

New Aurora Church Holds First Service

AURORA — Pilgrims Holiness church held dedication services here recently with the Rev. V. G. Storey giving the dedication message.

Evangelistic services will be held every evening through the week at 7:30 p. m. with the exception of Saturday, when the Rev. Roy Morgan, district superintendent, in charge.

Aurora's volunteer fire department held its regular monthly meeting Monday and divided into three teams for drill with Willis Matthieu, Arthur Mills and Norman Hurst as leaders. One team will meet every Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Ben Netter has been elected president of the PTA for the year. Howard McLaren was elected vice president; Mrs. Wilbur Bevens, secretary; and Mrs. Don Garrett, treasurer.

Mrs. Eva Dental was elected president of the Aurora Womans club at a meeting here recently. Mrs. E. D. Fountain was elected vice president; Vivian Jensen, secretary; Mrs. Lieta Giesy, treasurer; Mrs. Fay Gooding, financial secretary; and Mrs. Hazel Yergen, trustee. The next meeting will be held May 4.

Mrs. E. B. Fountain has been appointed to the board of directors of the Farm home to fill an unexpired term.

Silverton PTA Elects Officers; Honors Scouts

SILVERTON — Mrs. Craig Clark has been elected president of the Silverton Parent - Teacher association, with Mrs. Harry Riches, vice president; Mrs. Marguerite Hallock, secretary; and Mrs. Allen Foster, treasurer.

At the recent meeting, safety rules for the Bicycle club, sponsored by the PTA, were explained by Harvey DePeel, a member of the local police force. Hannah Olson directed a group of children in acting out the 12 safety rules of the club. Officer DePeel explained that everyone should have a bicycle license if they rode in town even if their home was in the country.

Mrs. W. H. Woodward, Jr., president of the Santiam area Council of Girl Scouts was in charge of the Girl Scout display and the brief program given by the Scouts, and I. E. Alder introduced the Boy Scout numbers.

Mrs. Harry Vetter, president of the Silverton Parent - Teacher association, announced that the association will install electric lights in the playshed at Eugene Field school. The school board has promised to pay for the electric light used, Mrs. Vetter stated.

Scouts Honored at Hazel Green Meet; Awards Presented

HAZEL GREEN — Parents were hosts to members of Boy Scout troop 57 and pack 57 at a supper at the school recently.

Following the social supper hour, Cub Master L. E. Bowsby presented a bob cat award to Michael Gower; arrow awards to Vernon Ziebart, Clifford Wacken, Robert Bowsby and Jerry Carter; one - year attendance stars to Tommy Haury, Vernon Ziebart, Robert Bowsby, Clifford Wacken, Sammy Richard, Jerry Darling, Jerry Carter and Jim Vice.

Scoutmaster Julius Slattum presented membership cards to troop 57 and its committee Jimmy McKibben and Larry Gower are new members of the troop.

Valley Obituaries

Jesse Edward Parrish

JEFFERSON — Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Fortmiller - Frederickson chapel in Albany for Jesse Edward Parrish, 62, lifelong resident of Jefferson. Death came early Sunday morning at the Albany General hospital where he was taken Saturday. He had been ill a long time.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parrish and descendant of early day Oregon pioneers, he was born April 29, 1887, northeast of Jefferson in the Parrish Gap community. Married February 11, 1914 at Salem to Josephine Neal, she survives as do a son, Jack N. Parrish of Jefferson, and a daughter, Patricia Kendle of Scio.

Parrish was a farmer, stockman and turkey raiser, having built the turkey hatchery at the north city limits of Jefferson several years ago, before he became ill.

Driver Trapped as Auto Plunges from Road



Frank Van Epps, 20, Silverton route 1, box 119, was reported in satisfactory condition Monday after being trapped for more than six hours in his auto (above) when it was forced off the Salem-Dallas highway over a 20-foot bank at Eola Acres nursery early Sunday morning. Van Epps suffered the loss of his left eye. (Statesman photo).

Valley News Briefs

Pratum — The Rev. Lee Wiens will be the guest speaker at the union Good Friday services to be held at the Immanuel Mennonite church April 15 at 7:30 p.m.

Sunnyside — The Community club will meet Friday, April 15 at 8 p.m. Each family is asked to bring sandwiches, salad, baked beans, pie or cake.

Union Hill — The Grange Home Economic club will meet at the grange hall on Wednesday, April 13, to clean the hall and grounds. The men will also meet to assist with the cleaning. A covered dish dinner will be held at the noon hour. A business meeting will be held in the afternoon when plans will be made for the county Pomona meeting April 20.

Hazel Green — The committee of Cub Scout pack 57 will meet at the school Wednesday night, April 13 at 8 o'clock. Chairman Jesse Carter has announced.

Four Corners — Barbara Force, 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Le Barron Force, 3940 E. State st. entered Salem General Sunday and underwent surgery Monday.

Union Hill — Roy King of the Silverton Farm Equipment company will be at the grange hall on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. to aid with a weed spraying demonstration.

Hayesville — The Teenagers club met Saturday evening at the scout cabin on Hollywood avenue. Several guests were present and Mr. and Mrs. Galen Siddall, Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Katka and Mr. and Mrs. John Versteeg acted as chaperones. The next meeting will be May 14.

East Salem — Lansing Neighbors home extension unit will meet Thursday at one o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. A. Marsn on Lansing avenue. Project will be "Conserving You," leader Eleanor Trindle.

Swegle — Mrs. Oscar Wigle will have the regular Swegle Road Garden club April meeting at her home on Salem route 5 Thursday night at 7:30.

Swegle — The first meeting for members of Swegle Cub pack will be Friday night in the school auditorium. Mothers and fathers of the members of the three dens are expected to attend the meetings with the boys. Initial pins will be awarded.

Auburn — Thursday, April 14, the Auburn Woman's club will meet at the Community hall for a covered dish luncheon at 12:30. Each member is asked to bring a guest. There will also be an election of officers. The April meeting of Auburn Mothers club has been postponed one week, from April 15 to 22 as the meeting would be on Good Friday.

Swegle — Mrs. Harold Bunn was hostess for members of the Merry-go-Round club at her Hollywood drive home. There were 12 members and guests, Mrs. Wilson Biles and Mrs. Gil Blankenship present. A plant exchange was made.

Auburn — Mrs. Loran Richey was hostess for last week's meeting of the Monroe Avenue Sewing club. Nine members were present.

Pratum — Noble Bashor was elected president; Homer Welty, vice president; and Willetta Hersch, secretary-treasurer of the Community club at the meeting Friday evening.

Turner — Elwin Ray Jones, 9,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, had a narrow escape from drowning Sunday afternoon when he fell into the mill pond. He and several playmates were playing on the logs when the accident happened. Men who were working in the mill at the time rescued him. He was given artificial respiration.

Macleay — The social night for the Macleay grange will be held at the grange hall Saturday evening, with members and friends invited.

Rickreall — The annual meeting of the Polk County Tuberculosis and Health association will be held at the Rickreall grange hall Monday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock. Officers will be elected and L. P. Putnam, field organization director, from Oregon

State Tuberculosis and Health association, will speak on "Foundations of the County Association." All interested persons are invited. Refreshments will be served.

Swegle — Garden Road Neighborhood club will meet Thursday, April 14 in the home of Mrs. A. C. Schaffer at one o'clock. The meeting is one day early because of Good Friday.

East Salem — Merry Minglers will meet Thursday afternoon at one o'clock with Mrs. George Hardy.

Bales Leave on Trip To Kansas, Arkansas

FOUR CORNERS — Mr. and Mrs. William Bales, Beck ave., left Thursday by automobile for a months trip to Topeka, Kansas and Berryville, Ark. to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren and children of 3890 La Branche ave., spent the week end at Coquille visiting her brother.

Silverton Chamber Votes Fund Campaign to Maintain Police

SILVERTON, April 12 — The police force will remain intact at Silverton until the new city budget comes into effect if the Silverton Chamber of Commerce can carry out its wishes. This was the decision reached this morning at the breakfast meeting at Toney's, presided over by V. V. Runyan, president.

R. G. Allen, councilman, had brought to the attention of the chamber that the council did not have sufficient funds to retain its present five policemen until July 1. Mayor C. H. Weiby explained that the city council was proud of its police force but that it was actually about \$600 short of funds to maintain five police officers. The chamber members voted to make an effort to raise the necessary funds from local business and professional men, with those present at the breakfast expressing willingness to contribute.

Favor Tax

The chamber also went on record favoring an occupational license or tax for the city and will make this recommendation to the council with the request that out-

of-town businesses selling in Silverton also be taxed or licensed. Mayor Weiby explained that this tax would give merchants a protection against "street sellers" or "house-to-house canvassers."

Parzy Rose, reporting for the industrial committee, spoke of the fine reception he and his committee had received from visits at Salem and Portland. Fifty members of the Portland chamber will come to Silverton May 5 at 11 o'clock and would be here for luncheon and spend about four hours in town. Dr. A. L. V. Smith will arrange for the luncheon, and appointed to the reception committee were Glenn Briedwell, Lloyd Larsen, Lowell Hob-

litt, Earl Adams, Parzy Rose and J. Pauf.

Business Bought

Rose also announced that a tannery was considering a five-acre tract for a plant and a drop-forge plant with considering another 2½ acre tract. He added that Silverton's modern sewage disposal plant was partly instrumental in focusing attention in Silverton. Announcement was also made that Elbert DeGuire has promised that chamber that it might use his 40 acres along Second street, within city limits, "to play with" in an effort to bring industries to town. The land can be had for a reasonable price to industries suggested by the chamber, it was explained.

Plans were made to assist in the Marion county 4-H spring show to be held here April 28 and 29, to purchase a trophy for the basketball team sponsored by the chamber and which won the city title this season, and to assist in giving the Red Sox baseball team a good season. Gus Herr was appointed as chairman of the ticket sales for the season.

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