

# Valley News

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## 11,003 Voters On Polk County List

DALLAS—Registration of Polk County voters for the May 21 primary rose to a total of 11,003 with the closing of registration. These figures were tabulated in the office of County Clerk E. B. Hamilton. The total represents a gain of 283 voters over the roll for the previous election.

## Legion Unit Nominates New Officers

SILVERTON—First report of Delbert Reeves Unit, Legion Auxiliary, nominating committee for new officers listed Mrs. Bruce Billings for president. Two other readings of the report will be made at regular unit sessions with nominations from the floor also permissible.

Other nominations given by the committee at the Monday night meeting were first vice president, Mrs. Ernest R. Ekman; second vice president, Miss Margie Moseing; secretary, Mrs. J. H. McCullough; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Higginbotham; chaplain, Mrs. James Libner; historian, Mrs. Gladwyn Hamre; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Victor Howard; executive board members, Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Miss Ruth Lorenzen and Mrs. Lewis Hall.

Serving on the nominating committee are Mrs. Ralph Francis, Mrs. E. A. Kern, and Mrs. John Demas.

**Coolest Winners**  
Sally Mollett, first prize winner in the patriotic essay contest was introduced by Mrs. Larry Carpenter, contest chairman, as was Patsy Rodgers, second prize winner. Each girl was presented with a cash gift. Honorable mention awards went to Wayne Fetter and Jim Heater. Thirty-four young folk competed, with Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Hoblitt as judges.

Mrs. E. L. Starr, poppy poster chairman, displayed posters including those receiving awards. First place winners were for Class 1 (grades 4, 5, and 6), Sandra Maurer, Victor Point School; class 2 (junior high school), Janice Schulte, Victor Point; class 3 (high school), Joan Meland, Silvertown. Poster judges were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scarth and Earl J. Adams.

Mrs. L. P. Oehler presided at the meeting where reports were made including membership now at 121. Sewing hours were given as 78 by the chairman, Mrs. Victor Howard, who also announced the May all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Magda Frank.

New members initiated during the evening were Mrs. Elwin Hood, Mrs. Charles Woodruff, Mrs. Frank Groux, Mrs. Jack Tuggle and Mrs. Harvey Minx.

## Clarence Sundet to Head Labish Club

LABISH ELECTED—Clarence Sundet was elected president of the Community Club at a recent meeting. Roy Pearsall is the new vice president and Mrs. Leslie Klampe the secretary-treasurer.

Odin Hollin and Gerald Bennett were elected sergeants at arms, and on the executive committee are Roy Tyler and Harry Lovre. Mothers of first graders were appointed on the refreshment committee for graduation exercises.

## Church Occupies New Quarters

PEDEE—The Pedee Community Church has moved into its new building. This is the first unit of the church and is 30 by 50 feet. The Sunday School department will be started soon.

The attendance for Sunday school has been in the seventies. Construction was started three months ago and with offerings and donated labor the building is clear of debt. The Rev. John Lawler, formerly of Independence, is the pastor.

## Valley Births

DALLAS—To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson, Valselt, a son, April 21 at Dallas Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Robinson, Valselt, a son, April 23 at Dallas Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McBeth, Dallas, a daughter, April 24 at Bartell Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Foster, Springfield, a daughter, April 25 at Bartell Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lyle A. Gilmore, Dallas Route 2, a son, April 25, at Dallas Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marlin D. Tilgner, Eugene, a daughter, April 25, at Dallas Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Davis, Valselt, a daughter, April 26, at Dallas Hospital.

## Honor Students at Amity High School



AMITY—Honor students in the 1954 graduating class at Amity High School are pictured above. Left to right: Richard Goffena, third-ranking student; Jackie Haberly, valedictorian; and Roberta Paul, salutatorian. Goffena will introduce Harry Dillon, president of Linfield College, when the latter delivers the commencement address on Monday, May 24.

## Valley News Briefs

**Bethel**—Marion County Farmers Union convention will be held at 8 p.m. Saturday at Bethel School on East State Street Road. Bethel and Central Howell are host locals. Mrs. Ralph Wilson is chairman. Political candidates may speak briefly if desired and ballot measures will be discussed.

**Unionvale**—The Unionvale Home Extension Unit will meet Friday at the Hopewell Evangelical United Brethren Church for a joint meeting on "India". Each unit will meet separately in the morning with election of officers on the agenda. A no-host luncheon is planned at noon.

**Lyons**—The annual mother and daughter banquet sponsored by the women's society of the Methodist Church will be held Thursday night, May 6, at Mari-Linn School. Mrs. Samuel Roberts is food chairman.

**Pringle**—Achievement night for 4-H clubs will be held at Pringle School starting at 7:30 Thursday night. There will be exhibits and demonstrations of work done during the year by the four clubs in the community. A brief program is also planned and a lunch will be served following the program.

**Stayton**—Next meeting of the Stayton Community Womens Club will be held at 10:30 a.m. next Wednesday at the City Park if weather is favorable. Otherwise at the clubhouse. The extension program will be "Outdoor Meals". Project leader Mrs. Charles Fery and Mrs. Luther Guest will demonstrate outdoor cookery and will serve an outdoor meal to the group. Interested women are welcome to attend.

## Mt. Angel Legion Auxiliary Plans Mothers' Program

MT. ANGEL—President Dorothy Bisenius reported at the Legion Auxiliary meeting Tuesday night that Mrs. Harold Bourbonnais, Junior Auxiliary chairman, has made arrangements to have the Juniors provide the entertainment for the Mother's Day program slated for May 11.

Several folk dances by the little people will be among the number offered. All Legion and Auxiliary mothers and especially Gold Star Mothers will be honored.

Another feature will be the presentation of cash awards to the winners in the high school essay contest. Mrs. Cletus Busch announced that the prizes were won by Rita Hauth, Mt. Angel first; Zita Steinkamp, Woodburn, second; and Carol Brandt, Silvertown, third, all students of Mt. Angel Academy.

Mrs. Ira Herriford, Mrs. Ed Hoffer and Mrs. Ernest Crowder volunteered to serve on the lunch committee that night. A report on the Easter Saturday bake sale showed a net profit of \$43.

## Morse to Talk At Hermiston

HERMISTON—Armed Forces Day will be observed May 14, a day before the national observance, at the Umatilla Ordnance Depot.

Sen. Wayne Morse will be the main speaker. Maj. Gen. Thomas Rilea, Oregon's adjutant general, will represent Gov. Paul Patterson.

**Pringle**—Preschool children, with their mothers, will visit Pringle School Friday, starting at 11:15 a.m. The school census lists 38 prospective first graders in the district. If that number should increase by a few more at the time school opens, and additional teacher may be needed.

**Orchard Heights**—The last square dance of the season will be held Saturday night at Popcorn Schoolhouse.

**Hayesville**—Jack Versteeg, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Versteeg, 2790 Ward Dr., took his physical for the Air Force at Portland April 19 and was flown to Lackland Air Base, San Antonio, Texas. His parents have been worried from him that he sustained a fractured jaw in an accident on the base. The injury required 10 stitches. He will be hospitalized for a month.

**Oakdale**—A reunion of three World War I buddies took place Sunday when E. R. Cook from Colorado Springs, Colo., and H. K. Dennis, Portland met at the L. M. Dennis home Sunday. Their wives also joined in the reunion.

**Hubbard**—Campaign speeches will be made at North Marion High School Thursday afternoon at 3:15. Campaigning for student body offices and yell leaders before the annual election of next year's officers, will take place. The North Marion band and chorus will participate in the district music contest at Eugene Saturday, and seniors are scheduled for a trip to Salem on Monday.

## Bobby, Next Time You'd Better Cry

HAZEL GREEN—Second graders are getting credit this week for courage while facing the polio vaccine, but five-year-old Bobby McLaughry should rate some mention for bravery, too.

Bobby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McLaughry, 4910 Labish Garden Rd., fell while playing at the home of a cousin Monday and struck his head on a brick. His mother and aunt saw him fall but since he didn't cry they didn't think he was hurt. His small cousin, however, got a Band-Aid and put it on the wound.

When it came time to go home, it was discovered that the bandage was hardly adequate, so he was rushed to a doctor. An hour-and-a-half and 13 stitches later, Bobby still wasn't complaining.

**NEWCOMERS WELCOMED**  
CLEAR LAKE—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Savage were surprised with a housewarming Sunday afternoon by members of Keizer Grange, of which Savage is master. The Savages recently purchased their home from Mrs. Clara Johnson and moved here from Salem. About 30 attended and presented the couple with a gift of shrubbery for their home.

**FRENCH VIET NAM PACT**  
PARIS—The declaration of accord between France and Viet Nam on the independence to be signed Wednesday, it was announced Tuesday night.



REV. JOHN LOGAN

**London Evangelist Guest Speaker At Local Church**  
The First Church of the Nazarene  
Center at Thirteenth Is Host To  
**Rev. John Logan** of London, England,  
Who is speaking nightly (except Saturday) at 7:30  
April 28—May 9  
William F. Clay, Minister

## 2 Mill City Stores Have New Owners

MILL CITY—Harold Kiewer, butcher who has operated a meat shop in the back of Toman's Hill-top Store for some time, has bought out the grocery part of the large, comparatively new store from Albert Toman Jr., and will operate it himself, hiring a meat-cutter to take care of that end of the work.

Albert Toman Sr., owner of the building, will continue to operate the hardware side of the business, also the shoe department. The younger Toman has not announced what he intends to do. Another recent business transaction here was the sale of Don Smith's service station to Louis R. Kelle, Gates, who plans to take over active operation on May 1. The Don Smiths plan to return to their ranch near Sisters, as soon as the school term is over.

## Sea Scouts Acquire Boat

MILL CITY—Mill City Sea Scouts, recently instituted as Ship 49 under the direction of Daron Dierks, have been given a "ship" of their own by Portland Steamship Co.

Cecil Lake hauled it here on his large truck. The boat, of steel construction, 24 feet long, 8 feet wide, and weighing 4200 pounds, is so constructed that it will not capsize.

Now located in the park near the scout cabin, it will be scraped and painted preparatory to its launching at Detroit Lake. The boat came equipped with six oars, a mast, and sail.

## Trains



MILL CITY—Naval Aviation Cadet Wiley E. Muise, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jenkins of Mill City, recently completed his first solo helicopter flight during training at Elyson Field, Pensacola, Fla.

## May Program At Mill City Due Friday

MILL CITY—Three of the primary rooms at Mill City Grade School will present a May Day program in the elementary gym Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Numbers will be: May Pole Dance; "Pop, Goes the Weasel" dance; a Polka dance; and a clown act.

Rooms taking part in the program are Mrs. Sletto's first grade, Mrs. Baldwin's first grade, and Miss Prichard's second grade. Several numbers will be sung by the entire group.

Lorene Podrabsky of the second grade was elected May Queen by the children. She will have two princesses from the other rooms as her attendants. Bradley Andrews will act as announcer. Directing the music for the program will be Miss Alice Smith, who will furnish the piano accompaniment.

## Mt. Angel Legion To Support Moser For Commander

MT. ANGEL—The Legion Post Tuesday night voted to donate \$10 to the Louise Hauth Emergency Fund, established last week for the benefit of Mt. Angel's child victim of cancer.

State convention dates were announced for July 21-24 and the post voted to support Carl Moser, formerly of the Silvertown post, as department commander. Commander Gene Hoffer and Comrades Herriford and Mel Rigdon gave a demonstration of the correct procedure in folding the flag.

Bob Beaver was reported out of the hospital but Chester Keene was recently taken to the Veterans Hospital.

## Michigan City Directory Haunted By Famous Names

MONROE, Mich. (AP)—Monroe's city directory is haunted by the names of a Nazi dictator and an English royal family supposedly residing at 224 Adams St.

The directory lists Adolph Z. Schickelgruber, a painter, and George H. Windsor, a laborer, as residents of the address. But they aren't.

The lone resident at 224, Adams is H. Selwyn Percy—and he says his ghostly "boarders" don't bother him.

Percy said he had no idea how the names got in the directory and the firm that published the directory said its records gave no explanation.

The mosquito that bites always is a female.

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