

### Mayor Avers Cities 'Merged' Informally Now

Mayor Walter Musgrave of West Salem took the stand that Salem and West Salem are, for all practical purposes, already one community in explaining the advantages of a merger between the two cities at a Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon in the Marion hotel Tuesday noon.

### Board to Consider Near \$2 Million in Highway Projects

Bids for state highway projects aggregating a cost of \$1,200,000, in addition to projects previously announced, estimated to cost more than \$600,000, will be considered by the state highway commission at a meeting in Portland February 2 and 3.

### Forger Granted Wish; Returned to State Penitentiary

John E. Winn, 1590 Lee st., who had told arresting officers he wanted to return to the state prison had his wish Tuesday when Circuit Judge E. M. Page sentenced him to a four-year term.

### Federal Official Confers with Hall

G Girard Davidson, assistant secretary of the interior with headquarters in Washington, D. C., conferred with Gov. John C. Hall nearly an hour Tuesday.

### Plan 4-H Club Training Meets

First of a series of three 4-H club training meetings will be held Saturday at Stayton high school with club members, leaders and parents invited to participate. Later meetings will be held at Mt. Angel, January 31, and in Salem on February 7.

### First Citizen Dinner Tonight

Salem's Junior First Citizen for 1947 will be announced, and honored, at tonight's Founder's day banquet of the Junior Chamber of Commerce which will begin at 7 o'clock in the Mirror room of the Marion hotel.

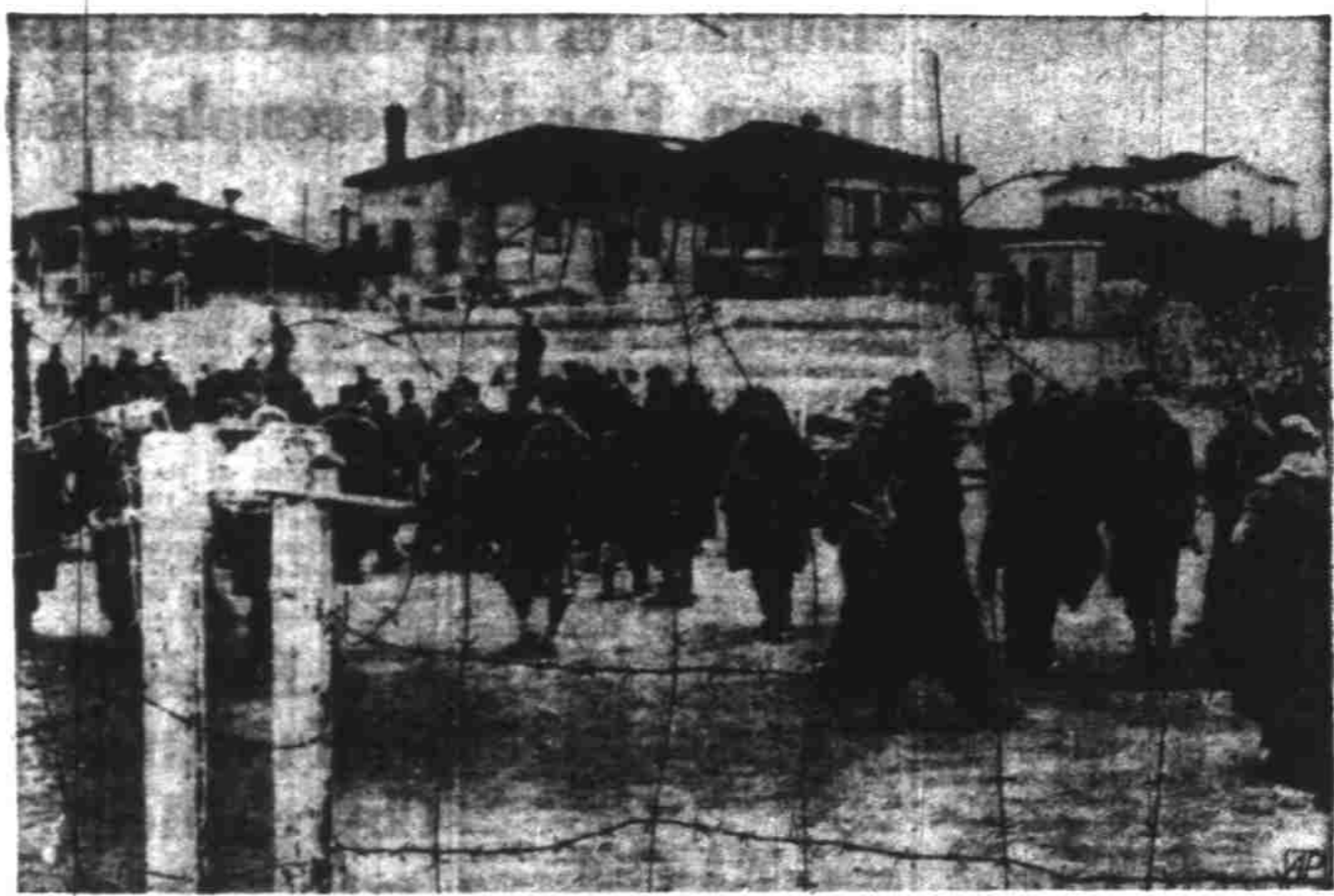
### Clow Is Elected Club President

UNIONVALE — Newly elected officers of the Community club are John Clow, president; Fred Wilkes, jr., vice president; Mrs. Victor Geiger, secretary; Ari Launer, treasurer; William N. Perry, in charge of 4-H club work in Yamhill county, showed two reels of film. Next meeting will be a Valentine pie social to raise money for the club's activities.

### Jews to Mobilize For Defense Work

JERUSALEM, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The office of Jewish Infiltration announced tonight that all Jewish men and women in Palestine between the ages of 25 and 40 would be enrolled in defense work by February 1.

### Greek Guerrillas Captured by Government



ATHENS, Greece, Jan. 20 — Barber wire stockade at Ioannina holds guerrilla fighters captured by Greek government troops in fighting in Northern Greece. (AP Wirephoto to the Statesman.)

### Sen. Chase to Head Farm Labor Council

The new state agricultural advisory council Tuesday elected State Sen. Truman Chase of Eur Oregon farm labor leader which now are to be cared for through more than 80 state employment service offices.

Predictions of peak seasonal farm worker demands of some 85,000 over Oregon were accompanied by assurances from employment service representatives that farm labor placement would be carried out by 32 full-time, 30 itinerant and 20 to 30 seasonal offices in areas requiring migrant and domestic farm laborers.

Earl R. Lovell, director of the state employment service, was elected secretary of the council.

Estimates of workers needed from the opening of the sugar beet thinning and lettuce harvest in the Ontario district in early May until the last apples, nuts and pears have been gathered in late November were placed before the council by Joe Wilson, farm placement director.

The establishment of separate offices for farm labor, even in communities with full-time employment offices, to meet peak needs, came in for considerable discussion but not recommendation was made, pending further investigation. Criticism was voiced by some members of the council that farm labor could not be supplied adequately in some offices where heavy industrial placements are made.

To solve this problem and other local emergencies it was urged that local advisory committees be organized.

Farm labor camps and housing are still required in Oregon, but financing must be left to the growers, Chairman Chase declared.

Other members of the advisory council attending the meeting were H. H. Chindgren, Molalla; J. J. Fisher, Gresham; H. G. Hohwiesner, Portland; D. F. Kennedy, Independence; R. K. Norris, Medford; Henry Simon, Klamath Falls, and E. C. Kiegl, Hood River. The next meeting will be held in March.

FUNERAL FOR COLUMNIST MEDFORD, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Funeral services for Arthur Gordon Perry, 62-long-time reporter and columnist of the Medford Mail-Tribune, will be held here tomorrow.

### Valley Obituaries

Aina W. Hurlburt SILVERTON — Aina W. Hurlburt, widow of Thomas N. Hurlburt, late sheriff of Multnomah county, died Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Oscar C. Edlund, 108 Pine st. She had lived here for the past year.

### Petersen to Try For State Senate

KLAMATH FALLS, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Marius Petersen today announced candidacy for the democratic nomination for 17th district senator.

### Marine Corps Auxiliary To Hold State Executive Session in Salem Soon

A state marine corps league auxiliary executive session will be held Friday, February 6, at Normandy Manor in Salem, it was announced this week by Fay Bozelle, Cottage Grove, state president.

The announcement was made at a meeting of Gerald Dwain Herberth unit, a Eugene detachment, attended Monday night by several Salem league and auxiliary members, including Gene Wheeler, state commandant, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpkins, Golda Wheeler, Mrs. Eva Rush and G. Snook.

WANTED BY LANE COUNTY Gov. John H. Hall issued papers Monday seeking the return of James Farrell, under arrest at Litchfield, Ill., who is wanted in Lane county for uttering a forged bank check.

### Idaho, Oregon Agree on Milk Label Rulings

Several proposals for more uniform handling of milk in the Oregon-Idaho border territory were agreed to at a recent conference of state department of agriculture officials and public health officials of the two states, O. K. Beals, chief of the Oregon division of foods and dairies, reported on his return here Saturday.

### Silverton Scouts Take Weekend Outing Jaunt

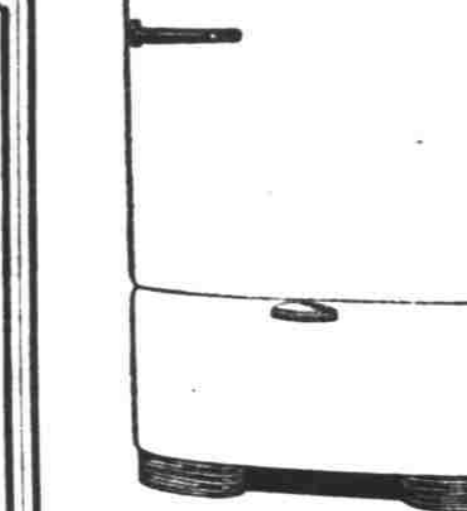
SILVERTON — Fifteen boys of Silverton Scout troop 52, accompanied by Scoutmaster Clayton Marcoe, Mel Bishop and Sam Jones, went on an overnight camping trip Saturday and Sunday on the upper Abiqua near the 20-acre tract donated by Christian Peterson for scout activities.

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### Conciliators Chosen in Communications Strike

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The city administration today set up a special conciliation committee in an effort to end a strike of some 3,000 foreign communications workers on the east and west coasts.

### FAVORS THIRD PARTY

COEUR D'ALENE, Idaho, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Approval of a third party as a means of expression for several million independent voters who heretofore voted for Franklin D. Roosevelt" was expressed by the Idaho state CIO-PAC Monday.

### Cecil Snyder May Not Face Trial for Father's Death

BEND, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The possibility arose today that Cecil Snyder, 11, may be placed on parole without facing a trial on a charge of killing his father. The boy was arrested December 18, a few days after his father's death from eating a cheese sandwich. Police said the boy confessed placing poison in the sandwich because of his father's "cruelty."

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