

★ Valley Views ★

By Charles Ireland

Lloyd Larkin, one of Rickreall's most successful fishermen (judging by the catches he brings home), has a unique way of obtaining bait—he lets the robins catch it. Lloyd sits quietly in a chair on the back lawn and watches the robins pull and tug, and when one gets a worm out of the ground he shoos the bird away and picks up the worm.

Can you imagine how scratchy-voiced Andy Devine of the movies would sound calling ducks? Valley outdoor sports may have a chance to hear him try it next fall when he hopes to attend the Dayton duck-calling contest. . . . Inmates rarely break out of the Polk County hoosegow at Dallas. For a couple of hours Thursday nobody could get in, either. Seems both deputies were called away and left Sheriff Tommy Hooker behind without any keys.

How's this for tough breaks? Young Stephen Boles of Pringle fell 12 feet from a barn loft recently and fractured his left arm—his seventh broken bone in his eight years. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Amos Boles. . . . Must be quite a minstrel show Aumsville P-TA members have worked up. Following a successful home appearance the big cast has gone "on the road." West Stayton folks will have a chance to see the show at 8 p.m. Thursday at the schoolhouse there.

The Monmouth (grade school) P-TA has had a full measure of original programs this season. Last week panels of eight grade-schoolers and freshmen discussed the switch from grades to high school. Sample freshman statement: We could have used more English drill and homework in eighth grade. Sample eighth-grade question: What's a freshman initiation like?

A nice civic improvement at Gervais. New 400-watt street lights, larger than the previous ones. . . . At nearby Woodburn, the new Terminal Ice and Storage Plant going up very fast. A big structure, and right next door to Birdseye-Snyder food plant which is one of the valley's biggest employers during peak food-processing months. . . . 57 busy there last week just maintaining the plant. Some workers will be called early in May to freeze the first crop, rhubarb, according to Ralph Sebern, plant manager. By the time beans roll around, the plant expects to be hiring around 1,200 workers from a wide area that includes Salem.

A new Polk County blood record set during the blood unit's recent visit to Independence. Alva Noble reports. The total was 155, topping the previous 150-pint record that Dallas held. Outstanding, such as Buena Vista, contributed much toward the new record. . . . Silverton Saddle Club planning a 35-mile "endurance race" to Silver Falls State Park and back on Sunday, May 11. Fifty bucks to the winner. Riders from other valley saddle clubs invited to try it. . . . Open house set Friday afternoon at Jefferson for Miss Louisa Miller, pioneer valley daughter and longtime schoolteacher, who will be 96.

Valley Obituaries

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Surviving are sons, Ernest of Jefferson, Charles and Harry of Longview, Wash.; daughters, Dorothy, Lake Tahoe, Calif., and Mrs. Levant Pease, San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Hazel Lea

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Deceased was born June 22, 1915 at Eugene and had spent most of her life in that city, the past month having lived in Jefferson. She was graduated from the University of Oregon in 1934, and for 15 years had served as administrator for Oregon State Welfare. She was married to Clyde M. Lea in Wichita, Kan., on March 7, 1951.

Surviving are the widower; two step-sons, Donald Lea and Norman M. Lea, all of Jefferson; two brothers, Kenneth Blais of Washington, and Lewis Blais of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Allie Tucker of Eugene, and her mother, Mrs. Bertha Blais, also of Eugene.

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Born in Lansing, Iowa, (October 31, 1866) deceased came to Oregon when 16, and had spent her life in the Oak Creek and Plainview community near Albany until going to Salem to live with her daughter. She was a member of the Oak Creek Christian Church. She was married to Harvey Caldwell at Riverside on Feb. 9, 1901.

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Palmer's Kiddie Rides
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Gold Arrow Restaurant

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Tractor Falls On Man From Hubbard Area

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HUBBARD — Harold Penney was injured Thursday when a tractor overturned on him. He was helping Frank Kutus plow south of town. He is in the Portland Osteopathic Hospital where the extent of his injuries had not been determined.

Phil Mohr is in the same hospital for a check up.

Mrs. LaVerne Vredenburg underwent surgery for a chronic appendicitis condition, in an Oregon City hospital on Friday.

Hubbard Grade School teachers have all been re-hired with the exception of Miss Ruby Kennedy who is retiring. Included are Mrs. Dora Firth and Mrs. Marjorie Nelson of Salem, Mrs. Marie Axtell and Mrs. Fern Foster of Woodburn, Mrs. Elizabeth McNary and Mrs. Elizabeth King of Hubbard and Charles Byers of Woodburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Foss and family have returned to Hubbard. Three members of Arion Temple will serve as officers of the annual district convention in Portland, May 24. Mrs. Jesse Fallen will be pianist, Mrs. George Lefter, protector, and Mrs. A. F. Delphinasse, chairman of the law committee.

The Busy Bees 4-H Club met Tuesday at the home of Jo McNary. The girls will model dirndl skirts at the Star Revue of the spring show in Stayton, Thursday, May 8. The Rev. E. H. Hastings talked to the group on combining church with their 4-H activities. The members will attend church in a body on May 4.

Heights Area Plans Another Garden Group

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SALEM HEIGHTS — Another Garden club will be formed here for those who wish to meet in the afternoon. Anyone interested in joining is asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Lyle Bayne at 570 E. Madrona Ave. on Wednesday at 12 p.m.

Choosing a name will be the order of business for the newly-formed garden club when members meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Paul Burger on E. Ewald Ave. Mrs. L. A. Clinker will be co-hostess. Max Temperon, Salem florist, will speak on "Landscaping with Annuals."

SALEM HEIGHTS — Mrs. Robert Hawkins was hostess to the Little Garden Club of Salem Heights Thursday. Mrs. D. V. Randolph was co-hostess.

Mrs. L. L. Bennett reported on the Camellia show in which the club placed third. Reports were given on the Garden Councils Flower Show, to be held on May 10-11. The theme will be "Spring Around the World".

Mrs. Joe VanCleave was in charge of the program and spoke on primroses.

Jefferson Scout Troop to Receive Charter Tuesday

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JEFFERSON — A special Boy Scout court of honor and presentation of charter will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Christian Church. Clark Lethin, scout executive, will be present to officiate.

A program has been planned with all scouts taking part. Many will receive their tenderfoot pins and other awards.

Jefferson Boy Scouts have been meeting for several months while their charter was being processed, participating in tree planting, and excursion to Detroit Dam, and various events.

Sponsoring the scouts are the Christian, Evangelical United Brethren, and Methodist churches of Jefferson.

'Keep Eye on Congress'—Farm Union Leader Tells Polk Group

Statesman News Service

PEDEE — "Follow closely bills in Congress affecting agriculture," Richard Moeller, state Farmers Union president, urged members of seven Polk County Farmers Union locals here Wednesday.

Moeller also announced that the FU state junior camp will be held at Twin Rocks.

Represented at the group's quarterly meeting were members from Buena Vista, Liberty Bell, Luckiamute, Mt. Pisgah, Pedee, Perrydale and Spring Valley locals.

Gilbert Loy, Buena Vista, was elected conductor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of A. G. Rempel of Liberty Bell local.

THE VALLEY NEWS COLUMNS

From The Oregon Statesman's Valley Correspondents

New Stayton Church Ready



STAYTON—First services will be held Sunday in the new Immaculate Conception Catholic Church here (above). High masses will be sung at 5, 7:30 and 9 a.m. The Rev. Math Jonas is pastor. Dedication is set for June 22. (Statesman photo.)

Linn County Teachers to Hear Many Salem Speakers Monday

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ALBANY — Teachers of western Linn County Schools will attend an institute session at Albany High School Monday. At the same time pupils of the various schools will enjoy an extra day of vacation.

I. R. Halseth, superintendent of Albany Schools, will greet the visitors at 8:50 a. m. Dr. G. W. Guepe, county health officer, will talk on services of the County Health department; Miss Blanche Gearhart of Waverly School will conduct the teacher-nurse conference demonstration. A discussion, "Transfer of Information pertaining to Health Leader's" will be conducted by George Sirnio, Salem, of the state department of education.

Turner P-TA Election Set

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TURNER — P-TA will meet Monday in the grade school auditorium. This meeting will be election of officers. A musical program is planned and a discussion by Mrs. Agnes Booth and Roland Jones on the subject "Reorganization of School District." Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

The Salem civic players will present another play April 28 wood. The P-TA is sponsoring this play.

Mrs. W. A. Rankin underwent major surgery in Salem Memorial Hospital Thursday morning. Her condition Saturday afternoon was reported "fair."

Perry Wolf, Norman Mellis and Arnold Jordan are now employed at The Dalles working on the new dam.

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Sirnio will follow with a digest of "Why Teach Physical Education in the Schools." And following a recess Grace Wolgast of Salem schools will talk on physical education activities.

Taking part in the day's program will be teachers from 29 districts. Other speakers on the program include Dr. Irwin B. Hill of Fairview Home, Salem; Don Miller, counselor at the MacLaren school for boys, Woodburn; Ray Warren, Shedd; Allen Rogers and Donald Lundberg, Albany, and Burton Burroughs, Mill City, who will participate in a panel discussion; and Dr. Hugh Wood of the University of Oregon, who will conduct the workshop with a summary of the program features.

Rickreall Captain Home From Korea

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RICKREALL — Capt. L. L. King is home following 17 months of Korean duty. After a few days here he and his family will travel to Ft. Knox, Ky., where he will attend an advanced armor school. Later he will be stationed at Rucker, Ala.

They will motor east, taking a newly-purchased trailer home.

Four Corners Has Two New Families

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FOUR CORNERS — Recent newcomers to Four Corners are Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Kelley and children, Carl and Beverly, who are residing at 4125 State St. Coming here from Monmouth are Mrs. Elmira Fisk and daughters, Miss Oma Mead and Mrs. Everett Wilson, and son, Mark. They are located at 180 South Elma Ave.

Salem Hts. Mothers Club to Elect Officers

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SALEM HEIGHTS — The Salem Heights Mothers Club will meet Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Community Hall and will elect officers.

Mrs. Maurice Fleishman's fourth grade will give the program. Mrs. Paul Harvey will be hostess chairman, assisted by fourth grade mothers.

Valley Births

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SILVERTON — The Rev. Melvin Arne, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, and Mrs. Arne became the parents of twin sons, born April 7 at an Oregon City hospital. The two were named Radney Lon and Rocky Lin. They have a three year old brother, Rand Lee.

Union Hill Women Name Mrs. W. Tate

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UNION HILL — Mrs. Henry Tate and Mrs. John Berhorst were hostesses to the Union Hill Women's Club Thursday. Election of officers saw Mrs. W. M. Tate elected president, Mrs. L. W. Cooper, vice president; Mrs. Guy Scott, secretary, and Mrs. Marion Hunt re-elected as treasurer.

The annual club party for members and their families will be held at the Union Hill Grange Hall Saturday, April 19, commencing with a ham dinner at 6:30 p. m. followed by card playing.

Delegates to the Marion County Federation of Women's Clubs to be held in Stayton on Thursday, April 24 are Mrs. Maurice Heister, Mrs. W. M. Tate, Mrs. Henry Tate, Mrs. Marion Hunt, Mrs. Ray Johnson and Marce Johnson.

Youth Fined For Damaging Street Signs

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JEFFERSON — Arthur Charles Scott, 18, Albany route 2, appeared before Justice of the Peace Marvin Hutchings Friday, pleading guilty to charges of willfully destroying street and road signs here early last Sunday. Judge Hutchings fined him \$100 and gave him a 90-day jail sentence which was suspended on condition that he not go out after 9 p. m. except with his father, and that he help put back the signs.

Scott also was taken before Paul McKee, city recorder, who fined him \$25 with a 30-day jail sentence attached. The latter was suspended on condition that he help restore the city signs.

Most of the street intersection stop signs and rural road signs here were torn down early Sunday morning, and some of them thrown out into adjoining fields. Others are believed involved in the escape and officers will continue to work on the case.

Squaws Cause Historic Fight

BLOOMINGTON, Ill. (AP)—Local historians say the first military incident in McLean County was caused by jealous women.

Seems French fur traders who settled among the Fox Indians married squaws bought from the Indians. At first the Indians didn't mind, but when the lucky squaws bought by the Frenchmen didn't have to work, the other squaws put up a squaw.

A French captain from St. Joseph, Mich. led a group of French soldiers to Etanaka. The resulting battle began Aug. 17, 1730, and carried on for 23 days.

Valley Briefs

Brooks — Mrs. Clarence McGee, former Bethel Park resident now living in the Labish Village area is confined at Salem Memorial Hospital where her condition Saturday afternoon was reported "fair".

Silverton — Dr. Paul N. Poling, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Salem, will speak on universal military training at the Monday afternoon meeting of the Silverton Woman's Club. W. F. McMurray will be the soloist. Officers will be named at the meeting. Mrs. Harlan Moe has served as president for the past 21 years. The Meeting is set for 2:15 at the First Christian Church. The public is invited.

Sheridan — The Church of Christ choir will present an Easter Cantata Sunday night at 7:30. The theme will be "The First Easter". Frank McClure is the director and the choir of 26 voices have been working on the program for two months.

Willamina — The bloodmobile will visit Willamina Tuesday, April 29, between 2 and 6 p.m. The unit will be stationed at the VFW Hall, and will be sponsored by the Willamina fire department.

Brooks — Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pomeroy, who sold their farm here recently, have purchased a farm near Pedee, and moved there Monday.

Silverton — Sgt. Edgar Norton, who has been with the Fifth Command in Korea for the past 12 months is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zane Norton. He arrived home Saturday.



CARIB CONFERENCE—Puerto Rico Governor Luis Munoz Marin (left) and Gen. J. Lawton Collins, U. S. Army Chief of Staff, chat in San Juan during latter's tour of the Caribbean.

Jefferson Mayor Not a Candidate For Re-election

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JEFFERSON — Mayor Gilbert Looney announced this week that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

A. E. Campbell returned to Albany General Hospital Tuesday where his condition was reported as "critical". Wilbur Anderson has returned from an Albany Hospital where he was confined for several days this week. Mrs. Arvel Stansberry is recuperating following surgery at a Portland hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Olds went to Spokane, Wash., this week where he attended a meeting of educators.

'Coup' Club At Bangkok

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Thailand, land of coups and assassinations, now has a "Coup d'Etat Association" composed of those who took part in the coups of November, 1947, and November, 19-51.

Members, who are officers and enlisted men of the three fighting services, have pledged themselves to further social progress and welfare of the country.



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I don't know. But I tell you my
friends I am thinking everybody
is getting hungry every day so my
establishment is stay open every
night in week from late afternoon
to early morning. If you are extra
hungry from not being able to get
into your favorite restaurant on
Mondays you come down to my
place Monday (and every day) and
I will feed you very very good. —

YEE SING
(that's my name,
Picture not of me,
this my cousin
Frank)

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TEA GARDEN