

Valley News Briefs

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Independence — Mr. and Mrs. Clayburn Arden have learned of birth of a son to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Arden, Barstow, Calif. The young Mrs. Arden is the former Delores Taylor of Salem. Her husband is stationed with the Marine Corps at Barstow.

Pedee — Mrs. Kenneth Swingle, who underwent major surgery at the Salem Memorial hospital Monday is reported to be improving nicely.

Phillips Family Picnic Held Sunday at Lyons

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LYONS — Mr. and Mrs. Keith Phillips were hosts to a large family gathering and picnic Sunday at their home on Lyons Route one.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Phillips from Buckley, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Argo and two daughters, Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Lyle Pennell and granddaughter Nancy Howard, Napa, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stroble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Goodman, all from Estacada, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miller and daughter, Scio, Mrs. Ralph Trask, Mrs. Millie Monroe, Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Phillips, Bend, Mrs. Willard Johnson, Mapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wagner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Monroe and daughters and the Keith Phillips family.

Mt. Angel — Mrs. Ed Hoffer of Mt. Angel received word of the death of her mother, Mrs. Anthony Long in Spirit Lake, Iowa, on August 4. Mrs. Long was 81 years old and is survived by five sons and seven daughters. Two daughters live in California and all the other children except Mrs. Hoffer reside in Iowa. Her husband preceded her in death five years ago.

Mt. Angel — Rev. Father Hilbrand Melchior, Mt. Angel, will be a featured speaker over KSLM, Salem, radio station Monday night, August 8, at 7:30 p.m. His talk will be on devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Marian Pilgrimage to be held at Holy Rosary Chapel in Crooked Finger on Monday, August 15.

Pedee — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bennett are the parents of a daughter born at Dallas hospital August 1. The baby has been named Michelle D'Anne and has 2 brothers.

Pedee — Mr. and Mrs. Dale Osteen are the parents of a son born July 31 at the Bartell hospital, Dallas. The baby has been named Michael James and has a brother and a sister.

Brooks Grocery Has New Owner

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BROOKS — Mrs. Anna Rombach, formerly of Crescent City, Calif., has leased the grocery store which was operated here until recently by Richard Jones. New name of the store is Ann's.

New Facilities To Be Installed At Polk Parks

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MONMOUTH — Two Polk County projects on the State Highway Commission's agenda are installation of sanitary, water and electrical facilities at Helmick state park, and Holman state park. These projects will be let to the lowest bidders at the highway commission meeting in Portland August 11 and 12.

Bids also will be received by the commission for widening of the Levens street bridge at Dallas over LaCreole Creek. The city wants the bridge width of 19 feet increased to a standard width of 35 feet.

Shots Slated At Mill City

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MILL CITY — The Marion County Health Department will be at Mill City Elementary School Wednesday, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. to give booster shots as well as the polio vaccine to all children missing the first polio shots given in May, according to Mrs. William Pennick, general health chairman of Gates.

Children having taken the first polio shot will be able to take their second at that time. Included will be all children from Idanha, Detroit, Gates, and Mill City.

Market. The new owner plans to enlarge the line of commodities stocked to include frozen foods.

India Dairy Official Praises U.S. Attitude

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BETHEL — "The Americans have a great tolerance toward others and are most friendly and kind," declared Dr. D. S. Reddy, graduate veterinarian and farm manager of the government dairy farm at Vishakapatham, Andhra, India. There he supervises 600 head of dairy stock.

Dr. Reddy was guest speaker at the Marion County Farmer Union quarterly convention held at Bethel school on East State Street Road Saturday night. There was an attendance of about 70 delegates and visitors. Dr. Reddy is in this country under the auspices of the Foreign Operation Administration observing various aspects of dairy husbandry. He is at Oregon State College at present and will remain there for another month.

He stated that the Union of India is about one half the size of USA and has four times the population. After five years of independence, which he attributes entirely to Gandhi's non resistance program, the country has gone forward unbelievably. India has compulsory elementary school attendance, every adult can vote, and they are now producing food sufficient for their own needs. And he said they have central and state governments as in the U. S.

Decision Protested — Lloyd Beutler and Mrs. Frank Way, both of Central Howell, conducted the meeting. Harley W. Libby, state FU president, of Jefferson protested the decision of the Federal Power Commission to turn Hells Canyon over to the Idaho Power Company. He believes the people will protest that decision which was so plainly timed to be issued after Congress had adjourned.

Mrs. Wendell Barnett, Gervais local, presented the report of the FU county budget committee; and with Mrs. Leon Flux, took part in a panel discussion on "the possibilities of a Adult Camp." Emil Schermacher of Marion local, state FU field man, talked on benefits of the various kinds of FU insurance.

Junior Camp Discussed — Karen Mantie and Mrs. Albert Mantie, a Junior leader, gave highlights of Junior camp. Karen also sang and played piano accompaniment for vocal trios with JoAnn and Janet Slater, all Juniors of Central Howell local. Frank Beutler presented the report of the FU Health association. W. L. Creech, Bethel, and B. C. Hall, Salem, told of progress of the FU Cooperative building on Silverto Road.

Plans for the FU state picnic at Champoege park on Aug. 21 were disclosed. Meeting place for the November convention will be announced later. Bethel, Central Howell and Roberts were host locals and Mrs. J. A. Hain was general chairman.

BB Shot Removed From Girl's Eyeball

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SCOTTS MILLS — Karen Patridge, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Patridge, was reported Saturday as recovering satisfactorily following the removal of BB shot which lodged behind her eyeball. The little girl was taken to Portland where the

Many Winners At Pet Show for Sheridan Children

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SHERIDAN — A pet show was held by children participating in the park recreation program Thursday. Prize winners included: Largest dogs, Vickie Burch, Skipper Plummer and Judy Hulet; smallest dog, Nels Levison, Judy Hulet; largest cat, Richard Smith; smallest cat, Ronnie Popen and Curtis Novak; largest horse, Billy Francis; smallest horse, Billy Bunn. Ribbons were awarded the winners.

Total enrollment of children is now 938. A hobby show will be held Aug. 12, and talent show will be held Aug. 23 at the conclusion of the park program. Mrs. Fern Eberhart is director of the program.

Births At Valley Hospitals

STAYTON — To Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Fultz, West Stayton, a daughter, Saturday, Aug. 6, at Santiam Memorial Hospital.

STAYTON — To Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Cooper, Mill City, a son, Saturday, Aug. 6, at Santiam Memorial Hospital.

STAYTON — To Mr. and Mrs. Lauren M. Walker, Lyons, a son, Friday, Aug. 5, at Santiam Memorial Hospital.

shots were removed by a specialist by means of a magnet. The shot from the BB gun in the hands of a playmate entered the corner of Karen's eye and stopped behind the eyeball.

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Detroit Postal Head Honored

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DETROIT — Mrs. Mabel W. Moore, longtime Detroit postmistress, was honored on Aug. 1 by receiving a certificate of membership in a postal honorary organization, the Portland Region 500 Club. The presentation was made in recognition of faithful service.

In a letter to Mrs. Moore at the time this award was made, A. J. Tonsing, district manager said, "The attainment of such a record on your part reveals long and faithful devotion to duty, and in all probability, some sacrifice on your part."

"You have set an example which serves as a goal for others."

Mrs. Moore has served as postmaster in Detroit for 27 years last April 2. In that length of time she has seen many changes.

The present structure is the third postoffice building she has served in. The latest building was completed by her husband, Guy Moore, in the spring of 1952 and was occupied April 1 of that year. The building also now contains a small gift shop.

ATTEND ELKS CONCLAVE

WILLAMINA — Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Shetterly and daughter Judie flew to Philadelphia, Pa., recently where Shetterly attended the Elks convention. They also spent a week in Washington D. C., with relatives. Shetterly is Exalted Ruler of McMinnville BPOE lodge 1283.

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