

Valley News

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Dallas to Hold Revival Series

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DALLAS—The Union Crusade of Dallas Churches will begin its series of revival meetings at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, in Morrison school.

Meetings will be held nightly, except for Monday, January 17, from January 12 through January 23. Sunday evening services will be held in the high school gymnasium. All other services will be held at Morrison school.

Headlining the revival services is Dr. Torrey Johnson, internationally known evangelist. J. Stratton Shufelt, baritone, will lead gospel singing.

The Dallas Ministerial Association worked out the details of the crusade. Heading the general committee are the Rev. John E. Rittenmeyer, pastor of Evangelical United Brethren Church, and the Rev. Orville Mick, First Christian Church pastor.

Farm Welding Class Planned in Hubbard

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HUBBARD—An organizational meeting for evening classes in farm welding will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the agricultural building of the North Marion Union High School. There will be openings for 12 members in the class.

Walter Aldridge, an instructor at the high school, will conduct the classes. The program is sponsored by the adult advisory committee to the vocational agriculture department at North Marion High School.

New Presbyterian Pastor at Dallas

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DALLAS—The Rev. John B. MacDonald has accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, filling the pulpit and living in the manse occupied by Dr. Earl W. Benbow for 10 years.

The new pastor, his wife, daughter Catherine Ann and son John will arrive in Dallas this week from Spokane. The Rev. Mr. MacDonald has been pastor of Knox Presbyterian church in Spokane for the past 8½ years. Prior to that time he was a chaplain with the 89th division in France and Germany for four years.

Pythian Sisters Install Officers

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HUBBARD—Mrs. Warren Grim was installed Tuesday evening as most excellent chief of Arion Temple, Pythian Sisters, and Mrs. Duane Hatcher became past chief of the temple.

Other officers who were installed Tuesday were Mrs. Russell Rollison, senior; Mrs. Leon Graham, junior; Mrs. Irene Fawver, manager; Mrs. Harold Sken, protector; Mrs. N. A. Mann, guard; Mrs. Hannah Hunt, secretary, and Mrs. Lenore Schor, treasurer.

The commission of installation was read by Mrs. W. T. Lord, retiring secretary. The charter was draped in memory of Mrs. Edith Phelps.

Mrs. Ruby Zacher of Redmond, Pythian Sisters grand chief for Oregon, is scheduled to pay an official visit to Arion Temple at a meeting Jan. 18.

Local Railway Merger Told

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WILLAMINA—The Willamina and Grand Ronde Railway Co. was merged in its operation with the Longview, Portland and Northern Railroad Co. beginning Jan. 1, according to an announcement last week by J. D. Leland, president of Long-Bell Lumber Co.

The Willamina and Grand Ronde was incorporated in 1920. It was acquired by Long-Bell along with other Grand Ronde properties in 1942.

Leland said the railroad's general offices will be moved to Longview, Wash. No changes are planned in management of the railroad, he said. The Willamina and Grand Ronde recently converted to diesel-electric engines.

Valley Obituaries

Harry Henshaw

SHERIDAN—Word has been received here of the death of Harry Henshaw at Mesa, Ariz. He died of burns received when an explosion occurred in his trailer house. His wife was also badly burned in the accident. Henshaw was the uncle of R. R. Blair, Dan Blair, Mrs. H. H. Walker and Mrs. Fred Wierle of Sheridan and Mrs. Otto Debrick of Willamina.

Max W. Arndt

SHERIDAN—Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Sheridan Funeral Home for Max W. Arndt, 55, who died last week of a heart attack.

Mr. Arndt was born March 19, 1899, in Illinois, and came to Sheridan with his parents in 1905. He was a member of the Lutheran Church. Survivors include a daughter, Maxine Arndt, Portland; and five sisters, Louise Arndt, Sheridan; and Anna Metge, Katherine Metge, Eleanor Williams and Martha Kutsch, all of Albany.

The Rev. George Mathiasen, former pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, officiated at the funeral. Burial was in Green Crest Memorial Park.

Group to Meet In New Hall

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SPRING VALLEY—The Lincoln Community Center Association will meet and elect officers at 8 p.m. Tuesday in its newly-acquired building, Mrs. Robert Shepherd, an officer of the group, reported Sunday.

The building, formerly the Spring Valley schoolhouse, will henceforth be called the "Community Center Building", Mrs. Shepherd reported.

Plans for a big housewarming and dinner at the new buildings of the district and neighboring districts are welcome at Tuesday night's meeting.

Committee to Plan Woodburn Prom

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WOODBURN—Plans are now being made for the annual junior-senior prom to be held in the high school auditorium in May. The junior class, which sponsors the affair, decided Thursday to secure an orchestra from Portland.

A theme committee made-up of Homer Wadsworth, Larry Sterling, chairman; Bill Stamper, Truman Baird, Peggy Doerfler, Rochelle Plank, Laveta Slover, and Carmelita Moffett was appointed to discuss possible ideas for the dance.

Bethel Man Returns Home for Holidays

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BETHEL—Ray R. Faria, who has been working in Anchorage, Alaska, for three years, spent the holiday season with his wife and family at their farm home on East State Street road.

Faria is road manager for the Union Cab Co. in Anchorage. He said the Alaskan city, located near the top of Cook Inlet, has a milder climate than many other points in the territory. He has made four round trips by air between Anchorage and Salem.

Dallas School Chief Given New Contract

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DALLAS—Superintendent S. E. Whitworth, head of the city school system, has been given a new contract for one year by the school board.

The superintendent's previous contracts have been for three-year periods. Whitworth, who is in his 31st year with the Dallas schools, suggested the new contract be shortened as he may retire at the end of the period. The contract will take effect July 1.

Valley Births

SILVERTON—A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Corbin, Molalla, Friday, Jan. 7, at the Silverton Hospital.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Triplett, Woodburn, Saturday, Jan. 8, at the Silverton Hospital.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Duane Reed, Molalla, Sunday, Jan. 9, at the Silverton Hospital.

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Patient With Family After Three Weeks In Silverton Hospital

SILVERTON—Mrs. John Lauderback, who has been at the Silverton Hospital for the past three weeks, was removed to her home at Central Howell Saturday where she is now being cared for by members of the family. She was reported a little improved.

Mrs. L. C. Goplerud is at St. Vincent's Hospital Portland, following major surgery and her condition was reported critical Sunday by members of the family.

Mrs. William Bloch was reported somewhat improved at the Silverton Hospital Sunday following a sudden illness Saturday. She will remain at the hospital a few days longer.

Dustin Johnson, 16, Woodburn, is at the Silverton Hospital with severe bruises and other injuries sustained Saturday night at a skating accident at Woodburn.

Dallas Postal Receipts Gain

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DALLAS—A year end tally by Postmaster Carl Black showed gross receipts of \$59,500 for 1954 at the Dallas post office.

The 1954 receipts were a gain of \$2,821 over 1953. Stamp sales, however, slipped from a total of \$42,539 in 1953 to \$39,999 in 1954—a drop of \$2,540.

Decrease in stamp sales for the year was due largely to the installation of another postage metering machine by a heavy mailer, Black said. Metered postage is included in "other receipts" which showed a gain of \$5,360.

The total value of money orders issued during 1954 was \$382,657, a decrease of \$18,483 from the previous year. Black attributed the decrease in part to the lumber strike of last summer.

Valley News Briefs

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Roberts—Roberts Grange will meet at 8 p.m. Saturday with the agriculture committee in charge of the lecturer's program. Ben Newell of the extension service will present slide pictures and items of interest to farmers, according to L. D. Johnson, secretary.

Union Hill—The Union Hill Grange Home Economics Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donald Jacquet. Mrs. Robert Lierman will be co-hostess.

Aumsville—Mrs. William Lohse and Mrs. Dick Poel will be hostesses for the Aumsville Home Extension Unit at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the City Hall. Mrs. Loren Gower and Mrs. Grace Campbell will lead the project, "Health Insurance."

Falls City—The Merry Mingle Club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Richard Murphy. The new officers for the year, Mrs. Steve Poe, president; Mrs. Fred Dornhecker, secretary, and Mrs. Doyle Lorimer, treasurer, will start their duties at this meeting.

Labish Center—The Home Economics Club will meet Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. in the social rooms of the Evangelical United Brethren Church. Mrs. Katherine Daugherty and Mrs. Opal Rasmussen will present the topic, "Health Insurance." Hostesses will be Mrs. Joe Dwyer and Mrs. Albert Haselbacher.

Turner—Ideal Rebekah Lodge will hold a joint installation of officers with the Odd Fellows Lodge Thursday evening. At a meeting of Rebekah Lodge last week Mrs. Brutus Ashcraft was elected district deputy. She succeeds Mrs. Howard Harris, who is moving to Southern Oregon.

Roberts—The Santiam Soil Conservation will hold its annual meeting at Roberts Grange Hall Wednesday at 10 a.m. There will be a hot lunch at noon. A general-interest program is planned. Everyone is welcome.

Aumsville—The combined 4-H clubs of Aumsville will hold a no-host dinner at 7 p.m. Monday at the school. Families of youngsters who have had projects last year or this year are asked to attend. Pins will be awarded.

Sheridan—Mr. and Mrs. Ves Latham will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary next Sunday with a reception at the Bellevue Community Hall from 2 to 4 p.m.

Melzer—The Lions Auxiliary group will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Reinwald, 890 Plymouth Dr. Mrs. Paul Peyton will serve as co-hostess. Walter R. Dry, superintendent of the State School for the Blind, will be principal speaker. Auxiliary members will bring articles of boys' clothing which will be given to the children at the school for the blind.

Sheridan—Byron Wood will leave Jan. 16 for Ft. Benning, Ga., where he will take advanced non-commissioned training for a four-month period. He will be accompanied by his wife.

Four Corners—Lawrence Lee and son Ronald left Wednesday for Okanogan, Wash., where they were called by the death of Lee's father, Ted Lee.

Sheridan—Mrs. Clara Long received bruises and shock this week when she was struck by an empty logging truck at Harney and South Bridge streets.

Pedee—The Rev. Floyd Pollock of Gold Hill began as pastor of the Community Church last week. He is moving his family into the small house on the Paul Maddox farm.

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