

Bridge Survey Progress Made

Structure Contemplated at Independence Crossing

INDEPENDENCE—On request of the state highway commission state engineers are making a survey of the cost of a bridge across the Willamette river near the ferry site, and expect to have their report ready for the February meeting of the commission.

Business men of Independence enthusiastic over the possibility of a bridge and realize the many advantages to the city, especially during the hop harvest, as well as increased travel in the county and increased valuation of property.

Ramona Chapter To Meet Tuesday

SILVERTON—Tomina Hollingsworth as worthy matron, and Roy Skaffe as worthy patron, presided at the Tuesday night meeting of Ramona chapter of Eastern Star. The affiliation degree was given for a new member, Irene Hande, and a special surprise was arranged for the worthy matron.

Highway Meeting Set, February 3

INDEPENDENCE—The annual meeting and election of officers of the Salem-Independence and Valley Highway association will be held Tuesday night at Campbell hall following the dinner meeting of the chamber of commerce.

Polk Encourages March of Dimes

DALLAS—Cards are being received week by week by Polk county residents for the march of dimes campaign in connection with the birthday of President Roosevelt and the drive for funds for the relief of infantile paralysis.

Pictures Shown At Salem High

LINCOLN—Vernon Merrick of Lincoln showed educational pictures in color at the Salem senior high school last Friday at a joint meeting of the civic and social science clubs, including historical scenes at Gettysburg, Washington, DC, taken by Frank Crawford, Jr., and Vernon Merrick on a trip last fall, and scenes of local interest.

Shower Is Given At Mill City

MILL CITY—The young woman's Sunday school class of the Presbyterian church sponsored a shower for Mrs. Alva Anderson at the home of her teacher, Mrs. Herbert Schroeder Tuesday night.

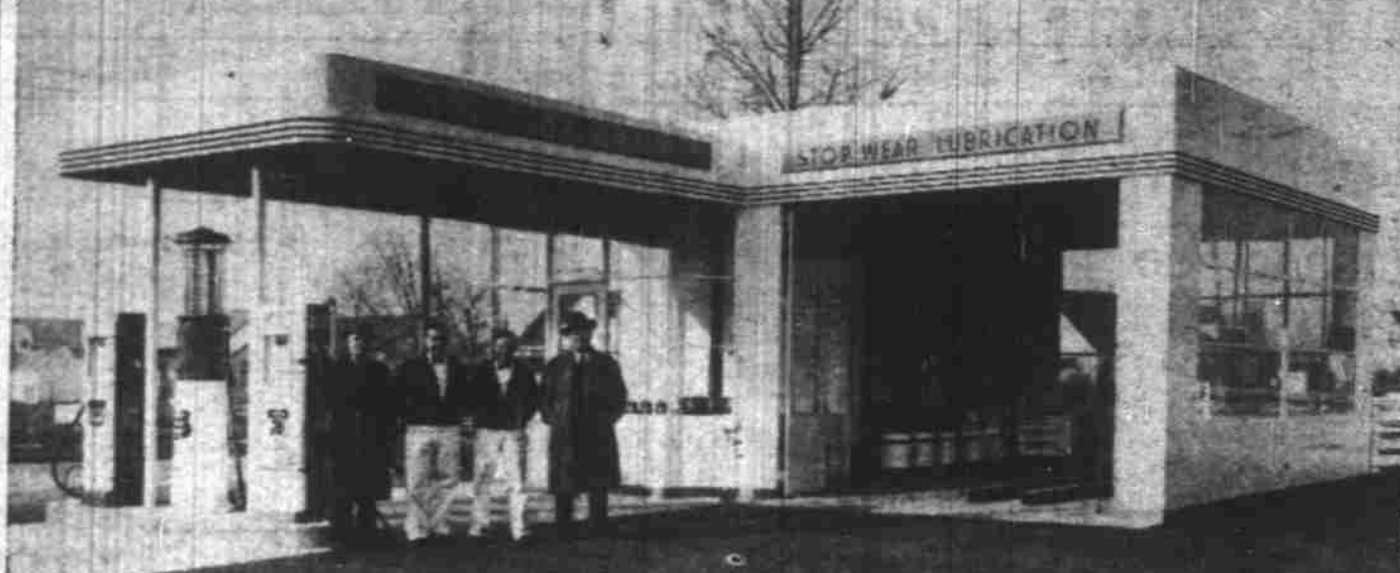
O'Hair Disposes Of Mortuary

WOODBURN—Keith O'Hair for the past several years proprietor of the O'Hair mortuary in Woodburn, has accepted a similar position in Camas, Wash., and the mortuary here is closed.

Howard Attends Meet

MONMOUTH—Dr. C. A. Howard is spending three days in Seattle this week with Sheldon Davis, president of Montana State Normal college at Dillon.

Salem's Newest Service Station Opens Today



The grand opening of this newest service unit of the Union Oil company is slated today at the intersection of Seventeenth and Market streets. It is owned and operated by Larry Fallin. Standing in the drive (left to right) are M. E. Lawrence, district salesman for Union Oil, Harold Colgan, employee, Larry Fallin, owner and operator, and Ted Purvine, Salem manager for the company.

Newest Service Station Opened

Gifts Offered by Owner of Latest Union Products Unit

Today will mark the formal opening of the newest service unit of the Union Oil company at the intersection of Seventeenth and Market streets, according to Ted Purvine, local manager for the oil company.

Ultra modern in every detail, the new station is owned and operated by Larry Fallin, a local man who is well known to Salem motorists. He has been engaged in the gasoline and oil retail business for the past 17 years.

Lincoln Reports Two 'Close Calls'

LINCOLN—Lincoln community had two accidents this week which might have easily been disastrous. The first occurred when a young man was driving to work down the Zena Lincoln road.

Flying Is Thrill Given Turner Lad

TURNER—Vernon Olson was given the thrill of his young life recently when he was taken for an airplane ride by his older brother, Dean, III for several months he had expressed a desire to fly and with the doctor's permission was given the opportunity of seeing Turner and community from the air.

Hike 80 Miles to Enlist



If you want to join the army, reasoned Charles Manning, 18, and his chums, Bob Clements, 19, of San Francisco, the thing to do is to go to the army, and join. So they set out from their homes on foot and headed for Camp McQuaide, where San Francisco's 250th Coast Artillery is in training.

Lebanon Claims Best Record in State For Number of Vacant Houses; Report Indicates Fire Department Efficient

LEBANON—Lebanon has the lowest percentage of vacant houses of any city in the state according to the figures of the census bureau. On April 1 of last year, Lebanon was found to have a population of 2729 and to have 863 dwellings.

Silverton Churches

SILVERTON—Mrs. Jesse W. Bunch, president of the Woman's Society for Christian Service for the Oregon conference, will be the speaker for the local WSCS thank offering Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church.

Temperance Day To Be Observed

TURNER—The Methodist church will observe temperance day on Sunday morning, with Mrs. C. A. Bear, local WCTU president presiding at the special program.

Scio Considered In Defense Class

SCIO—Federal vocational department has not made definite decision to include Scio in defense training in welding and sheet-metal work, according to A. E. Bliss, principal of Scio high school.

St. Mary's Lunch Program Extended

MT. ANGEL—The hot lunches, which through the donation of local organizations and the services of the WPA have been served to needy and underweight children of the lower grades of St. Mary's school for the past few months, will henceforth be made available to the children of all eight grades.

Friends Surprise Lebanon Woman

LEBANON—Mrs. Dennis Klum who was born 75 years ago in Umatilla, Ore., was surprised Monday by a group of her neighbors who brought gifts and a birthday cake.

Observes 81st Year

BRUSH CREEK—Mrs. Anna K. Jensen observed her 81st birthday anniversary at her home here Friday. Mrs. Jensen has been a resident of Silverton community for 46 years and of Brush Creek for 35 years.

Poling to Address Class

DAYTON—Daniel Poling of Albany will address the Dayton high school February 6 on the subject of education following high school graduation. He will give the senior class a special talk immediately following the group conference.

Boy Scout Week Observance Set

Banquet Slated by Mothers Club for February 10 at KP Hall

DALLAS—Several events have been arranged in Dallas in observance of National Boy Scout week which starts February 9. On Sunday the members of the different troops will attend morning church services at the First Evangelical church here. On Monday night, February 10, a banquet will be held at the Knights of Pythias hall.

Dr. Gordon, Corvallis, to Speak on 'Ladies Night' New Station Opened

INDEPENDENCE—Dr. Emma Gordon of Corvallis will be the guest speaker of the "ladies night" meeting February 18 of the chamber of commerce.

Mill City News

MILL CITY—M. J. Mermillon of Idanha has leased the restaurant between the postoffice and the bank.

Woodburn Bridge Club Holds Meet

WOODBURN—Mrs. Henry Miller entertained the Thursday afternoon bridge club at her home with a 1 o'clock luncheon.

Orey Rites Held At Independence

INDEPENDENCE—Mrs. Jane May Orey died in Salem Sunday, January 25 at the age of 65 years.

Marston Awarded \$3458 as Damage

DALLAS—A verdict for \$3458 was received by Louis Marston in his personal injury suit against the Willamette Valley Lumber company, which was tried in the circuit court here this week before Judge Arlie G. Walker.

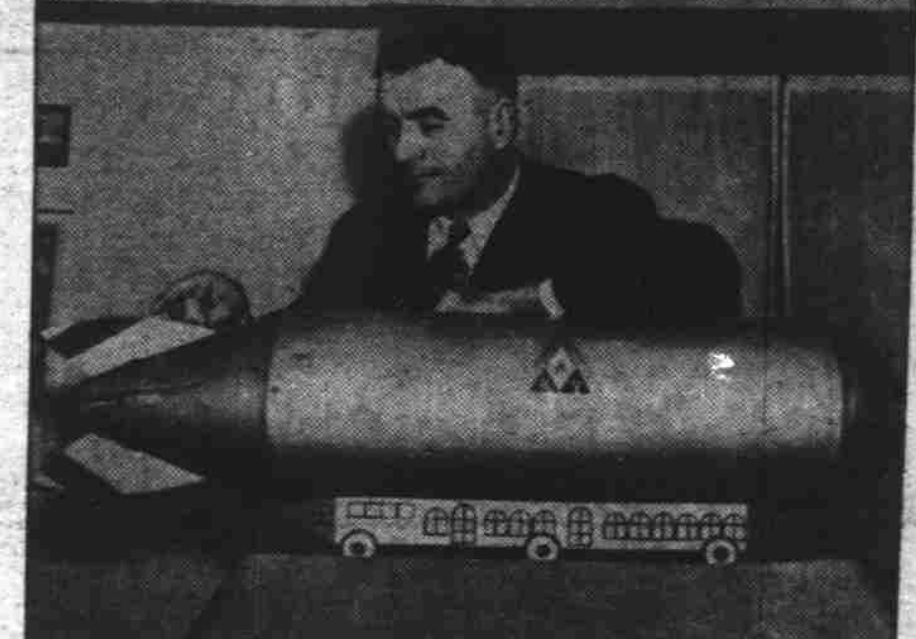
Logging Employee Is Rescued From River

MILL CITY—Raymond Case, logging camp employee on the Little North Fork, while walking across the river on a boom carrying a 15-gallon oil drum in his arms, was thrown in the river by the sudden tightening of the boom line by the donkey engineer.

Return to Coburg

AUMSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mountain who have been here for the past month at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Howard Strunk, returned to Coburg Thursday. Their small grandson, Gary Strunk accompanied them for a visit with them and at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Palmer Bodker at Junction City.

Invents New Aircraft



Ralph A. Yell and his "Ray ship" model. A lighter-than-air craft, propelled on a principle that combines the features of a rocket ship and vacuum power, has been developed by Ralph A. Yell, Los Angeles civil engineer, who claims the ship could travel 200 miles an hour and weigh three-quarters less than existing dirigibles.

Independence Has Various Activity

Folk Return to Home; Local Pastor Gives Invocation. INDEPENDENCE—Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dickenson returned Friday from a trip in Azusa, Calif., where they visited relatives.

Endeavor Slates 7th Homecoming

ZENA—The seventh annual homecoming of Spring Valley Christian endeavor commemorating the 60th anniversary of the national Christian endeavor will be held at the Zena church, Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

Tea Planned for West Salem School; Safety Talk Slated; Officers Named

WEST SALEM—The executive committee of the parent-teacher association held a meeting in the school Thursday afternoon, when plans were made to have a tea in the lower grade school in February and a tea in the upper grade school in March.

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