

Buena Vista Man Dies

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BUENA-VISTA — Funeral services were held in Albany Wednesday and burial in the Buena Vista cemetery for Frank Bortor, a former resident of Buena Vista. Bortor has lived in Albany for the past few years.
 Sharon McGowan left for Pendleton Tuesday where she will be one of a team at the Umattila county fair in a canning project. Miss McGowan attends school at Pilot Rock where the family lives in the winter.
 Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Graber are invited to attend a picnic in their honor at Avery park in Corvallis Sunday, August 27. The Grabers are moving to Albany this fall.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ross Willis of Toledo and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Knickerbocker of Oakland, Calif., were recent guests at the H. H. Withrow home.
 Mrs. C. F. Wells returned home Tuesday after spending ten days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Gunn at Palo Alto, Calif.
 Mrs. Frank Krauger returned home from the Salem Memorial hospital Monday.
 Cecil Hultman received delivery Monday of 25 head of Black Angus cattle he purchased recently at Coos Bay.

Dallas WCTU Unit Officers Elected

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DALLAS — The Dallas unit, WCTU, met at the country home of Mrs. Eldon Johnson, in the Pioneer Loop, Tuesday for a covered dish dinner and business meeting.
 Officers elected to serve for the ensuing year include Mrs. R. W. McCormick, president; Mrs. Georgia Bird, vice president; Mrs. Harry Markwart, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. A. Hendrickson, recording secretary. These will be installed at the September 10 meeting to be held at the Four Square church.

Valley Briefs

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Jefferson — Visiting at the W. D. Watkins home on Greens Bridge road are Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Hale, Jane Erwin of Seattle, Wash., and Nancy Carscallen of Portland. Dr. Hale is a brother of Mrs. Watkins.
Wheatland — A field fire burned 25 acres of oats and vetch on the Kirkwood farm operated by Clark Noble last week. The fire started from sparks from the tractor.

Jefferson — Mrs. Elva LaRowe of Lebanon, who has taught in the Jefferson high school for the past six years, has been selected by the North Marion Union high school board of education to teach girls' physical education and sciences for the coming year. Mrs. LaRowe had signed a contract to teach at Brownsville, but was given a release to take the North Marion position.

Willamina — An outing was enjoyed Tuesday at the Dallas city park by the Friendship club. A picnic lunch was held with visiting in the afternoon.

Jefferson — Fire starting at the Talbot road Tuesday night, spread southward to the Albert Campbell farm burning over 40 acres of grain stubble. Campbell plowed a strip between the fire and his

Unionvale Folk Visit, Meet

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UNIONVALE — Lydia Withee spent several days at the home of her parents last week before returning to Salem where she is employed. Harriet Magness of Newberg spent two days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Withee, Sr.
 The Past Noble Grand club of the Rebekah lodge of Carlton held its annual picnic on the beautiful lawn at the Lester Holt home Sunday. There were 45 present. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Holt was Eldora Goodwin of Carlton.
 Honoring their mother, Mrs. E. J. Wilder, on her birthday Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hagner of Gervais, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wright of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Wilder of McMinnville and their families.

Hopewell Pastor Given Welcome

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HOPEWELL — A reception was held following the morning worship service at the Hopewell Evangelical United Brethren church for the new pastor and his family, the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Widmer. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Legg, new owners of the Hopewell store, were also given a welcome to the community. A song service was held following the dinner served in the basement at noon.
 The annual Silver Tea given by the Hopewell Missionary society was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. B. Gilchrist. The Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Ward, parents of Miss Gladys Ward, missionary near Canton, China, were present and read letters from their daughter telling of her work and some of the problems facing her.

farm buildings, and with the aid of neighbors and men from town, the fire was put out before any buildings were burned.

Keiser — Don Rasmussen, Marion county extension agent, spoke at the Tuesday night meeting of the Keiser Garden club in the firehall. Rasmussen spoke on vegetable gardening and outlined the essentials of early planting, fertilizing, watering, dusting, cover crops and compost piles.

Gervais — Ray Helzer, Gervais route 1, was taken to Salem General hospital Monday.

Stocks Reach High Point of 5-Week Rally

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 (AP) — The stock market hit the high point of a five-week rally today.
 Railroad stocks on average touched their peak since 1944. The market generally, as measured by the Associated Press average of 60 stocks, all but wiped out the remnants of the heavy losses which followed immediately after our armed intervention in Korea.
 The trading tempo stepped up to 2,170,000 shares from 1,770,000 Wednesday and was the largest in over a week.
 The Associated Press average of 60 stocks advanced 7 of one point to 78.5, a peak since June 23. The gain was the largest in 10 days.

Valley Births

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WILLAMINA — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peak of Willamina are the parents of a son, born August 14 at the McMinnville hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robertson of Grand Ronde are the parents of a son, born August 9 at the McMinnville General hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Reid of Grand Ronde are the parents of a son, born August 8 at the McMinnville hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. Willard Murphy of Grand Ronde are the parents of a daughter, born August 8 in the McMinnville hospital.

Cancer research by the use of electric shock in rats is being conducted in the Bio-Research laboratory of Florida Southern college at Lakeland.

Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Verna Idell Heer
WOODBURN — Mrs. Verna Idell Heer, 32, died suddenly at her home on Young street here Thursday of a cerebral hemorrhage.
 The deceased was born at Douglas, N. D. Oct. 29, 1917. She came to Woodburn in 1941. She was a member of the Lutheran church, a past-president of the Woodburn Junior Women's club and active in club affairs.
 She is survived by her husband, Lawrence Heer; daughter, Patricia Ann, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ostrom, all of Woodburn; brothers, Edwin Ostrom of Michigan, Clinton of Sacramento, Calif., and Clifford, Arvin and Orren, all of Woodburn; sisters, Mrs. Julia Langford of North Dakota, and Mrs. Mable Heer of Woodburn.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Monday, August 21, at the Ringo chapel here. Interment at Belle Passi cemetery.

Antihistamine Drugs Said 'Flop'

LONDON, Aug. 17 (AP) — A British research team reported today the antihistamine drugs are a flop as a cure for the common cold.
 The team was appointed by the British medical research council in February, at the request of the Government health ministry, to experiment with the drugs.
 Part of the researchers worked with artificially induced colds in volunteers at a laboratory in Salisbury. Others in a field trial treated 1,550 persons who got their colds by accident.

Club Picnics at Williamson Park

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HOPEWELL — The Hopewell 4-H Sewing club held a picnic at Williamson park last week making preparations for the exhibiting of work at the Yamhill county fair in McMinnville.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Guertzon of

Shafter, Calif., has been visiting with her brother and family, the Gust Janzens, for the past two weeks. Sunday they all went to Gresham to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Milne (Doris Janzen) and had a picnic at Bonneville.

U. S. tornado toll averages over 200 a year.

CUFFLINKS FOR PAKISTAN
CESKE BUDEJOVICE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — A factory here produces cufflinks and collarbuttons especially aimed at the Pakistan market. Each bears a miniature portrait of Pakistan's late governor general, Mahomed Ali Jinnah.

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