

# Hospital Drive Group Plans Organizational Meeting in Stayton

STAYTON—General campaign organization for the Santiam Memorial hospital campaign will start with an opening dinner Tuesday night, December 5, at the American Legion hall, Stayton, according to R. L. Stewart, chairman of the organization.

According to announcement made at campaign headquarters, an organization of 65 volunteer workers for the general campaign for the Stayton area is being organized from men who have volunteered to serve in the Santiam Memorial hospital movement.

Stewart has issued a call for all men who can spend several hours a day or evenings and attend noon report luncheons to volunteer now to serve on one of the groups of workers in the general organization.

Stewart announced that the first group of the general organization to be formed is group 7 with John R. Weiz, manager; Mike Benedict, assistant; L. A. Frank, P. J. Etzel, George Zimmerman, Al Phillips, Fred Hottinger, John P. Benz, J. A. Frank, Joe Heuberger, Leonard Hendricks and Ted Etzel. Four other groups are now organizing.

Advance gifts drive is gaining momentum, according to G. W. Schachtsiek, general chairman of the campaign, who says that the three groups of workers in the advance gifts organization, under the leadership of Dr. Wm. H. Burrell, are having report luncheons each noon. Interest and enthusiasm in the advance gifts part of the campaign is shown by the almost perfect attendance of the committee, and the serious manner in which its members have taken hold.

The success of the campaign, according to Walter Bell, president of Santiam Memorial hospital, depends entirely upon the immediate response given by those who are able to subscribe substantial amounts for memorials.

The amount obtained from memorials at this time will determine whether a hospital will be built through volunteer donations on the part of the citizens of Santiam valley and Canyon area. Volunteer workers are making a great sacrificial effort and the people are backing them in the hope that sufficient funds will be raised within the next few weeks to insure the building of a modern hospital for the protection of the people who live in this area.

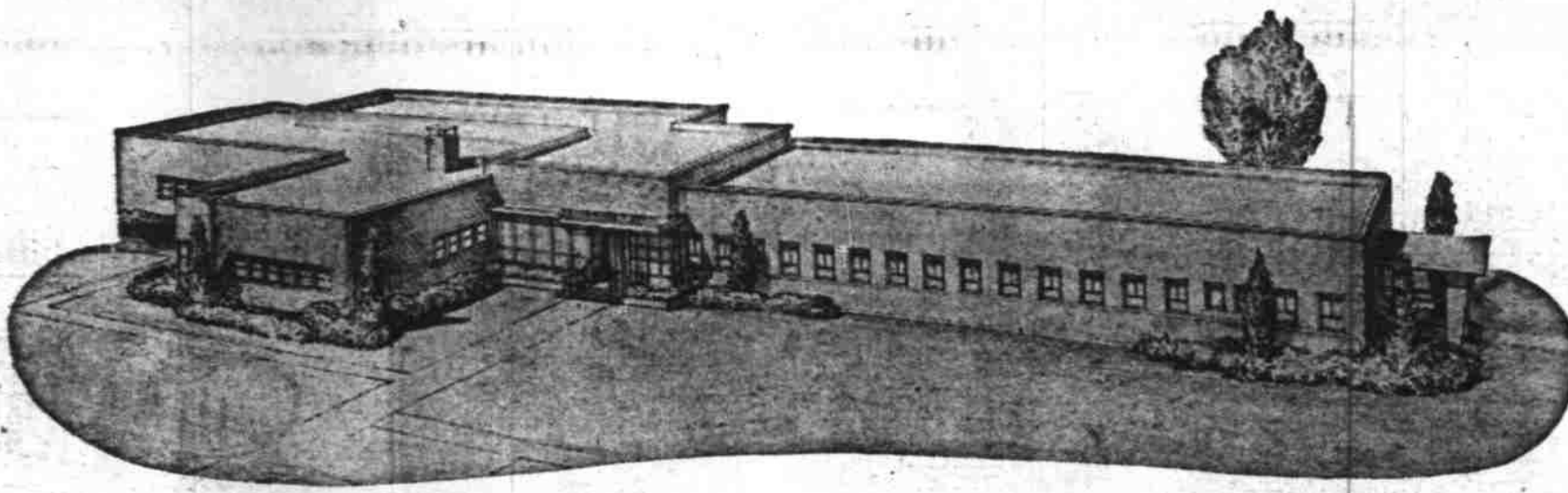
Thomas New Assistant At Aurora Warehouse

AURORA—John Todd, owner of the Aurora grain warehouse and elevators, has purchased the interest owned by Glen Blair and has appointed John Thomas assistant manager.

The square dance sponsored by the Aurora Woman's club and held in the Butteville Grange hall was a success, the committee announced this week.

PTA TO MEET BUENA VISTA—The Buena Vista PTA will sponsor a Bar-B-Q dinner again this year on Sunday, December 3. Dinner will be served from 1 to 7:30 p.m.

# Artist Sketch Shows Beauty, Compactness of Santiam Hospital



STAYTON—Shown is the artist's sketch of the Santiam Memorial hospital which will be built here at a cost of about \$377,000 when funds are raised through a gifts campaign now underway in Santiam and Canyon area. The 25-bed structure will actually cost \$275,000 and will be constructed on an acreage donated by Mr. and

Mrs. T. G. Freres. Residents living in the Santiam and Santiam Canyon areas will benefit from the hospital and Salem's overcrowded hospitals will be relieved when patients can enter the Santiam hospital for treatment. The hospital will be self sustaining.

## Amity Eastern Star Chapter Holds Meeting

AMITY—Amity chapter, Order of Eastern Star, met Monday with Mrs. Richard Fuller, worthy matron, and Clyde Lambert, worthy patron, presiding.

Guests at the meeting were six visitors from Mt. Hood chapter and six from Adah chapter of Independence. A Christmas party was planned for some time in December and officers will be elected December 18. Officers will be installed St. John's day.

Mrs. Joe McKee arranged a birthday dinner Sunday, honoring her husband and her brother, Albert Mauser of Portland. Guests were Mrs. Mauser, Mrs. Elwood Akorn and Catherine and Miss Lysted of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stockhoff and children of LaGrande are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Olive Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casteel left Sunday for Glendora, Calif., and plan to visit in Oklahoma before they return. They will be gone about six months.

## Four Corners Boy Injured by Auto

FOUR CORNERS—Dick Shrake, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Shrake received a painful injury in the calf of his left leg on the way home from school on Tuesday.

Standing too close to a car bumper when the car was started the end of the bumper tore a jagged gash in the leg requiring fourteen stitches. If the driver of the car knew the boy was struck they did not stop and the children present did not know the person.

is being planned. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Carrie Tyler left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving at the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wilson, near Newport.

## Valley Briefs

Dallas—Union Thanksgiving day services will be held in the Presbyterian church today at 10 a.m. Edwin Schroeder of the Baptist church will be the speaker. The public is invited.

Pratum—Union Thanksgiving services will be held today in the Pratum Methodist church at 10:30 a.m. The Rev. G. Wesley Turner of Salem will give the address.

Frutland—The Four Corners fire department put out a chimney fire at the home of Mrs. Caroline Cernik Sunday.

Orchard Heights—Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter, Louise Faye, November 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Straight, Graberville, Calif., formerly residents of Orchard Heights.

Macleay—The young people of Macleay Grange will hold a dance Saturday night at the Grange hall. Lunch will be served after the dance.

Brush College—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart and H. D. Bradrick attended the Farm Bureau convention in Klamath Falls last week.

## School Census Complete For Stayton District

STAYTON—There are 62 more boys than girls of school age in this district, it was revealed by the annual school census just completed by Mrs. Edward J. Bell for district 77CJ as of October 25. Those in the age groups between four and 19 years are considered of school age.

Total number of boys was 539, and girls numbered 477, the census figures show. Boys led the girls in all the age groups with exception of six, seven, eight, nine and ten years. Also, in the 14-year-old group girls numbered 32 and boys 31.

Age group with the largest enrollment was that of the seven-year-olds with 93; smallest was the 19-year-olds with only 42.

## Parochial 4-H Clubs Formed

Five 4-H clubs at St. Vincent's Catholic school have recently selected officers and leaders.

The Sewing Basket club, led by Mrs. E. Marsh and Mrs. Edward Meier, elected Mary Ann Marsh, president; Judy Meier, vice-president; Beverly Shenell, secretary; Patty Kendall, Doris Kammler, song leaders; Mary Ann Jungblut, program chairman, and Joan Lee Bartche, refreshment chairman.

The Merry Bees, led by Mrs. Ann Marsh and Mrs. Earl Greipentrog, selected Lee Coffey president; Marie Greipentrog, vice-president; Joan Marsh, secretary; Mary Lee Gruchala, song leader, and Janet Edwards, reporter.

Mrs. Lyle Shepherd and Mrs. Frank Sillmak are leaders of the Busy Little Tailors. Officers are Julia Sillmak, president; Dickie Shepherd, vice-president; Danny Shepherd, secretary; Mary Jo Roland, Mary Bendon, song leaders.

Other group leaders are Mesdames Cyril Meusey, Fred Medick, Frank Weisback and Gordon Burk.

## Salem Heights Camp Fire Group Sets Plans

SALEM HEIGHTS—The "Eh-weet" Camp Fire group met at the home of Mrs. Ed A. Carleton Monday.

The girls honored their mothers at a tea. Mrs. Charles Hagemann poured. Carol Hagemann, Geraldine Wellard, Pat Margi, Elsie Strong, Jeannette Harrison and Lynn Amrine served. Honored were Mrs. Robert Amrine, Mrs. Charles Hagemann, Mrs. Leonard Strong, Mrs. Herbert Margi and Mrs. Ed Carleton.

The group finished the turkey in-lance cards for some of the people at the Boyes Invalid home.

## Polk County Official at Portland Meet

PEDEE—County Commissioner and Mrs. C. L. Burbank were in Portland last week when Burbank attended the Association of Oregon Counties convention.

The Rev. E. A. Fogg, former pastor here, is in Dayton, Ohio, attending the general conference of the Evangelical United Brethren church.

Dewey Cummins, jr., suffered a broken nose playing football at school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Osborn and Mrs. Lura Trueax visited relatives in Washington state last week.

Sixteen members were on hand for a meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service at the home of Mrs. Francis Dyer Tuesday.

Mrs. Sidney Howard attended the state Farmers Union conference in Salem last week.

Mrs. William Condon and Colleen spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Lloyd Guyer, in Gold Beach.

## Valley Obituaries

Eva Scone Yoder AURORA—Funeral services were held this week in Molalla for Eva Scone Yoder, 61, who died November 8 in an Oregon City hospital following a long illness. Mrs. Yoder was born near Molalla and lived in the area most of her life. Survivors include a son, Grant Yoder, and her mother, Mrs. Alice Scone.

# Yule Lighting Event Planned in Woodburn

WOODBURN—A Christmas lighting and home decoration contest will be sponsored in Woodburn this year by the local junior chamber of commerce, according to an announcement by L. H. Hildebrandt, chairman.

Through the encouragement of residential lighting displays, it is hoped that the city will take on a more festive appearance, Hildebrandt explained.

A goal of one lighted ornament or symbol in one or more windows of each home in Woodburn has been set by the Jaycees. Entry blanks will appear later in the Woodburn Independent, along with lists of awards, rules and other contest information.

Woodburn city council will meet for a regular session on November 29 due to the absence of Mayor Elmer Mattson at the time of the previously scheduled meeting on November 21. Mayor Mattson is on a trip to the east coast. Council committee appointments will be announced at the November 29 meeting.

Mrs. A. E. Austin, who recently resigned as a member of the Woodburn library board, has been made an honorary member of that board, according to an announcement by that group following the regular meeting held recently. She was a member of the original board when the library was founded in 1906 by the Woodburn Women's club and has served for many years.

Mrs. Paul Mills acted as chairman in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. H. F. Butterfield, who is ill. Other members present were Mrs. Arthur Burt and Mrs. Harry VanArsdale. They agreed to let the board remain at five members for the time being. Mrs. Austin's resignation was submitted at a previous meeting of the board. The board has accepted a bid by Reimann Sheet Metal Co. of Salem for the down spouts and gutters of the building.

Mrs. Stella Kerns, librarian, reported that 512 adult and 297 juvenile fiction books and 153 adult and 261 juvenile non-fiction books were loaned during the month of October. A total of 98 magazines were loaned and 23 books borrowed from the state library. The Rural Woman's club has given \$5 to the library for juvenile books. Other books have been donated by Mrs. George Beach, Mrs. S. M. Baughman, Mrs. Lyman Shorey

and Mrs. Hughes. Eight new books have been placed on the rental shelf.

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## Errant Ferry Identified by County Court

ST. PAUL, Nov. 22—The old ferry hulk that floated into the Claude Smith hop yard this week was identified today as the Daniel Matheny II which served the Wheatland crossing for many years.

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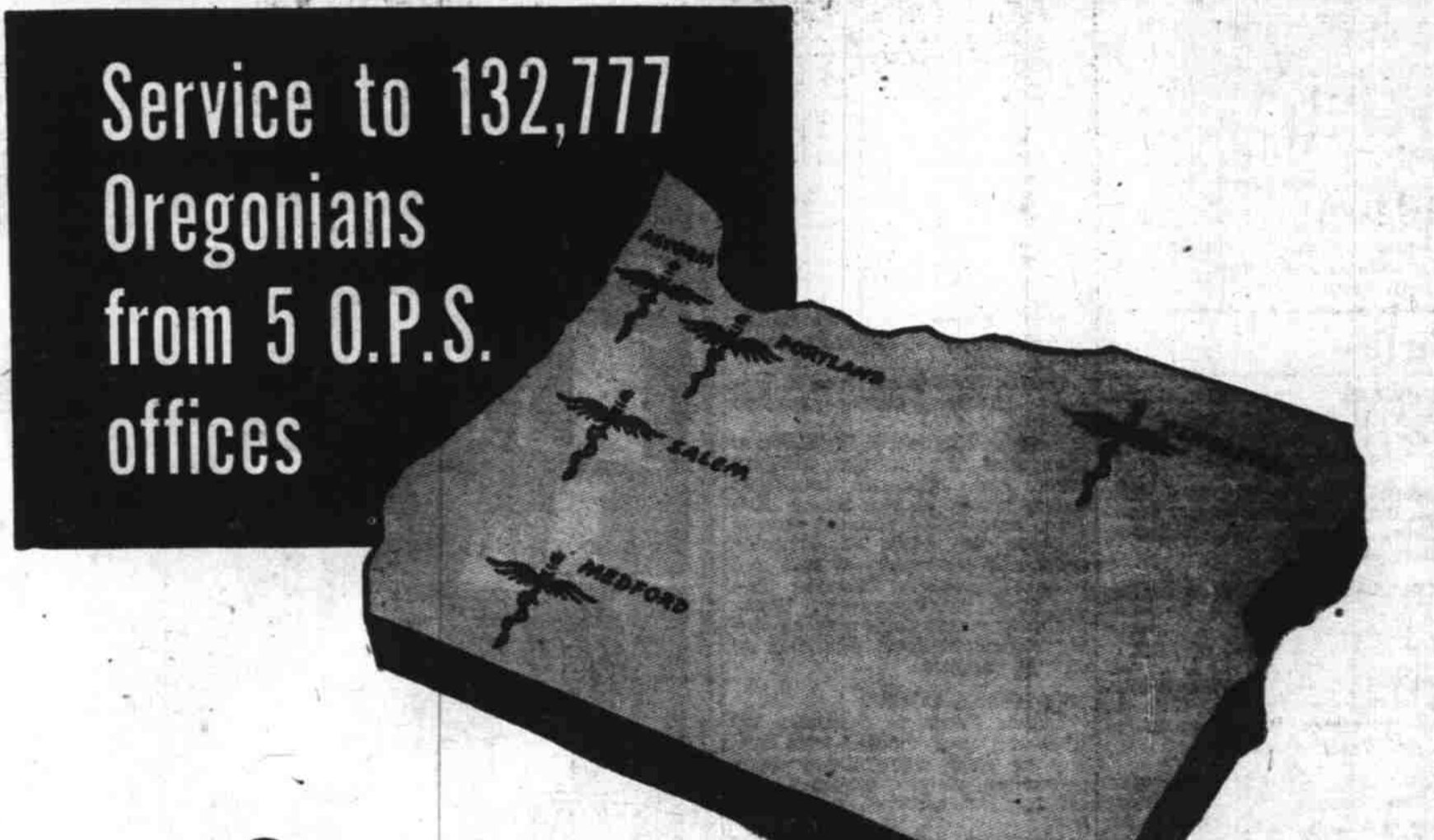
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