

ELECTRIC LINE EXTENSION HAS EARLY SUPPORT

Lebanon—Construction of a 66,000 volt transmission line between Lebanon and Albany is the major part of a \$100,000 program launched by the Mountain States Power company for adequate service to its customers, according to an announcement by Dave Strittmater, manager of the Lebanon office.

The program, undertaken, the manager said, in anticipation of continued growth of industry and population in southeastern Linn county, includes construction of a new sub-station in Lebanon.

Erection of poles alongside the 14-mile highway was started several days ago. Completion of the project is indefinite due to inability of eastern factories to fill orders for equipment. The factories are delayed by strikes and inability to secure raw materials, Strittmater explained.

The new line will make in all three wires serving Lebanon, and through Lebanon's sub-station, all this vicinity. The other lines are each carrying 11,000 volts. One, following the highway, will be transferred to the new poles. The other line terminates at Tangent.

Completion of the project will see a more stable voltage and improved regulation, the manager said.

The utility recently concluded a \$30,000 program of improvement, including installation of a new regulator and of a third wire to the fast growing city of Sweet Home.

CARDS ARE PLAYED
Lebanon—Mrs. L. E. Getzen and Mrs. L. P. Grougnet were joint hostesses at the Getzen home when they entertained members of the Hi N N bridge club. Three tables of cards were in play. Prize scores were received by Mrs. Virgil Horton and Miss Rita Fitzwater at the close of the evening. Mrs. Ted Lamb was invited for the occasion.

REPORTS FEATURE OF GRANGE SESSION
Sidney—Ankeny grange met Saturday night. After reports from standing committees, N. M. Edwin Swartz gave a general report of the state grange proceedings held at The Dalles recently, followed by a short talk by J. O. Farr. Mrs. Parr reported on H.E.C. and lecture conferences.

After grange closed a splendid program was put on by Lecturer Rose Gilmour. A group of young people who had attended the 4-H club session held at Corvallis gave splendid reports about activities and classes held. Anita Gilmour was sent by the H.E.C. club of the grange, and reported time spent worthwhile.

Hubbard Band Will Play at Molalla
Hubbard—Arrangements have been completed by Harvey Moshberger, president of the Hubbard Community band and acting manager for the band, to lead the parade at the annual Molalla Buckaroo July 3, 4 and 5. The band will give an afternoon and evening concert in addition to the morning parade event. This is the fifth time the Hubbard band has been invited to take part in the festivities. About half of the players in the Hubbard band are residents of the rural districts near Molalla.

Improvements Made For Gates School
Gates—Robert Wakefield, superintendent of the Gates schools, accompanied by his parents, who make their home with him, left last week for Seattle where Wakefield will enter the University of Washington for summer school work.

The school buildings are being renovated with the floors being finished and varnished and the walls caulked during the summer months with L. Hennessy, caretaker, in charge of the work.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY
Turner—A. E. Robertson was honored by his birthday dinner Tuesday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robertson of Salt Lake City, Oregon Robertson and the hostess, Mrs. A. E. Robertson.

HOME FOR SUMMER
Union Hill—Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Scott and sons, Guy and Keith, and Mrs. Julia Krens motored to Underwood, Wash., Thursday and returned Friday with Mrs. Jessie Pendleton, who has been teaching at Underwood and will spend the vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Scott. Mrs. Pendleton will teach at Hill City next year.

KUENZIS TO MOVE
Hazel Green—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kuenzi and children, Joyce and Jimmy, who have been residents of this community for the past two years have purchased the Melvin Gruenfelder place in Middle Grove. The Kuenzis plan to move to their property the last of the month.

PASTOR AT CONFERENCE
Peach City—The Rev. John Linn Preach has left sermon at the M. E. church Sunday before going to conference at Klamath Falls Monday. Mrs. Belle Gottfried is delegate to the conference.

GRADUATES IN MUSIC
Independence—Franklin Gillispie, son of N. F. Gillispie of Centralia, Wash., was here this week renewing old acquaintances. He was a former resident of Independence and relates to his former friends here that he has just graduated from the Pacific school of music at Stockton, Calif. He is the house guest of his sister, Mrs. Alia Smith of Monmouth.

ACREAGE IS SOLD
Monmouth—A. C. Steenbrough has purchased of E. N. Keeney one-quarter acre of ground on the south side of East Main street on which he will erect a modern dwelling in the near future. The deal was made by Huber of O'Rourke & Huber, realtors.

Mrs. Miller Home
Monmouth—Mrs. Cora E. Miller has just returned from a 2000-mile trip into California, visiting in San Francisco and vicinity. She was accompanied south by her daughter, Carol, and returning with her were Miss Ruth Isaacson of California and Miss Winnie Merritt of Jefferson. In California Mrs. Miller visited her son, Lloyd, who is in the air service and lives with his wife there.

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TAX COMMITTEE GETS NAMES OF ALLEGED DODGERS—The joint congressional committee investigating tax dodging was given the names of a group of alleged offenders by the treasury's chief investigator, Elmer L. Trey (left). He is shown with Rep. R. L. Doughton (D-NC), chairman of the committee, and Sen. Pat Harrison (D-Miss.)—Associated Press Photo.

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Falls City Class Has June Session

Falls City—The Royal Women's class of the Christian church held its June meeting at the church with Mrs. Alma Freer and Mrs. Lillian Ward as joint hostesses.

The devotional work was led by Mrs. Walter Peterson.

The business session was led by Mrs. Cora McCoy, vice-president. Games were later played and refreshments were served to 31 by Mrs. Alma Freer, Mrs. Lillian Ward, Mrs. Sidney Gish, Mrs. Maggie Loftus, Mrs. Hope Lettermen and Mrs. Dickinson.

Four Leaf Clover Club Entertained

Turner—Mrs. Francis Whitehead entertained the Four Leaf Clover club Wednesday afternoon. During the summer months the club will discontinue its practice of holding all-day meetings and hold afternoon meetings, at which refreshments will be served. The project now before the club is that of compiling notebooks of household hints. Flowers were sent to Mrs. Dumbek, who is ill.

Members attending were Mrs. Roseman, Mrs. Clayton and friend, Mrs. Anderson and daughter, Mrs. Mary Schifferer, Mrs. Fred Schifferer, Mrs. Anna Kunkle and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hennies and daughter, Miss Mary Grimes, Mrs. Anna Smith, Mrs. H. M. Hunsaker, Mrs. J. C. Morris, Mrs. Nellie Hamilton, Mrs. Sam Drager and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. Lloyd Jarman, Mrs. Albert Hennies and daughter, Mrs. Jim Craig, Mrs. Nora Robertson, Mrs. Anna Whitehead and the hostess, Mrs. Francis Whitehead.

EXAMINER DUE TUESDAY

Woodburn—R. J. Dooley, examiner of operators and chauffeurs, will be in Woodburn Tuesday, June 22, at the city hall from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with Mr. Dooley at that time.

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Miss Hannah Olson was one in a family of 12 children of Michael and Olivia Antonia Olson and her intention of originating cousin week was to keep the relatives in touch with one another. The cousins meet at the family home and assist with the work of checking and other duties during the week. A recreational program is planned informally and a number of trips and picnics are included in the week's pleasures.

Present this year were Olivia and Pauline Olson of North Bend, daughters of the M. A. Olson; Marvin, Margaret and Mary Elizabeth Olson of Eugene, children of the Otto Olson; Marjorie and Dorel Olson of Portland, children of the E. J. Olson; Tina Deric, daughter of Ida Olson-Davie; and those too young to join the group are Neil Olson of Klamath Falls, son of the R. C. Olson; and Bobby and Roberta Olson of Eugene, children of the Otto Olson. The youngest cousin is Beth of Eugene, two years old, and the oldest is Olivia of North Bend, 18 years of age.

PRISON SENTENCES HANDED TWO MEN

Dallas—In a brief session of circuit court Saturday morning Judge Arlie G. Walker sentenced Marc E. Jennings to four years in the state penitentiary and Melvin Case to three years in the same institution. The two men were members of a trio arrested last Monday in West Salem on a charge of "burning with intent to insure insurer" the completed setting forth that they had wilfully set fire to a building for the purpose of collecting the insurance. The third member, Faye L. Case, had her sentence postponed until Tuesday morning when the court will again be in session.

Loyal Guard Class Has Social Meeting

Silverton—Members of the Loyal Guards' Sunday school class of the Methodist church present at the home of Mrs. A. H. Smith Friday for the social meeting were Mrs. D. Lester Fields, who led in devotionals, Mrs. W. H. Winter, Mrs. H. Watson, Mrs. Will Graham, Mrs. E. Miller, Mrs. Troy Derksen, Mrs. Charles Davis, Mrs. L. Melby, Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. S. S. Ackley, Mrs. A. P. Blackberry, Mrs. Jack Tugale, Mrs. G. Bowen, Mrs. F. J. Roubal, Mrs. B. J. Day, Mrs. E. G. Morrison, Mrs. E. Kerns, who is president of the class, Mrs. Max Scriber and Warren Max, and Mrs. A. H. Smith, the hostess.

CLUB WILL SEW

Silverton—Members of the Triple Link club will be guests of Mrs. Carl Lorenzen and her daughter, Miss Ruth Lorenzen, on Wednesday afternoon. The members are asked to come prepared to sew on material for curtains for the newly-decorated dining room of the hall. Laura Busch is president.

RETURN FROM EAST

West Salem—Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hathaway and daughters, Delores Ann and Bonnie Belle, and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Dickson, Shirley, Bonnie and Bobby, have all returned from their motor trips and visits to relatives in Illinois, Indiana and Missouri.

REACH EAST COAST

Silverton—Relatives have word from Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Campbell and Charles, Grace, Flora and Lois that they reached Nova Scotia June 2 and are enjoying their trip very much. They incidentally stated that fish bite well in Nova Scotia, as Flora hooked 18 trout before breakfast as a fairly normal catch. The Campbells plan to be in Minneapolis for the Luther League international conference.

CALL UPON CLUBBERS

Union Hill—Miss Alice Jaquet visited the 4-H summer school last week. Miss Jaquet was the leader of the 4-H work here the past club season and visited Barbara Rosenbalm, Madelyn Collier and Mildred Carlson, who attended the summer session of 4-H club members at Corvallis from Union Hill. Accompanying Miss Jaquet were Mrs. Vera Scott, Mrs. Mae McElhany, Gladys Peterson, Walter McElhany, Marvin Darby and Donald Jaquet.

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News and Musical

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Scio—An old Chevrolet coupe was abandoned at the old Nemece place at the southwest outskirts of Scio Friday afternoon by two young men who were strangers here, according to report of the Trinkenholz family, occupants of the Nemece house. The men are reported to have "bummed" a small quantity of gas at the Ziedlinski sawmill on Thomas creek a few miles east of Scio, a short time before abandoning the car here.

WITNESS BAPTISM

Woodburn—Mrs. Eugenia May Norwood of Portland is spending the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. John H. Miller, south of Donald. Mrs. Norwood spent the weekend in Portland with her sons, Rod and Jim, and also attended the baptism of her granddaughter, Angela May Norwood, at the Catholic cathedral. Other guests at the Miller home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Norton and daughters, Janice and Betty.

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MEMBERS OF MASONIC ORDER ENTERTAINED

Independence—A social evening was spent in cards and refreshments at the Masonic hall here Friday night when the members of Independence Chapter, R.A.M., had as their guests about 30 members from Multnomah chapter, Salem, and about 15 from Alinworth chapter, Dallas. Five hundred, contract and auction bridge were played and awards for high and low scores for men and women were made in each division.

The committee on refreshments was headed by W. L. Smith. Short talks were made by several members from visiting chapters, special recognition being given to Companion Nelson Roney, the oldest Mason present, from Multnomah chapter. He was presented by E. O. Emmons from Salem. J. G. McIntosh acted as toastmaster and distributed the prize awards. Harry Hagemeier and Homer Dodds had charge of tables. W. L. Smith, William Darling, D. W. Fowler, LeRoy Peyton, Z. C. Kimball, W. A. Barnum, R. W. Baker, Carl H. Iverson did kitchen duty and served tables.

This function will close the activities of the chapter until September.

SILVERTON GREET TEACHERS IN FALL

Silverton—Miss Elizabeth Joy, all-time teacher in the senior high school economic department, will have as her assistant this year, Miss Elizabeth McPherson of the Oregon State college, elected by the board of school directors for the coming term.

Miss McPherson's work will be part time in the home economic classes and she will also be in charge of public speaking and debate. She was a successful member of the Oregon State Woman's debate squad for four years.

Also new to the Silverton work this year will be Miss Jean Parmen of the Oregon State college, who will succeed Miss Rosemary Larson, who resigned to go to Roseburg for the ensuing year.

Final Card Evening Scheduled Tuesday

Liberty—The annual school meeting of the Liberty school district No. 21, has been called for Monday night at 8 o'clock at the school auditorium. A clerk and one director are to be elected and the budget voted upon. Serving on the budget committee this year were John Dauch, Fred L. Scott and Mrs. Mason Bishop.

LIBERTY TO VOTE

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED
Silverton—Miss Margie Inman spent the week in Portland as group of little girls Tuesday afternoon honoring Charles Mayne Westenhouse on her ninth birthday. Guests bidden were Virginia McRae, Phyllis Warden, Betty Jean Bodeker, Yvonne Hiatt, Carol Marie and Shirley Johnston, Theresa and Louise Pietroke, Henrietta Lyons, Betty Kinser, Hazel Neal and Charmaine Westenhouse.

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Auto Abandoned

Scio—An old Chevrolet coupe was abandoned at the old Nemece place at the southwest outskirts of Scio Friday afternoon by two young men who were strangers here, according to report of the Trinkenholz family, occupants of the Nemece house. The men are reported to have "bummed" a small quantity of gas at the Ziedlinski sawmill on Thomas creek a few miles east of Scio, a short time before abandoning the car here.

WITNESS BAPTISM

Woodburn—Mrs. Eugenia May Norwood of Portland is spending the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. John H. Miller, south of Donald. Mrs. Norwood spent the weekend in Portland with her sons, Rod and Jim, and also attended the baptism of her granddaughter, Angela May Norwood, at the Catholic cathedral. Other guests at the Miller home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Norton and daughters, Janice and Betty.

CAMP DURING HARVEST

Hazel Green—Rev. Edgar Long and wife and family and Charlotte and Doris Masale of Portland are camping on the Williamson place during the berry season. The group is harvesting the berry crop belonging to Robert Masale and planted on Williamson's land. The Masales formerly resided here for many years, occupying the renters' house on the Williamson farm.

STATE THEATRE

Last Day Today!
JOE E. BROWN
WHEN'S YOUR BIRTHDAY
—PLUS—
"SPAIN IN REVOLT"
"Thrill Scenes from the Battle Lines"

GRASSHOPPER SCOURGES THREATENING DISTRICT OF HARRISBURG HILLSIDES

Albany—Linn county's first grasshopper scourge of magnitude was investigated this week-end by County Agent Floyd C. Mullen and B. G. Thompson, assistant entomologist at Oregon State college, who found an area of 1000 acres, encompassing seven farms, in the Diamond hill district, east of Harrisburg, to be suffering extensive damage from huge swarms of the insects.

"It's by far the worst infestation I have ever seen west of the Cascade mountains," Thompson said.

The county agent described the hillsides over which the insects have passed as appearing to have been scorched by an August sun. Most of the country infested is pasture and range land. One 40-acre field on the E. F. Prince farm has been entirely stripped of wheat.

According to Thompson weather conditions are