

McDonald Heads Clan

Tales of Early Days Told by Family; Lincoln Claim Held

SCIO — Lester McDonald of Silverton was elected president of the McDonald clan at the annual reunion Sunday in a large oak grove at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDonald on Thomas creek a few miles east of Scio. The new president succeeds Gilbert McDonald of Scio, who had served during the last year.

Other officers for the ensuing year include: vice president, R. H. McDonald; Scio secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Alice Huber, Lyons.

About 50 members of the clan attended this year's meeting, many coming from long distances for the occasion.

Basket dinner was served in the grove and the afternoon was spent in visiting and listening to experiences of early days, ox trains across the plains, horse and buggy days in the Scio valley, etc.

United States patent (deed) to a portion of the original McDonald donation-land claim signed by President Abraham Lincoln, is said still to be in possession of a member of the clan.

SCIO — Mrs. Clara Berger was in Portland this week on business, during which time Mrs. V. J. Phillips conducted the Berger store.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warren spent the weekend on a fishing trip on the Deschutes river, stopping at Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curl of Jefferson exhibited in Scio a few days ago alphabetic evidence of their victory garden. Two potatoes, attached at one end, formed a perfect letter V.

Charles Childs of Albany, for years a member of the Oregon state legislature from Linn county, also joint senator for Linn and Lane counties, was transacting business in Scio a few days ago.

Having recently disposed of his real estate interests in Kansas, Frank Kozak plans to make his home for the present with the Scio family of his daughter, Mrs. James Lamer.

Mrs. Nellie Jones of Stayton visited Scio relatives and friends a few days ago. She formerly lived here but is conducting a rooming house in Stayton.

Detmering Rite Set Today

DAYTON — Albert Detmering, 85, a resident of this area for about 60 years, died in his sleep on Monday at his home in Dayton. He had been in declining health for several months.

Detmering was born October 3, 1857, at Fillmore, Wis., and came to Ellensburg, Wash., in 1883. A few years later he moved to Dayton where he farmed until he retired. He was never married. Detmering was a member of Jacob Mayer lodge 108, AF and AM, of Dayton.

Survivors include a brother, August Detmering of Dayton; three sisters, Mrs. Emma Fuchs of Dayton, Mrs. Anna Schmidt and Mrs. Bertha Behmke, both of Santa Monica, Calif.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Friday at Macy's chapel at McMinnville. Rev. Dallas Meserve of the Dayton Christian church will officiate. Burial will be in the Dayton Brookside cemetery.

Tompkins Sells Part of Farm To Worthingtons

GRAND ISLAND — Harold Tompkins, airplane gunner stationed at Salt Lake, is home on a short furlough to dispose of his farm, machinery and livestock. He held a public auction at his Siletz river bottom 168-acre farm Sunday and has several offers for it.

Tuesday he sold the 10-acre place here located diagonally from the Grand Island school, known as the Frank Sawyer place, to Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Worthington of Wheatland.

Teacher Hired

ANKENY — Mrs. Gladys Doran has been hired as teacher for the Ankeny school which will open about September 13.

Nettie Jean Farr, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Farr, is convalescing at her home in Albany from an operation for appendicitis.

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Knights Plan Columbus Day Benefit Dance

SUBLIMITY — At the monthly Knights of Columbus meeting held at Sublimity on Tuesday, arrangements were made for the annual Columbus Day dance, which will be given in Stayton on Friday night, October 8, for the benefit of the servicemen.

This annual affair since Pearl Harbor has been one of the outstanding dances in the Santiam valley and this year special effort is being put on to supply those in the armed services with the servicemen's bulletin and other needed assistance.

Grand Knight Ed Jacoby appointed the following dance committee: Raymond Kerber, chairman, Francis O'Connor, Bert Gradley, Ted Etzel, Paul Lambrecht and Harold Rubel.

Announcement of installation of officers was made for the next meeting, which will be held at Sublimity on Tuesday night, September 21. The initiation date has been set for a Sunday in October.

Under the good of the order part of the meeting, directed by Lecturer Raymond Kerber, honors were given Matt Gerspacher, who leaves for the armed services on Wednesday morning. Speaking on the program was Eugene Frichtl of Stayton, on a furlough from Pendleton field, and also Philip Ditter of Portland, who is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Following the meeting, a watermelon feed was served by the lecturer. Chairman Bert Bradley of the athletic committee put on a program of athletics.

Worker Sets Record for Handling Aluminum

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 18 (AP)—Aluminum for nine fighter planes in one week.

That was the amount of metal handled by pot tender Robert Norvell during seven straight 16-hour shifts totaling 112 hours, the Aluminum company of America plant here disclosed today.

Norvell equaled the record set last year by Gus Sellberg, another pot tender in Alcoa's local plant.

Pelsters Buy Pederson Turkey Ranch; Silverton Groups Plan Coming Meeting

SILVERTON — Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pederson, well-known turkey raisers, this week sold their 100-acre ranch on the Silver Creek Falls road to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Pelster from Nebraska. The newcomers, who also took over the turkeys, will move in September 15.

The Pedersons plan to take a trip to California with the idea of spending at least the winter there if they find it to their liking. Mrs. Pederson came to Silverton 42 years ago and Mr. Pederson about 12 years later. Since their marriage 230 some years ago, they have lived on their present ranch.

Planning to accompany them south are their five children, Marie, Genevieve, Alvin, Andrew, Jr., and Betty. They plan to leave by mid-September.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Williams have purchased the Elmo Lindholm home on East Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clough have been living here. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McCannan recently purchased the A. L. Coote home on Coolidge street. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have been living in the Coote home.

SILVERTON — Mrs. Joseph Stirk and her two children, Fred and Marie, are at Silverton for several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stirk. Mrs. Stirk, the former Dorothy Stirk, and her family now live at Seattle where Mr. Stirk is employed at Boelings.

Auburn Garden Clubs to Plan Fall Show Tonight

AUBURN — A meeting of the three 4H Garden clubs in the Auburn community will be held at the Auburn school tonight at 7:30 o'clock. As this is a very important meeting, all club members are urged to attend.

Plans for making exhibits at the Marion county fall show will be discussed.

Two moving pictures will be shown by Amos Bierly, county 4H club agent, who will attend the meeting. The first picture is entitled "Gardening," which gives a few details helpful in garden management. A second, is a war picture "Target for Tonight," showing an actual bombing raid over Germany.

Both are sound films of interest to all club members.

SILVERTON — Members of the Silverton, Trinity Lutheran league are planning a Sunday night wienner roast and social hour at the outdoor church yard fireplace Sunday night.

Calvary Lutheran Ladies Aid society will meet Wednesday af-

Lions Talk Autumn Plans

SILVERTON — Reports and plans for the autumn were heard and made at the Wednesday night meeting of the Silverton Lions club of which Melvin Bell is president.

Included in the report was that Jack Spencer, Lions club chairman of war bond sales, had been appointed Silverton chairman at a meeting held during the week. Mr. Spencer will serve for the entire community. Another report was made of the meeting of district governors held at Portland early this week and attended by Dr. A. L. V. Smith, who is a member of the local club and governor of this district.

Plans discussed were for the erection of a victory board at Silverton to hold the names of all local service men.

Ulrich Eilers Funeral Today

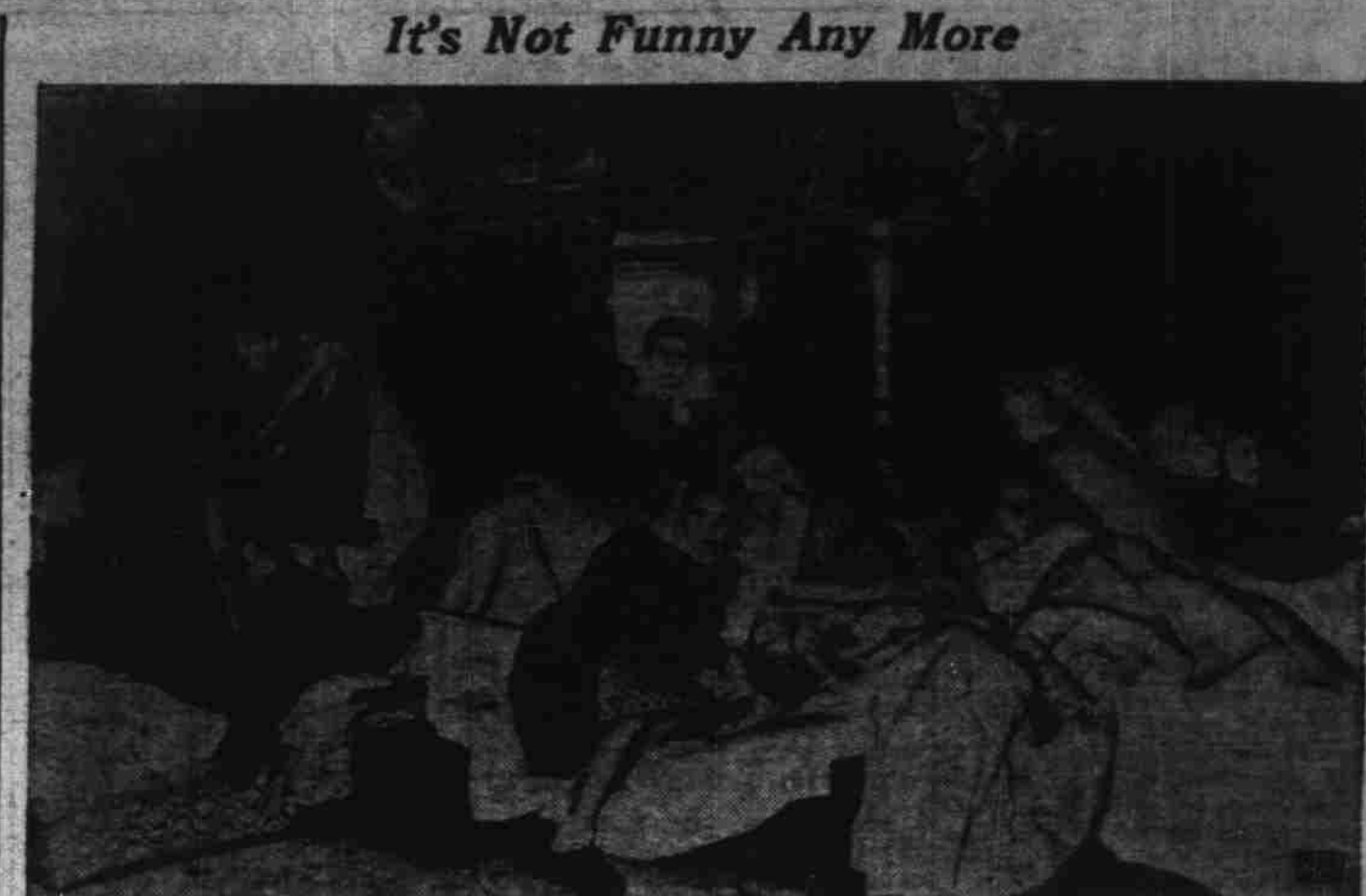
AURORA — Ulrich Eilers, 62, died Wednesday afternoon in an Oregon City hospital. For the past 46 years he had lived on a farm near Aurora. He was born in July, 1881, in Portland.

Surviving are the widow, Ellen; three sons, Vernon A. of Corvallis, Melvin F. in the South Pacific in the navy and John F. in Australia with the army.

Services will be at the Atkinson Memorial Congregational church, Portland, of which he was a member, on Friday at 2:30 p. m. The body will be taken to the Portland Crematorium for burial in charge of Holman and Hankins Funeral home of Oregon City.

Grangers Adjourn Meets Two Months

DAYTON — Due to the small attendance Saturday night at the Dayton-Webfoot grange meeting, members voted to adjourn for two months during the busy harvest season.



Earlier in the war, German propaganda officials crowded at pictures like this of the air war on Britain. Today the shoe is on the other foot. This picture appeared in the Berliner Illustrierte Zeitung captioned as bombed-out citizens of an unnamed German town.

Woodburn's Employment Office Moves

WOODBURN — The US employment service was moved Monday one door north to the building vacated about a year ago by the Gurney grocery store, on the corner of Front and Garfield streets. According to Mrs. Fern Daugherty, employment officer, the berry fields are well supplied with pickers, but there has been a decided scarcity of pickers for beans and also for hops. The picking of early hops is well started; the later hops will be coming on next week.

C. E. Beckwith from Canby has rented the building recently vacated by the US employment service and is installing equipment and machinery for a Fix-It shop. He will be ready to repair pumps of various types, washing machines, sewing machines and practically any type of household equipment that is not working properly. Mr. Beckwith has been in business in Canby for the past 14 years.

Mrs. Roy Lambert is reported in satisfactory condition following injuries to her hand and arm in a clothes wringer. Her husband is engaged in timber work in the Berlin locality.

WOODBURN — Twenty three men from the Woodburn district left early Thursday morning to be

Valley Births

GRAND ISLAND — Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Asher are the parents of a seven and quarter pound daughter born Monday morning at the Dr. Charles H. Law hospital in Amity. This is their first child and she has been named Sandra Leigh. Asher is in training at Fort Knox, Ky., in the armored infantry, having been inducted last March 17. This is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. George Asher here and of Mr. and Mrs. John Lorenzen of Amity.

SCIO — Mrs. Gail Jones of Scio has received an announcement of the birth of a son, Warren Charles, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gaskill at Albany. The new arrival is a nephew of Mrs. Jones, the father being in army service.

SILVERTON — Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matheny are reporting the birth of a son at the Silverton hospital Tuesday.

Zimmerman Better

SILVERTON — Carl Zimmerman was able to resume his work at the Silver Falls planer shed this week after several days of serious illness.

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Diced Beets Del Monte

9 Points 303 Glass 12c

Red Dart Sugar Peas

18 Pts. 2's tin 14c

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Fancy 3 pts. 2's tin 12c

Tomatoes All Good Solid Pack

24 Points, 2's tin 19c

Grapefruit Juice H & D Florida

4 Pts., 47 oz. tin 35c

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27 Points, 2's tin 29c

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