

# Valley News Briefs

**Statesman News Service**  
**Sweet Home**—A 15-man solicitation team will start to sign up members for the East Linn County Chamber of Commerce Monday. Business memberships will be \$12 and individual ones, \$5.

**Marquam**—The Scotts Mills Utility and Beauty Garden Club will meet Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ingval Edland.

**Detroit**—S. T. Moore and Tommy Sheehan attended a recent meeting of Boy Scout leaders at which the possibility of a new camp on Neal Creek was discussed.

**Sheridan**—Robert Nash and Beryl C. Swails have filed for the school board. The election will be held Monday, from 2 to 8 p.m. Nash is a carpenter and contractor, and Swails is manager of the Sheridan branch of the U. S. National Bank.

**Lyons**—Miss Carol Sletto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sletto, Lyons route 1, left Friday for a bicycle tour of England, France and Germany. She will sail Monday from Quebec, Canada, returning in September.

**Stayton**—Average attendance at the Vacation Bible School of the Church of Christ here has been 97 with a total enrollment of 124. Mrs. Leland Keithley was superintendent.

**Detroit**—Guards and lookouts who will man stations in the Willamette National Forest will attend annual guard school June 17-19 at Camp Belknap on the McKenzie River. Fifteen will attend from the Detroit District.

**Brooks**—A/2c Lester Belleque visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sidebottom, during the past week while on leave from Mountain Home Air Force Base, Idaho.

**Willamina**—The Chamber of Commerce will put on a fireworks display in Willamina July 4. Mrs. Al Endres was appointed chairman of the program committee, and Ray Morrison chairman of the fireworks display.

**Sheridan**—The classes of 1938 and 1939 of Sheridan High School will have a reunion Saturday evening, June 20 at the City Park. A no-host supper will be held.

**Lyons**—Delores Bass, 4, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bass, is recuperating from severe bruises incurred when she fell from the family car to the highway.

**Marquam**—Mr. and Mrs. Gasner White will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at their home for all friends from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, June 21. Hostesses will be Mrs. John Beck; Mrs. William Akers, Seattle; and Mrs. G. G. White Jr., Monitor. If weather is inclement the open house will be at Marquam Hall.

**North Howell**—Marion County Pomona Grange will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the Fairfield Grange Hall. A no host supper will follow the business session.

**Liberty**—Dr. Alan Voight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Voight of Skyline Road, left last week for Minneapolis where he is a resident doctor at the Minneapolis General Hospital.

**West Stayton**—The West Stayton School Budget will be voted on at 8 p.m. Thursday, June 25, at the school.

**Sweet Home**—The city budget and funds for a proposed city hall will be voted on here June 29.

**West Stayton**—Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Choate have returned from Oceanside, Calif., where they went when his sister's husband was drowned in a fishing accident.

**Salem Heights**—The South Salem Junior Saddle Club met Saturday at the Double D-M-J Ranch for drilling. Ervin Ward, captain of the Salem Saddle Club gave the drills.

**Jefferson**—Band practice for the Jefferson School band has been changed to Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the high school beginning this week. Next scheduled appearance of the unit will be at the Albany Timber carnival July 3 for the annual parade. Director is Eric Fitzsimons.

**Willamina**—Successful bidder for the construction of the new high school building was Robert C. Wilson, Corvallis contractor, with a bid of \$239,843.

**Jefferson**—Ernest Freeman Jr., writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Freeman of Talbot, that he is now stationed at Okinawa, in the Army hospital pharmacy. He left the United States three weeks ago.

**South Salem**—South Salem Suburban Chamber of Commerce will hear Mayor Alfred Loucks and members of the city council at its Wednesday meeting at the Salem Heights Community Hall. Reports will be made on the club's recent carnival and plans for development of Joryville Park at the 8 p.m. session.

**Bethel**—Mrs. Era Sylvester, Calgary, Alberta, Can., is spending a few days with relatives in the Salem area. She came south to accompany her mother, Mrs. W. T. Brinkley of Salem to Calgary where she will spend a part of the summer.

**Willamina**—Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Mode have received word from their son John that he is now near Korea with the Navy.

**Gates**—Cost of installing a city water system was discussed at the Friday night meeting of the city council. Estimates have been submitted by Consulting Engineer G. R. Boatwright, Salem, and he will meet with the city council at a future date.

**Sunnyside**—A school board director will be elected at 8 p.m. Monday at the annual meeting of Sunnyside School District 96C at the school. The school budget will be voted on at 8 p.m. Thursday, June 25.

**Surviving**—The parents and two brothers, Alvin and Stanley, all of Jefferson, grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Doy Jackson of Wichita Falls, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Burris of Shedd.

**Hopewell**—Donald Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stephens, has been discharged from the Marine Corps and has returned home.

**Jefferson**—The Home Economics Club of Ankeny, Iowa, will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Delmer Davidson. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. William Wiederkehr and Mrs. Russell Daulton.

**Amity**—Irvin Hahn is starting construction of a garage to house his fleet of six school buses. He has purchased a lot west of the eighth school on Woodson Street and will erect a 47 by 98-foot building with aluminum siding.

**Sheridan**—A community recreation idea will be put into effect this year in the Sheridan school district. Willamina and Gra d Ronde communities have been invited to participate. The cost of the program will be about \$1,000, and will be under the direction of Bruce Barker, Sheridan High School athletic coach, assisted by Fern Eberhart, high school teacher. The program will begin June 22.

**Stayton**—Delegates chosen to represent Stayton Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, at the state convention at Seaside on June 17-19 are Maysel Lyons, Josephine Smith, and Grace Kelsey; alternates are Audrey Frank, Dora Hunt and Nellie Jones.

**Monmouth**—William Cadle, president of Polk County's 20-40 Club, states that due to weather conditions, the annual picnic has been postponed until June 28. The affair will be held at Buell Park, and Bruce Simmons, chairman, has plans ready for a day of activity for the club members and their families.

**Midwest Tornado Hits Farm of Brooks Kin**  
**Statesman News Service**  
**BROOKS**—Mrs. Charles Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Loomis of Brooks has written that a tornado passed over their farm at Crandall, S. D., destroying the barn, chicken house and sheds, damaging the house extensively and overturning furniture.

Mrs. Taylor and their five children took refuge in the basement and were not hurt. Her husband was not at home when the tornado struck.

**Child Conference Held at Jefferson**  
**Statesman News Service**  
**JEFFERSON**—Eleven diphtheria immunizations and five smallpox vaccinations were given at the well child conference in the grade school.

Another conference will be held July 8 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the grade school for children from six months to six years. These immunizations are free and mothers may make appointments for their children with Mrs. William Skelton.

**RED SONG IN HOSPITAL**  
**GUATEMALA (AP)**—A maternity hospital of 200 beds, costing about \$1,000,000 was opened here recently. Victor Manuel Gutierrez and other prominent Communists were among those attending the dedication. Two cabinet ministers were present. A large group of those attending sang "The Internationale," the song of the Reds.

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**MILL CITY**—Mr. and Mrs. Don Moffatt of Gresham have purchased the weekly Mill City Enterprise from Don Peterson, publisher for nearly four years.

The new owners will take possession on June 29. Sale price was not disclosed but was understood to include an exchange of property. The Petersons will move to Gresham, and he will replace Moffatt as a printer on the Sandy Post.

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**Marie Bosch to Head Brooks Garden Club**  
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**BROOKS**—Marie Bosch is the newly-elected president of the Brooks Garden Club. Other new officers are Anna Eggers, Polly Johnson and Bertha Morisky.

Appointed to committees were Opal Rasmussen, Belle Moritz, Dolly Ramp and Fay Loomis. The next meeting will be June 25 at the Hi-Way Park when a no-host dinner will be served. Mrs. Eggers recently entertained the group.

**Most of Nation Enjoys Balmly June Weather**  
**By The Associated Press**  
**Most** of the nation enjoyed balmly June weather Sunday, although a light and cooling rain covered Atlantic states from the Carolinas northward to New York City.

The weather bureau said thunder-showers in North Dakota indicated a chilly, low pressure area would wet countryside as far south as Iowa by Monday.

The central plains, southward into Texas, remained hot. Elsewhere in the Midwest, temperatures under partly cloudy skies ranged from the 60s in Michigan to 80s in southern Iowa and Illinois.

Temperatures were in the cool 50s both in the Pacific Northwest and along the middle Atlantic seaboard. Florida and the gulf states were in the 70s.

The West Coast was mostly sunny.

Maximum height of waves found in the Atlantic is about 60 feet, says the National Geographic Society.



This comely trio will "reign in the saddle" over Dayton's annual Buckeroo slated this year for June 27 and 28. The trio (l to r) is Queen Arlyn Stuppel, and Princesses Sandra Clay and Joan Keck, all of Sheridan. A wild-horse scramble will feature each day with an auction of the Eastern Oregon Broncs set for the end of the rodeo. The traditional street parade and dance are also planned.

## Students Swell Unemployed Roll In Lebanon Area

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**LEBANON**—College students returning home for the summer are swelling rolls of unemployed seeking work through the state employment service here, office manager Charles Wilson reports.

Many are already registered and have signified willingness to accept about any kind of work offered them, he said.

Present rolls of employment seekers are well over 600 in this city, compared to 180 at this time a year ago, and less than 100 two years ago.

Lack of woods activity, and in sawmills account for the big bulk, Wilson noted. Agriculture openings, and slowly resuming woods operations are expected to cut this figure down, but Wilson said no big decrease is expected immediately.

## Chinese Beans New Crop on Sidney Ranch

**Statesman News Service**  
**JEFFERSON**—H. F. Louie, Sidney hop grower on the Buena Vista ferry road, is trying a new crop this year, instead of his long-time hop crop. He has imported beans from his native land of China—the kind used in Chinese dishes.

The hop market being what it is, Louie said he cannot afford to grow hops to sell at 35c a pound. He said it costs 50c a pound to produce them for market. Growing these Chinese beans is new here, and he is hoping that they will produce well, and open up a new crop for the valley. Those used by Chinese restaurants in this country are imported from China.

The seeds are much smaller than beans grown here, about one-third as big as lentils. A special plate had to be made for the corn planter used in planting them. Louie is planting two rows between the hop rows in a 15-acre plot.

## Waldo Hills Club Elects Officers; Plans July Picnic

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**SILVERTON**—Robert Barnes was re-elected president of the Waldo Hills Community Club at its final meeting for the season Friday night. Other officers named were Dan Hillman, vice president; Mrs. Oswald Johnson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Miles Ottaway, director of membership; and Roy Brown, director of finance.

Plans were made for the annual community July 4 picnic to be held at the Theodore Riches pasture.

During the program hour David Ramseyer showed pictures he had taken during his stay at Anchorage, Alaska. Mr. and Mrs. Ramseyer lived there for more than a year while he was with a construction crew. They are now living on a farm between Waldo Hills and Salem.

## Amity 30-Year Club Picnic Set

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**AMITY**—At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Amity Thirty-Year Club Ray Mitchell, president, appointed the following committees: Clean-up, Glenn Weston and Ray Mitchell; chairs and tables, Lloyd Cochran and Ernest Gibbs; refreshments, Mrs. T. C. Richter, publicity, Mrs. A. W. Newby; invitations, Bessie Sorenson, pictures and memoriam, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Allison.

The annual no-host dinner and picnic will be held at the City Park on July 12. All members and their families are invited.

## Aviation Day at Lebanon Planned

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**LEBANON**—Next major event for this area is the annual Lebanon Aviation Day on Sunday, July 26, at Cascades Airways. Since its inception in July, 1949, when 267 guest planes flew in, Lebanon has attracted record state meets.

Full cooperation for the event is being given by civic organizations, stated Ralph Scroggin, state aeronautical board member and general chairman for the Lebanon chapter of Oregon Sportsmen Pilots, hosts for the fly-in.

The Chamber of Commerce will serve free strawberry shortcake and will provide prizes for guests. The Jaycees will meet in coming planes and take guests to ground destinations.

## Nichols Slate Bethel Visit

**Statesman News Service**  
**BETHEL**—Captain Madison Nichols and Mrs. Nichols are leaving Honolulu the last of July and will fly to San Francisco and come north to spend a month with their father and sister, J. M. Nichols and Mrs. John Hain and other relatives.

Much of Captain Nichols' work is inspecting Federal construction projects in the South Pacific. According to word just received by his father, he had just returned from Guam, Marianas Islands, where Mobile Construction Battalion TEN had named and dedicated their sports field in his honor.

Captain and Mrs. Nichols on their return trip will leave San Francisco by ship, have their things loaded in Honolulu, and go directly to the Philippines where he has been assigned for the next two years.

## 19 Children Attend 4 Corners Conference

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**FOUR CORNERS**—Dr. George V. Squires headed the well-child conference in the Community hall. Nineteen children were examined. Volunteer mothers were Mrs. Claude Kilgore from Lincoln School and Mrs. W. H. Mosher from Auburn.

Mrs. Loren Richey, chairman, announced this would be the last conference until September.

## LEAVES FOR CHICAGO

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## Albany, Lebanon On Select List for Pedestrian Safety

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## If Your Boss Isn't too Bright, You're Lucky

By ARTHUR EDSON  
**AP Newsfeatures Writer**  
**WASHINGTON (AP)**—If your boss strikes you as being not particularly bright, don't fret. A smarter man might make a much poorer executive.

This advice comes from Dr. William J. Morgan, a psychologist who can tell you how to pick a man for everything from a boss to a successful spy.

Let's look at the boss first. "A man of high intelligence," Morgan told me, "often becomes impatient with other people's failings. He may be too critical, too quick to find fault. Furthermore, he may become bored with the routine that goes with every job."

"A man with a fine personality and temperament, but who isn't so bright, may do much better."

Normally, I don't pal round with psychologists. Nor do I read speeches with titles like "a clinical approach to foreign language achievement."

But Morgan made that speech recently to some language experts, and a copy wandered into the office. Turned out to be interesting reading, too.

## Mrs. Reed Succumbs to Long Illness

Mrs. Jessie Meretta Reed of 2442 Lee St., Salem resident for about seven years, died Sunday at her home after an illness of several years. Mrs. Reed had been confined to her bed for some time.

She was married in Valley Neb., Dec. 27, 1907 to Charles A. Reed, now a retired farmer. The couple farmed in Eastern Nebraska for many years and raised five sons.

Surviving, besides her widower, are five sons, John A. Reed and Donald A. Reed, both of Omaha, Neb., Milton O. Reed, San Francisco, Glenn W. Reed, Pasadena, Calif.; three brothers, C. Raymond Osborn, Salem, C. P. Osborn, Green Valley, Calif., and A. K. Osborn, Los Angeles; and 11 grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

Funeral services will be announced later by Virgil T. Golden Co.

## British Lifts Ban On Japan Imports

**HONG KONG (AP)**—This crown colony of Britain has lifted restrictions on the imports of a wide variety of Japanese goods.

Listed free from restriction are rayon yarns, household utensils, enamel ware, toys, cigarette lighters, fountain pens, pencils, bicycles, games and chinaware.

But cotton yarn and cotton piece goods are still banned.

## Tele-fun

By Warren Goodrich  

"Pardon the interruption, but this is an emergency—I have a sore throat!" ... To make an important call over a busy line, simply explain the circumstances... Pacific Telephone.

**Some toa Adventurous**  
 Morgan says some people won't do as spies at all. One daring fellow was simply too adventurous. He couldn't resist adventures with the ladies. Another was so unbending that even in peasant's clothes he looked like the West Point graduate he was.

By contrast, a rather unpromising spy was sent on a dangerous mission. From the start, everything went wrong. His parachute fouled up, and he broke a leg in landing.

He was taken to a hospital run by the Germans in occupied Europe. His leg was amputated.

With this terrible start, the spy promptly organized his nurses into an active unit, and did his job almost literally under the enemy's nose.

"Sometimes," said the man who studies other men, "it's amazing what a man can do."

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