

Telephone Man Buys Residence In Four Corners

FOUR CORNERS—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Webster have purchased the residence at 420 S. Lancaster drive from W. W. Mel, who has moved to Salem. Webster is supervising foreman for Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., in the Salem area, recently transferred here from Portland. House guests of the Websters the last two weeks were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kroll, Birkenfeld, Ore. Mrs. Kroll is Mrs. Webster's sister.

Guest of the Albert Brants, 510 Beck ave., for the weekend was her brother, Lt. Comdr. J. H. Norwood, from the USS Colorado, Bremerton.

Plane Mechanic Here

Homer Morgan, Western Air Lines mechanic at Vancouver, flew his own plane to Salem and is helping out at McNary field during the emergency. He is a brother of Mrs. Ross Chrisman. While here is staying with his father, W. A. Morgan, Mahrt ave.

W. J. Sitton, 110 S. Elma ave., was released from Salem General hospital and will return to work this week.

Visit in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon France, Kenneth and Dewey France left by train Sunday to visit friends and relatives in Oklahoma City and Norman, Okla., and will be gone two weeks.

Four Corners Baptist church has postponed its Wednesday night meeting for one week so that those who wish may attend the first

Detroit High School Holds Commencement

DETROIT—Graduation exercises were held Friday for the grade and high school pupils. Ward Rice of Eugene was speaker. Graduating from high school were Nina Jean Tucker, Nancy Budlong and Donna Willis. Graduated from the eighth grade were Mary Gordon, Delphine Tucker, Shirley Willis, Sharon LaVasseur, Vicki Lawbach, Lois O'Brien, Peggy Goodeve, Barbara Denton and David Dray, John Davis, Kenneth Harris, Paul Floyd, James White and Malvin Delano.

Dallas Presbyterian Church Is Remodeled

DALLAS—The foundation has been poured for the addition to the Presbyterian church. Plans call for the extension of the building to within three feet of the sidewalk, lowering of floors in the vestibule and the prayer room, placing the entrance at the center front which will provide added space in four class rooms.

Charles Weideman, local contractor, is in charge of the building.

Baptist church in Salem to hear Dr. J. R. Turnbull speak Wednesday, June 9.

Boys Go Fishing

Lenthal Holmes took his class of Junior boys from Four Corners Baptist Sunday school on a fishing trip to Santiam and Mill creek Saturday. Making the trip were Donald Jacobs, David Baker, Jack Brant, Craig Scott, Dewey France, Kenneth France, Gary Pierpoint, Darrell Rickman, Darrell Hepner.

Stayton Family Visits in Detroit

DETROIT—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baldwin and daughter of Stayton visited relatives here for the week end holiday.

Eagles lodge entertained with a dance Wednesday, June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waterman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Fagan for the weekend.

Jim Dickey is in the Bend hospital recovering from an accident.

Surprise birthday dinner was given Ruskin A. Smith at his home the evening of June 4th. Guests were Mr. Otto Russell, Arthur Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Campbell, Mrs. M. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wegleski and Marilyn and Wally Van Meyers. Mrs. Ruskin Smith was a charming hostess.

Mrs. Ruskin Smith drove to Portland last week where friends joined her and they continued on to Seaside for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. "Red" Ryerson and their daughter, Susan, drove to Bend Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Russell, of Portland were guests of Otto Russell last week.

Mrs. Margaret Noble was visited by her son, her sister and her brother-in-law of Seattle. They stayed over the holiday week-end with her.

"Never a Dull Moment" was presented by pupils of the eighth grade at the grade school building Wednesday, June 2. In the cast were Mary Gordon, Shirley Willis, Dalphine Tucker, Vicki Lawbach, Barbara Denton, Peggy Goodeve, David Bray, James White, Paul Floyd and John Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Preede and Burt Moore of Bend were guests of the Len Davis Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Wright is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bostwick in Portland and her week-old granddaughter, Susan Leone Bostwick. She will return Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Delano spent the week end at Newport. Mrs. Delano's son, Don Harper is here on furlough.

Dallas Pastor On Trip to East

DALLAS—The Rev. Ralph P. Waggoner of Nelscott, former pastor of the local Presbyterian church, supplied the pulpit Sunday. Mrs. Waggoner and two daughters, Ruth and Ann, accompanied him.

Other ministers who will fill the pulpit through July 4, will be: June 13, the Rev. Winfield E. Nagley, department of religion, Lewis & Clark college; June 20, the Rev. Ernest W. Warrington, D.D., department of religion and philosophy, Oregon State college; June 27, the Rev. John B. Harrington, chaplain, Lewis & Clark college, Portland; July 4, the Rev. S. J. Osborne of McMinnville.

Dr. and Mrs. Earl W. Benbow are on an extended trip and will visit relatives at points in Iowa and attend the wedding of their son, Robert, and Ann Merrill June 12 at East Pepperill, Mass. Dr. Benbow will officiate at the wedding. From there they will go to Chatahoochee, Fla., for a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John T. Benbow. Returning by Los Angeles, they expect to be here early in July.

Berry Canning, Freezing Gets Underway Here

Processing of gooseberries today and strawberries later this week will open up the Salem area's annual summer food canning and freezing season.

United Growers plant at Liberty received a few gooseberries yesterday and expects to begin processing strawberries next Monday. Blue Lake Packers expects to start gooseberries Thursday or Friday along with strawberries. Kelly Farquhar, which will freeze strawberries, expects to start Thursday.

Producers Packing company has slated gooseberries for today with strawberries later this week. Starr Fruit Products company will begin to can gooseberries Wednesday to be followed in a few days by strawberries.

Hunt Foods, Inc., expects to start on strawberries by next Monday, as does Oregon Fruit Products company in West Salem. The West Salem plant also started gooseberries Monday. Reid Murdoch company plans to open its strawberry pack late this week.

Oregon Fruit Products company expects berries to start coming in from The Dalles about June 25 for canning. Last year they started about June 12.

All of the gooseberries will be canned while most of the strawberries will be frozen, it was reported.

Salem Delegates Attend Parley of Christian Science

BOSTON, June 7—Thousands of Christian Scientists from many parts of the world are assembled here today in annual meeting, including Dorothy C. Pope, Greta Hyatt, Laura E. Kelly and June Wilber Lamb of Salem, Ore.

The Christian Science board of directors urged Christian Scientists to work strongly and actively for the defense of free government throughout the world, declaring that such government rightly merits active defense of its sacred purpose in addition to the pious declarations of allegiance to its outer form.

The incoming president, Harry C. Browne, declared that the success of any organization, institution or government depends upon the spiritual efficacy of the governing or controlling instrument. The retiring president of the Mother church, Mrs. Helen Chaffee Elwell, reiterated the need for zealously guarding the democratic privileges of free assembly and freedom of worship.

Whiskers to Be Worn By Dayton Buckeroos

DAYTON, June 2—Whiskers will be the adornment work by Dayton men in advertising the Pioneer Buckeroo, a two day event to be held here July 24 and 25. The dates overlap the annual old timers picnic to be held in the city park, Sunday, July 25 which will specially feature the Oregon centennial this year.

Jobless Pay Drops Third

Unemployment payments declined nearly one-third in May from the previous month's and were 7.5 per cent lower than a year ago, the state unemployment compensation commission reported Monday.

Claims resulting from critical flood conditions did not affect the May benefits.

Workers under state coverage received \$320,574, nearly 29 per cent less than in April and 17 per cent under May, 1947. Unemployed veterans under the GI Bill of Rights were allowed \$402, Burns, is president; Mrs. St. L. Hicks, vice president; Mrs. Lois Crawford, secretary; Mrs. R. J. Meissner, treasurer.

Street Repair Being Rushed

Repairs to Union avenue, damaged seriously in the recent flood in the Portland area, will be completed by Friday, State Highway Engineer R. H. Baldock announced Monday.

He added that the cost of repairs to roads and streets under jurisdiction of the state highway commission would be large but that the total figure would not be announced for several weeks.

A staff of state highway department engineers was shifted from Salem to Portland to assist in the repair operations.

Valley Vacation Bible Schools to Open This Week

DALLAS—The annual summer Bible school, sponsored by the Dallas Ministerial association, opened this morning at the junior high school building for pupils from four years to high school age.

Transportation is provided for country children who desire to attend the school. Bus from Perrydale brings children from there and the Smithfield area by the coast highway. The Polk Station, Fir Villa route will return by the Salem highway. The bus route out Monmouth road to the bridge will return by the Salem highway. The Falls City route will include Fern's Mill and return and a mile up Oakie road. All children are asked to be at the road at 8:15 a.m., Perrydale children at 8 a.m.

Gervais Class Starts

GERVAIS—The Presbyterian church will conduct daily Bible school beginning Wednesday, June 9, to continue through June 18. Sylvia Bray, graduate of Salem Institute of Child Evangelism of Salem, assisted by Viola Bierly, Mrs. Ernest Tremblay and Mrs. E. K. Fenton of Woodburn, will be instructors.

Briefs Prepared On Surplus Appeal

Attorneys for Charles A. Sprague, plaintiff in the suit filed recently to restrain transfer of surplus state income tax revenues and corporate excise taxes to the state's general fund notified state supreme court officials Monday that their brief on appeal is being written and should reach the court prior to June 15.

The state tax commission is defendant. Circuit Judge George R. Duncan recently held the surplus funds transferrable to the general fund for payment of governmental costs, either by legislative appropriation or by vote of the people.

Amity Students Win Awards for Activities

AMITY—Students recommended to receive pins as awards for work on the high school paper, Amity Inkings for the year 1947-8: seniors, Orla Deedon, Bernadette Pitts, Patricia Tarter, Jeannette Kirkwood, Lorraine Cresswell, Rosalie Moe, Ruth Ohlinger, Dorothy Henson, Artyce Hawman, Ed Meyer, John Naman; juniors, Donna LaFollette, Deloris Jones, Delores Owen, Phyllis Jorgensen, Phyllis Meeker, Claude Rorabaugh, Bob Drain. Members of the Annual Staff, Lenore Geisler, Phyllis Meeker, John Casteel and Royal Tarter, Juniors.

Cheer leaders, Pat Tarter, Phyllis Jorgensen, Clydene Howard also received pins for their activities.

Valley News Briefs

GERVAIS—Dean E. Booster, QM3 USN, is spending a 20-day leave at his home here after duty with Joint Task Force Seven in the Marshall Islands. He will report at Seattle, for further assignment.

Lincoln—Annual Lincoln-Zena picnic will be held at Mickeye grove in Lincoln, Sunday, June 13. It will be held at the Mickeye home, south of the grove in case of rain. All interested are invited to attend. Basket dinner at 12:30 will be followed by a program and social hour. Mrs. Lois Crawford is president.

GERVAIS—Arthur McCall, Portland University student, has been home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCall for a brief vacation and will start summer school June 7 at Portland.

Lincoln—Mrs. J. D. Walling will entertain the Lincoln Goodwill club for a picnic, Thursday, June 10. Basket dinner and a program are planned. Mrs. H. D. Burns, is president; Mrs. St. L. Hicks, vice president; Mrs. Lois Crawford, secretary; Mrs. R. J. Meissner, treasurer.

GERVAIS—Carl Jorgensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jorgensen, University of Oregon, will be the life guard and have charge of swimming instructions at the Settlementer park pool in Woodburn when it opens for a 10-week period, June 26 to September 4.

Lalish Center—Kitchen shower will be held Tuesday at Mrs. O. G. McCloughry's, for the benefit of the new church kitchen.

GERVAIS—Mr. and Mrs. James Laird and children of Drain spent the weekend with David St. Johns. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Beard of Lebanon.

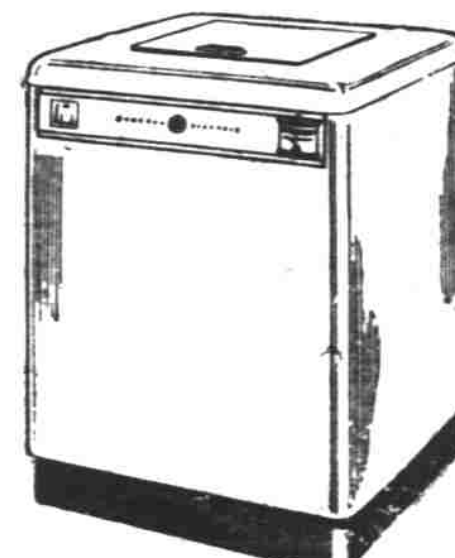
Amity—Lois Kirts of Salem, spent part of her vacation last week with her parents, Mr. and

Cloverdale Youngfolk Win Scholarships

CLOVERDALE, June 7—Kathleen Drager, 4-H club member, and Loren Newkirk, Salem high school vocational agriculture student, each received scholarships this week. Miss Drager received a full club scholarship to the annual 4-H summer school in Corvallis and Newkirk has been awarded \$75 towards a scholarship at Oregon State college for next fall.

Crosses dating from the 5th century have been found on the British Isle of Man.

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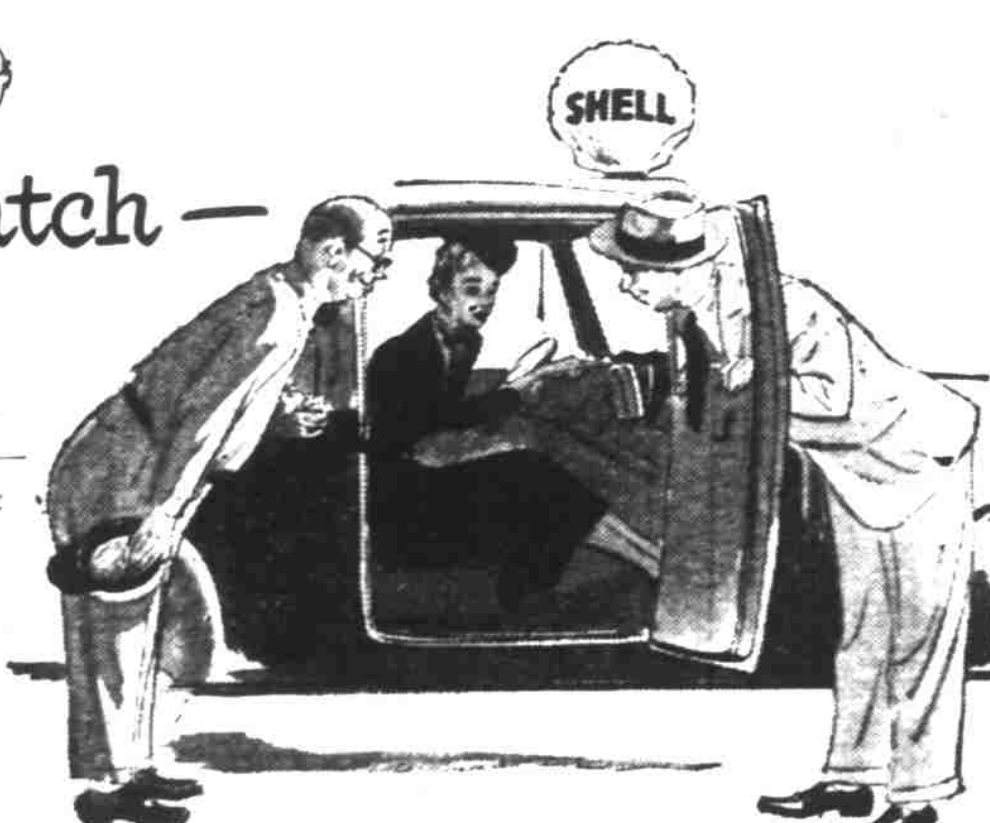
Story with a catch—

A new customer drew me aside the other day. "Look," he said, "I'm a graduate engineer—but the door on the glove compartment won't stay closed and the thing's got me stumped. My wife's torn a dress on it already."

I've fixed dozens of glove compartment doors. Usually it's the catch that needs resetting. All the job requires is a small screwdriver and a little know-how. This catch was no different from the others, and after I'd reset it, the door worked perfectly.



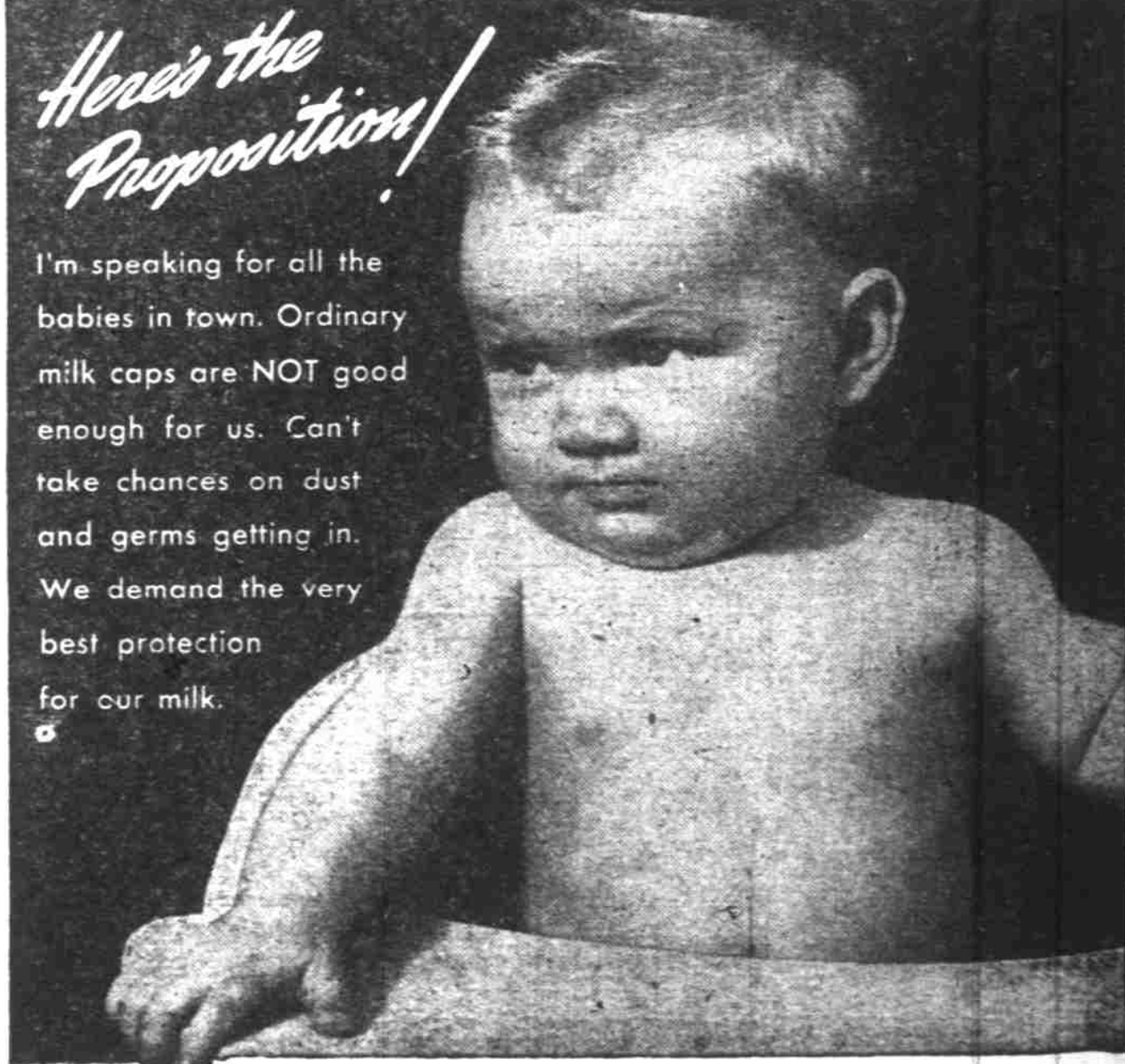
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