at All;" 150 at Meeting

SILVERTON—The homes of laborers in the North Santiam mills were described as "hovels" by Don Helmick, former secretary of the Columbia River District council of the International Woodworkers of America, at an open meeting Saturday night at Silverton, sponsored by the Columbia River District council of the International Woodworkers of America and the Silverton local.

"And that's what we are competing with," Helmick added, in reference to the North Santiam mill workers. He spoke of "carloads of lumber standing by the mile" on Silverton Falls timber company tracks "representing day after day of work taken from you," explaining that this lumber was brought in from the North Santiam and other such districts.

In reference to the war situation Helmick "regretted that the attention of people is drawn from our local labor situation and immediate problems," to those of foreign countries. He urged "that Americans not let themselves be carried away and floundered by European wars but do what you can for America's people and their economic problem."

Adolph Bermer, who is a member of the organizing committee of the CIO, addressed the meeting also. Germer discussed the need of workers for organization and for organized support of social legislation designed to benefit the common people.

## Farmers' Union News

AUMSVILLE—The Aumsville Farmers Union was host to the Marion county convention of the Farmers Union locals Saturday.

A resolution was passed to present to the state executive board a request for equalization of school taxes without decreasing the taxes.

A block and gavel were presented to the Aumsville local for having obtained the greatest number of new members in the past three months.

During the afternoon session the county Farmers Union cooperative hospital was discussed by Rev. S. Hamrick. A. G. Rempel of Dallas was a visitor and spoke briefly.

Group singing was led by Mrs. Homer Smith and a program included a reading by Mrs. T. C. Mountain, group of songs, Evelyn Smith, accompanied by M. A. J. Hall, ventriloquist demonstration, J. E. Clark of Sidney-Talbot.

DALLAS—The quarterly meeting of the Polk county Farmers Union will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the North Dallas school building.

## Small Fire Quelled

LYONS—Considerable excitement was caused in Lyons Wednesday evening when a fire was discovered on the flat next to the river back of the John Neal place.

## Officers of District Are Installed Sunday

SILVERTON—A. F. Hartung and F. E. Gordon, president and secretary of the Columbia River District council, IWA, reelected in the election of officers held in the district during June, were installed by Adolph Germer, CIO representative, at the council meeting held at Silverton Sunday as a continuation of the convention opened here Saturday morning.

Other officers of the council elected at this meeting and installed by Germer were vice-president, Claude Hale of Portland; conductor, Bill Strothers of Westport; warden, Cecil Urle of Jewell; executive board members, Ed Haygood of Deep River, Wash.; Ed Hallowell, Cathlamet, Wash.; William Estep, Kalama, Wash.; Earl S. Harper, Williams, Guy Haney, Seaside; Norval Shurtliff, Des; John Sharp, Jewell; M. A. Gardner, Wauna; Chet Dustin, Vernonia; and Don Helmick, Forest Grove.

## Monitor Boy Gets Naval Training

MONITOR—Vance Yoder, who joined the US navy six weeks ago, is now completing his preliminary training at the US naval training base in San Diego, Calif.

Jimmy Collier seriously burned his left thumb and forefinger when a firecracker which he was holding exploded as he held a fuse to it.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis held a large dinner for 31 relatives and friends on the Fourth honoring the birthday of Mrs. Davis, who was born on Independence day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harrison, Hazel and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hay and Marjory, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Walters and daughters Patricia and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. James Walters, Mrs. Floyd Guthrie and Nadie Guthrie, Irene Ott and Lee Shrock spent the Fourth boating, swimming and riding at Barton Bridge park.

## Position Filled For Sunday School

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Mrs. D. D. Dotson fell last Saturday, breaking one ankle and spraining the other ankle.

Mrs. C. E. Forbis, who just returned from the hospital a few weeks ago, has taken a backset and is now confined to her bed.

Miss Van Eaton was the guest of Marjorie Upjohn at the Uphorn cottage at the beach last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Zisser and two children, Edward and Betty, are visiting friends and relatives here and at Portland for 10 days.

## Methodist Women Meet at Turner

TURNER—The Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service held a social Friday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. C. A. Bear with Mrs. E. E. Bear assistant hostess.

Present were Mrs. Lloyd Mudgett, Mrs. Frances Ball, Mrs. Bernice Barker, Mrs. Vera Dow, Mrs. H. M. Barnett, Mrs. F. C. Gunning, Mrs. O. P. Given, Mrs. A. E. Robertson, Mrs. Nelly Riches, Mrs. Stella Miller, Mrs. Mollie Spiera, Mrs. L. M. Small, Mrs. W. T. Riches, Mrs. George Pemberton, Mrs. A. L. Marvel, Mrs. M. A. Hill.

## Bridge Players Are Entertained

HUBBARD—The Auction Bridge club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stauffer the Fourth of July color scheme was carried out in the decorations and table setting.

Those present included Mrs. Lester Will, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. Elmer Stauffer, Mrs. Elton McLaughlin, Mrs. Mose Garren, Mrs. Herbert Berkholtz, Mrs. George Griggs, Mrs. Anna Scholl, Mrs. Winnie Mulloy, Mrs. Blanch Brown, Mrs. L. A. Braden, Mrs. Cling Wells and the hostess.

## West Stayton Boy Has Two Arms Broken

WEST STAYTON—Darr Lee Goss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Goss, has his second broken arm in less than a month. He tripped over a wagon running from a firecracker on the Fourth of July, causing a double fracture of his right arm.

Darr Lee's left arm was broken four weeks ago when he tripped over a wire in his uncle's bean yard. With both arms in a sling, young Darr Lee is spending a most unhappy summer vacation.

## Church Meeting Held at Turner

Jordan, Aumsville Winners of Banners at Santiam Sunday School Meet

TURNER—The Methodist church was host Sunday for the North Santiam Sunday school convention. Leland Keithley is president.

The 11 o'clock service was in charge of a male quartet from Dallas, Waldo Wall, leader, John and Ben Friessen, Henry Wall, Mrs. Ben Friessen, accompanist.

George Clippett of Lyons led a Bible quiz in which the prize was won by the North Santiam school. Songs were sung by Turner girls class, Mary Wolford of Turner Pentecostal school, reading by Mary Lou Keithley of North Santiam, temperance talk by Mrs. Dorothy Fleisher of Salem.

Officers reelected were Leland Keithley, president; Wesley Mix, vice-president; Mrs. Ruby McCallan, secretary-treasurer. Banners were won by Jordan school for convention attendance and Bible verses committed. Quarter attendance banner was won by Aumsville Bethel school.

## Lebanon News

LEBANON—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duncan entertained at dinner Sunday for relatives. Mrs. Duncan's step-father and mother, Mrs. Sol Edelman of Independence, and in Lebanon to visit Mrs. Edelman's two sons, George Rober of Huntington, and Clarence Rober of Eureka, Calif. Both sons are accompanied by their wives and two small children.

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## Zion Mennonites Meet at Hubbard

HUBBARD—The 116th mission meeting of the Zion Mennonites met in the evening at Hubbard on Thursday, July 4.

Born July 8 the Lebanon hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ly Propst of Klamath Falls, a 5 pound 11 ounce son who has been named Michael Truman. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Forbis. July 4 two babies were born at the hospital. Richard Allen, weighing 8 pounds 3 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nixon of Lebanon and Darlene Kay, weighing 9 pounds 4 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heeter of Brownville.

Ralph Juhnke, Mrs. Alec Brewster and Mrs. William Daily of Lebanon, Mrs. Violet Ropp of Tangent and Mrs. Gracie Fyfe of Lacombe are new surgical cases in the Lebanon General hospital.

Elwin Yoder of the Cascadia, who is employed by the C. O. Hall construction company, is being treated in the hospital for back injury. Charles Baker sustained minor injuries to his left leg and was also brought in for treatment. He works for the Miller and Miller Lumber company.

Homer Sanders, field secretary of the Santiam Fish and Game association reports that 250 mature Chinese pheasants from the Eugene state game farm are now in the holding pens of the association in Lebanon. This fall after the winter festival, they are grown out they will be liberated.

Mrs. N. C. Lows and Mrs. Eliza Whitlock are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon formerly of Lebanon but now of Sanger, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pape attended the meetings in Mt. Angel which marked the 50th anniversary of the Lutheran church. Mrs. Pape's father was a member of the church at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sylvester have bought a farm from L. M. Harrison and have taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallagher and Mrs. Gallagher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Richardson have gone to California for a vacation trip.

Albert Fromhart has installed an overhead irrigation system for the five acres of bean he has planted for the cannery.

Muriel Smith who taught the Golden Valley school last year has a position in Portland teaching in a Bible school this summer.

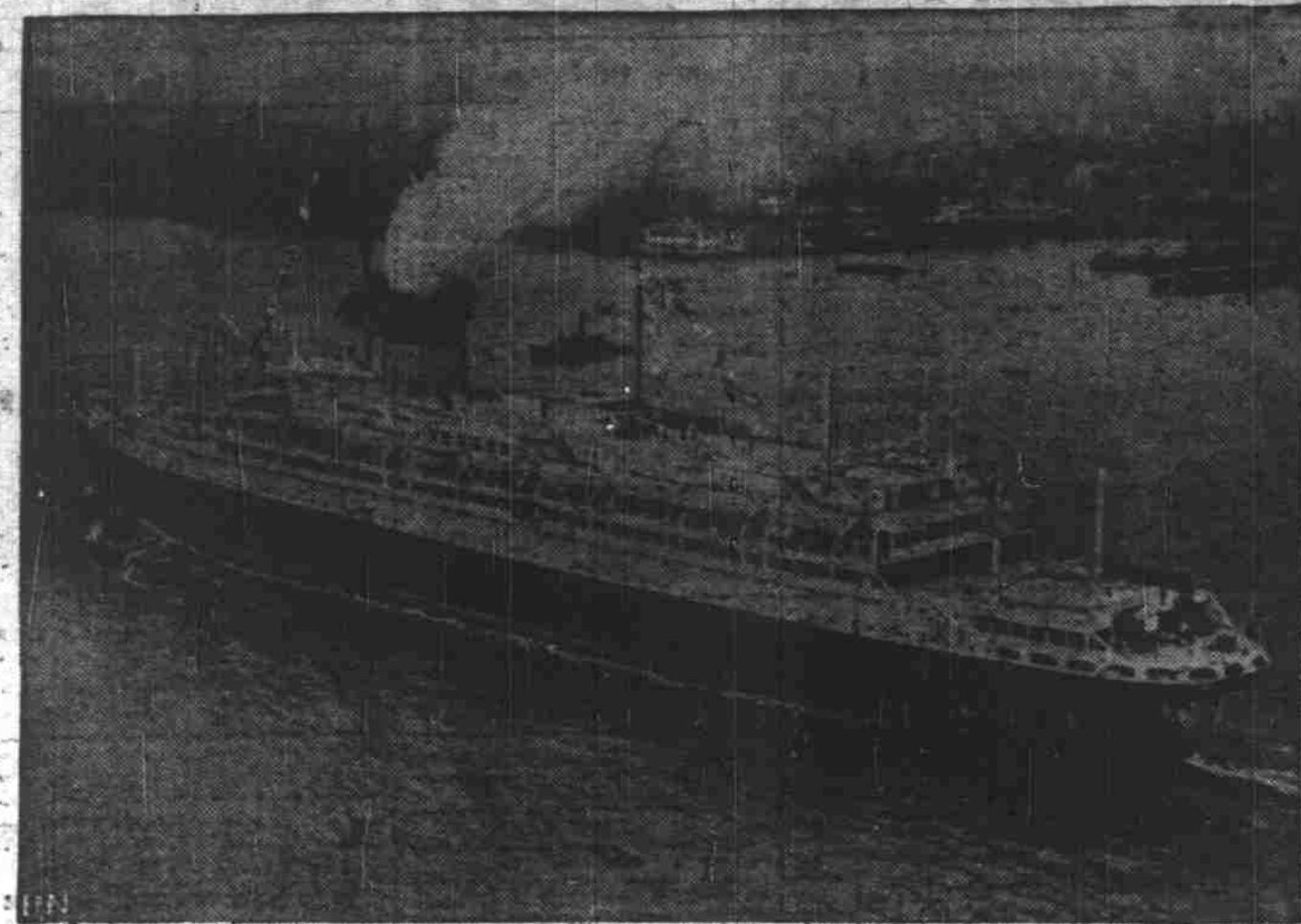
Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ayres entertained at a family dinner to honor the birthday of her father, Lee Bilyeu who is 77 years old. The day before, Mr. Bilyeu was one of the guests whose birthdays were the occasion for a large party at the George Ross home. The other birthdays marked were those of George Ross, Mrs. Ethel Blacklaw and Alice Cornely.

## Lions Auxiliary Gives Picnic

SILVERTON—Forty members and friends of the Lions auxiliary spent Sunday picnic at the Dr. A. H. V. Smith cabin on the Abiqua. Mrs. Paul Johnson was social chairman for the meeting and Mrs. A. L. V. Smith, president, presided at a brief business meeting of the auxiliary.

The group voted to hold another such meeting August 4 at Silver Falls state park.

## French Liner Champlain Bombed and Sunk



According to a report the French liner Champlain, bombed and sunk at the entrance to the harbor of St. Nazaire. The death toll was listed at 138.

## Suver News

SUVER—Thursday the Valley View club met at the home of Mrs. E. R. DeArmond with Mrs. Margaret Weddie assistant hostess. This was the last meeting until October.

Participating in a picnic at Helmiok park Friday night were Mrs. Anna Tremayne of Aurora spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Conkey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stockhoff entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Coney and children, Mrs. Grace Coney, at a picnic supper Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson and daughters came later and enjoyed the fireworks.

Helen DeArmond, teacher in the Portland school system, is spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. DeArmond.

Members of the Saturday Luncheon club entertained their husbands at a wieners roast and picnic supper at Helmiok park Friday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook, Mr. and Mrs. George Dennen, Mr. and Mrs. John Heffley, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kester, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Flickinger, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Saver, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dodson, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Elkins. Little Tommy Cook burned his knee painfully when he fell on a sheet of iron which had just been thrown off the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Woods of Bend spent the last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods, Marjory went home with them for a visit.

## Entertainment Given at Aurora

AURORA—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Foster of Seattle are spending his vacation with friends and relatives in Aurora.

Mrs. T. J. Wells returned to her home in Fresno, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Livingston celebrated the Fourth of July at Silver Creek falls with a picnic.

Mildred Livingston, Bertha Schneider, Ray Meyers of Portland, Johnny Beck and Merle Gorsuch spent Wednesday and the Fourth at Depot and Lincoln beaches.

Ray Livingston of St. Helens is visiting August Dana this weekend.

Among the many holiday groups who picnicked at Pfaffinger's were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schneider and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Livingston and son Gerald.

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## Grangers' News

MACLEAY—At the grange meeting Friday the group voted to hold a picnic the second Sunday in August. W. A. Jones reported on the state grange meeting on agriculture. Mrs. Edith Wilson on home economics work and William Dugigan reported that a YGA meeting will be held at the home of H. E. Martin, sr., Wednesday night, July 10.

The program included reports on the state grange meeting by Herman Brown, W. A. Jones, Raymond Stryker, Mrs. W. A. Jones and Mrs. M. M. Magee, and a pantomime "A County Romance" with M. A. Wells as reader and as characters, Chester Lynds, Mrs. M. M. Magee, Herman Brown, W. A. Jones, Mrs. A. Mader, Howard Mader, M. A. Wells, Frank Schapp, Raymond Stryker, Harry Martin, jr., Mrs. Harry Martin, sr., Orval Gibson, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Sean Ferry, A. Bowen, Mrs. Fred Densam, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McKee.

LIBERTY—The Red Hills grange will meet in the grange hall Tuesday, July 9. The usual cover-up of the first bi-monthly meeting will be served at 6:30. Grange is at 8 p. m.

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## \$100,000 of Milk Saved

Escapes Damage in Albany Fire; Rebuilding Plant Assured

ALBANY—An estimated \$100,000 worth of canned milk will be saved by the Borden Milk company simply by the removal of labels water-soaked in the fire which destroyed the Charles J. Lilly Seed company's warehouse here last Monday. The Borden company had retained space in the big building for the storage of canned milk.

Piled in thick tiers, self-insulation was maintained, investigators reported, and as a result only cases in the two or three outer rows suffered direct damage from the flames.

Work of rebuilding the building in which the canney was located is expected to start this week, P. J. Burk, operator of the cannery, announces. The decision to rebuild this plant was reached following conferences with the insurance adjusters and Oregon Electric officials on Wednesday. The boiler and boiler footings, located in a building outside the cannery proper were not harmed by the fire. Nothing was salvaged from the main cannery building.

The new building will be erected on the cement foundation of the burned plant, which only suffered surface damage and will need only to be resurfaced. The new building will be 45 by 70 feet slightly larger than the one burned in Monday's fire.

Plans call for the completion of the new cannery in time for the peach and prune canning. In addition to the canning of these fruits, Burk states he has an order for 10,000 cases of tomatoes.

So far no definite announcement has been made by the Lilly Seed company as to future plans of rebuilding here but it is hoped that they will see their way to remaining in the city.

## Eye Injured by Sparkler Flame

MONITOR—Mrs. Walter Davis received an injury which it is feared may have permanently blinded one eye when a flame from a sparkler hit the pupil of that eye during Fourth of July festivities.

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## Goes to Canada To Visit Mother

TURNER—Mrs. Vera Dow left Saturday for Saskatoon, Canada, to be with her mother, who is critically ill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Whitten is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Riches of Canby, Wash., spent the weekend at the parental S. A. Riches home.

The WCTU will meet with Mrs. L. M. Small Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

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