

### Mobile Units Arriving for Chest X-Rays



Some of a fleet of mobile X-ray units are being readied at temporary headquarters at the Salem airport, before start of an eight-county free chest X-ray campaign by local, state and federal agencies. Above, Ray Simula, left, and Warren Kell, kneeling, go through one of many chests of X-ray machine equipment. Both are technicians with the public health service. (Statesman photo.)

### THE VALLEY NEWS COLUMNS

From The Oregon Statesman's Valley Correspondents

## Silverton Planning Courtesy Fund for Overtime Parkers

SILVERTON — Courtesy nickels are going to be tried out in Silverton in connection with parking meters. The system will go into effect shortly. Silverton's city council gave the go-ahead signal to the Silverton chamber of commerce Monday night.

It will work this way, Mayor Errol Ross explained: The Silverton Chamber of Commerce has set aside \$75 in its budget for courtesy nickels. The Silverton police will be given these nickels to put into the meters where visiting cars are parked overtime. There will be a slip of paper instead of the overtime parking ticket explaining why the nickel has been placed in the meter and also telling where the motorist may return the nickel instead of paying the 50-cent overtime parking fine.

The plan will work, the mayor said, as long as sufficient nickels are returned to keep the chamber of commerce fund alive. Likely, he added, when that fund runs out the plan will be discarded. It has worked well, Mayor Ross stated, in both Hoquiam and Raymond, Wash.

However, Police Chief Victor Grossnickle was instructed not to "feed meters" for overtime parking for Silverton business men. Local Cars Spotted

"Police," the mayor said, "get acquainted quickly with local cars. Anyone who takes advantage of the courtesy nickel should pay the regular overtime parking fine."

Reports show that, for the past 12-month period, Silverton parking meter nickels amounted up to \$11,642. And that, said Althea Meyer, city treasurer, "is a lot of nickels, dimes and pennies to sort and count out." While a counting machine is employed, the sorting and wrapping falls to the city hall force, with Miss Meyer in charge.

On July 12 the meters will be two years old at Silverton. The initial cost was \$13,720. This is being collected on a percentage basis of take from the meters annually. So far \$6,968 has been paid to the meter company.

The remainder of the income from meters is applied to the city budget for other expenses. In addition to the meter take, \$1,116 has

been realized from overdue fines of 50 cents each during the past year, city council reports showed.

### Valley Briefs

**East Salem** — Chairmen of the east Salem suburban mobile x-ray survey will meet at 8 p.m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Verne Osterlander.

**Macleay** — The Macleay Grange will meet at 8:30 p.m. Friday at the grange hall. Ralph Wilson and Nile Hilborn will show slides.

**Donald** — The Rebekah lodge will meet tonight at IOOF hall. Visitors from Salem, Quinaby and Nebraska were present at the last meeting.

**Hubbard** — The Hubbard city council will meet Friday night. Thalia Rebekah lodge will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

**Hopewell** — Cane berries are being picked in the Hopewell area this week. The cherry harvest is practically completed.

**Central Howell** — Annual picnic of Central Howell Farmers union will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the Silverton park. The picnic replaces the regular July meeting.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Roy Rutschman and Alfred Jensen are on the committee for arrangements.

**Hopewell** — A film "Five Minutes to Live" will be shown Sunday night at Hopewell EUB church. The church conference will be July 17-22 at Everett.

### PROPERTY PURCHASED

**HOPEWELL** — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Terrill have purchased adjoining property from Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson including the house occupied by the Charles Van Dorn family. The Van Dorns plan to move to Salem.

**Wash.** The Rev. H. E. Widmer and Bertha Magness will attend as delegates.

**Grand Island** — Mrs. Roy Stoutenburg, who underwent surgery Friday at McMinnville, is reported in satisfactory condition.

### Riches Reunion Slated Sunday at Waldo Hills

Statesman News Service

SILVERTON — The Riches clan will hold its annual picnic and reunion Sunday in the Theodore Riches grove in the Waldo Hills, a brief distance from the old Riches land donation claim. A portion of the claim is still being farmed by Robert Riches, grandson of the original pioneer.

Mrs. Glenn Parrish of Tillamook, the former Alice Given, is president of the clan. John Riches, Salem, is vice president; Lois

Riches, Silverton, is secretary and historians are Mrs. Lynn Furbush, Salem, and Frank Holmes, Portland.

## Valley TB Check to Start in Polk County

Statesman News Service (Story also on page 1.)

DALLAS — Polk county will lead off the valley-wide chest x-ray survey when a battery of six mobile units roll into the county on Wednesday, July 18. The county survey will require about 12 days.

One mobile unit will be located in downtown Dallas for the entire period. Another will move from one location to another in Dallas. A third will spend 10 days in west Salem and a fourth will be there part time.

Virtually every community in the county will be visited by a unit. Independence will get a unit for six days; Monmouth will have one for three.

Everyone aged 15 and older is eligible for the survey and officials estimate that nearly 20,000 Polk county residents will partake.

**Urges Adults**  
Phillip Hayter, county survey chairman, Wednesday urged every adult in the county to participate in the survey. He pointed out that residents may step up to a mobile unit and obtain a chest x-ray in less than 20 minutes without cost, without undressing and without danger of personal injury.

Officials noted that a person may have tuberculosis and not know it, since early tuberculosis displays no warning symptoms.

No one is too old to have tuberculosis, officials report. They said few children have the disease, however, and that by x-raying all adults and discovering those who have tuberculosis it is possible to protect most children from the disease.

**No Appointment Needed**  
Heart and lung conditions, as well as tuberculosis, are discovered in the chest x-rays, survey leaders said. Appointments are not required at the mobile units.

Other Polk county survey dates announced by Charles M. Thomas, Dallas, locations chairman, include:

Salt Creek, Wednesday afternoon, July 18; Perrydale, Thursday, July 19; Eola, Friday afternoon, July 20; Lincoln-Zena, Thursday afternoon, July 19; Monmouth, July 20, 21, 23; Falls City, Wednesday and Thursday, July 18-19, afternoons and nights; Bridgeport, Monday night, July 23; Rickreall, Wednesday and

### Pedee Parents Drop Ballgame to Children

PEDEE — The Pedee 4-H Huskers Livestock club had a picnic at Helbeck park Sunday with Dewey Cummins, leader, in charge.

A ball game between the children and parents resulted in a victory for the children. Carl Rhone and Virginia of Cedar City, Utah, who are visiting Eldon Cates, were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rehard of South Gate, Calif. are visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph O'Neal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Turner, Kent and Keith, of Vancouver, Wash., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Trever Turner. Turner is on vacation from his position with the North Portland stockyards.

### VISITORS FROM GERMANY

HUBBARD — Visiting America for the first time are Mrs. Cornelia Schetelig of Flensburg, Germany, sister of Garfield Voget of Hubbard, and a cousin, Friedel von Senden of Aurich, Ostriesland, Germany, who is a high school teacher. Both are making their headquarters at the Voget home and visiting other relatives in the west. Flensburg is in north Germany near the Danish border. Ostriesland is in the same region and both are famous for dairy and farm products.

Thursday, July 18-19; Valselt, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 24-25.

## Dance Slated At Union Hill

Statesman News Service  
UNION HILL — A square dance will be held at the Union Hill grange hall Saturday night. The Roy Verbeck orchestra will play. The lunch committee will furnish pie and ice cream.

Third and four degree obligations were exemplified upon Mrs. Robert Humphreys at Friday night's grange meeting. Mrs. Marston Miller reported the Strawberry festival and dance netted \$152 which will be used to help pay for the newly-drilled well at the grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Krenz reported on the state grange meeting. They were delegates. The Union Hill grange received a pennant for the seventh consecutive year for membership dues paid.

### Power Saw Accident Injures Jefferson Man

JEFFERSON — G. A. Lensman caught the first two fingers on his left hand in a power saw Saturday. Thirty stitches were taken in the cuts. Lensman was working on built-ins for his house, at his workshop, when the accident occurred.

Women from the Jefferson Christian church attending the state convention of Christian churches at Turner last Thursday were Mesdames Ernest Powell, Virgil Bailes, Gene Powell, Marvin Hutchins and Irvine Wright.

### Lt. N. F. Carey, Albany, Said Wounded in Action

ALBANY, July 4 — Word has reached here from the U. S. department of defense that 1st Lt. Norman F. Carey of Albany has been wounded in action in Korea. The official casualty list identified him as the husband of Mrs. Betty J. Carey, 321 W. 9th ave.

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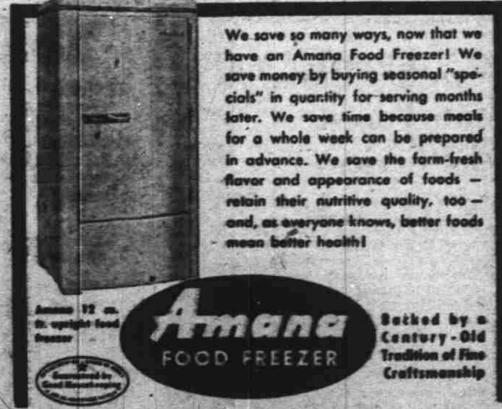
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