

Family Recalls Wagon Trains

Gervais—The 55th annual Stevens reunion was held this year July 15 in Portland with the descendants of Mary and Jennings Smith as hosts. Eleven members who attended the first Silvertown reunion in 1891 were present.

Hanson and Lavina Stevens with seven small children left Koekuk, Iowa, in a train of 23 ox-drawn wagons for Oregon in 1852. After 6 hard months, the Stevens' wagon was the only one to reach Oregon. He took up a donation land claim near Silvertown still held by the family. Hanson and Lavina Stevens are buried in Bethany cemetery.

Presiding at the reunion this year was Willard Stevens of Brooks and Mrs. Elizabeth Haddon, secretary, of Albany. Eighty-six were present, with several branches of the family reporting sixth generation members.

Members came from Eugene, Albany, Lebanon, Salem, Brooks, Gervais, Silvertown, Oregon City, Milwaukie and Portland. From outside the valley came representatives from The Dalles, Seaside, and Seattle, Wash.

Next year the clan will meet at the home of Thomas Bump near Parkerville.

Bees to Feed on Damaged Sugar

Albany—Sugar damaged by water in the Sullivan building fire, Second and Lyons streets, July 3, will be made available to the public but not in the form of sugar.

It was reported Wednesday at the local war price and rationing board that arrangements were completed for the sale of the sugar by E. J. Way, grocer, who owned the damaged stock to Ralph Heins, large scale apiarist, who plans to feed it to his bees. It will be sold to consumers as honey after the bees have processed it.

Rev. Heins, who has a sugar quota as a commercial operator, delivered the required sugar points to the rationing board.

More than a ton of sugar had been damaged by water and smoke.

Office Is Opened By Past Rancher

Dallas—Clyde Wunder, formerly of Independence, has opened an office as an accountant with C. L. Marsters, local attorney on the second floor of the Dallas City bank building. It was announced this week.

Wunder, recently manager of the Miloma hop ranch near Independence, was for some time accountant for a large automobile concern in eastern Oregon before coming to Independence. He and Mrs. Wunder purchased the Otis Rawlins residence at 518 Ellis street and moved to Dallas this week.



Now at the Hollywood are the celebrated screen stars Jean Heather and Charles Quigley in the screen version of the National Barn Dance.

NOW PLAYING!
MR. and MRS. HUMPHREY BOGART
TO HAVE and HAVE NOT
introducing LAUREN BACALL
Co-Hit! The Saturday Evening Post's
Tall in the SADDLE
John Wayne - Ella Raines - Gabby Hayes



Sonja Henie is more glamorous than ever in "It's a Pleasure!" in which Michael O'Shea plays her irresponsible husband who fights through to happiness in spite of the allure of Marie McDonald. It starts at the Elsinore Sunday.

West Salem Door-to-Door Paper Drive is Planned

West Salem, July 21—Arrangements for collection of waste paper, which will be donated by residents of West Salem in the current Shrine hospital benefit drive, have been completed according to announcement from W. C. Heise, salvage chairman. The city along with several citizens will furnish trucks for the door-to-door pick-up, which is scheduled for Saturday evening, July 28 and will include a canvass of West Salem proper, the Kingwood Heights and Glen Creek road districts. Residents of the surrounding districts may also aid in this worthy cause by bringing their donations of paper into town and leaving it at the city hall.

Donors are asked to facilitate the work for the man and boys who will aid in the collection, by having the paper bundled and placed at the curb, so that the complete route may be covered during the evening hours of July 28. The paper will be sold immediately so that the proceeds may be turned over to the Shrine at the earliest possible time.

The Blue Lake Producers Co-operative here, planning to start canning beans and beets in about a week, is asking former employes and others desiring work to register at their personnel office. Both men and women are needed to work on either the night or day shifts.

Lodge Sets Date For Family Picnic

Woodburn—Home Rebekah Lodge No. 58 met in regular session Tuesday evening with Clara Strange presiding. Final plans were made for the annual family picnic for Rebekahs and Odd Fellows and families which is an event of July 22 at the Silvertown park.

Frances Luffman was elected vice grand to take the place of Mona Mulkey who has gone to California and Mac Engle was appointed program chairman for next year.

Freda Burt, Good of the Order chairman, read an article on 75 year old Molly Becker, who was chosen as war mother for 1943-44 by the Association of Rebekah Assemblies.

After the meeting Nettie Johnson was in charge of a program of riddles and guessing games with Laura Livesay and Clara Stange winning prizes. Refreshments were served by Ray Shaner, Guy Engle and William Stange.

Pomona Grange
Polk county Pomona Grange will meet on the lawn at the home of Glenn Y. Adams in West Salem on Saturday, July 28, with Brush College Grange as host. It will be a picnic with no closed session. However there will be a program and John W. Reed, wage assistant for the Oregon WFA board will explain wage regulations for the present season.

Mothers Aid Lunch Project

Dallas—A meeting for mothers of elementary school children is being called for Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. by officers of the Dallas PTA who are issuing an appeal for canners to help with the school lunch project for the coming year.

The project last year was conducted with meals served for 10 cents each for 200 pupils daily who ate hot lunches at the school, according to Mrs. Lloyd Hodgson, PTA president, who states that unless canning is done this summer, the program may have to be discontinued. Too little canning will result in a raise of the price of the meals.

One day contributed by each mother at some time during the summer would be sufficient, Mrs. Hodgson reports, but asks that others interested sign to help to make up for mothers unable to assist. Sugar is available for the canning, she says, with apricots first on the list of fruits to be canned.

Mothers and women's organizations heads are requested especially to attend Monday's meeting.

Emergency Clinic Protects Children

Monmouth—Because of a recent case of diphtheria in this area, the Polk county health department held a special immunization clinic from 10 a. m. to 12 noon Thursday in the Monmouth training school.

Immunizations and vaccinations were offered to any children over six months of age. Booster doses for diphtheria immunization were recommended for any child not immunized in the past four years. Re-vaccination for smallpox is recommended every six years.

Sumatra is about the size of California.

HOLLYWOOD
SALEM'S ONLY NEIGHBORHOOD THEATRE - Ph. 6054
TONITE!
THROUGH TUESDAY
Continuous Show Sunday,
Starting 1:45 P.M.

Paramount presents
The National Barn Dance
JEAN HEATHER - CHARLES QUIGLEY
ROBERT BENCHLEY - MABEL PAGE
and the NATIONAL BARN DANCE RADIO TROUPE
PLUS

Till We Meet Again
starring
RAY MILLAND - BARBARA BRITTON

District Census Brings in Funds

Mayor Berchtold and a group of citizens met with Adam Lefore, a representative from the office of secretary of state, Salem, at the Mt. Angel city hall Friday morning.

Rules were presented and necessary papers given to each numerator of the six districts where the census will be taken during the coming week, from Friday, July 20, to Thursday, July 26, inclusive.

The purpose of the census is to record the exact population so that the city may receive its just share of state funds.

Enumerators include Mrs. Caroline Amon, Mrs. Anna Diehl, Mrs. Theresa Harris, Mrs. Christine Kroneberg, Sister M. Hildegard, O. S. B., and J. T. Bauman.

Teen-Ager Makes Top Berry Picker

Independence—Mrs. T. D. Pomeroy of the local farm labor office reports that 25 boys and girls 12 to 14 years of age, sent out last week in a farm labor platoon from the Independence office under the leadership of Mrs. Norman Hanna to the Perry Wells cherry orchard made an average of about \$22 each for nine days work.

Jerold Raines, 14 years of age, made \$35.80 in the nine days and Annabelle Rector, also 14 years of age, made \$39 in the same period.

The platoon are picking berries this week at the A. B. Sacre berry farm in Monmouth and are reported to be making good money and doing good work.

Mrs. Pomeroy reports that the farm labor situation is in good shape in this district and generally under control. Some labor is being placed but there is neither an over supply of labor or a labor shortage at the present time.

Ice Cream Fire Is One for Ripley

Unionvale—George Westfall was able to serve hot ice cream instead of cold Thursday morning when the electric motor in the ice cream refrigerator at his Unionvale general store caused fire to break out, and he considers himself lucky to have experienced a Ripley accident.

Salem bread salesman for Masters reported the blaze at 5:30 a.m. and damage was confined to the refrigerator, window casing and frame. Estimated damage was thought small since the building is of cement throughout.

Silvertown—After more than eight years continuous service at the Silvertown hospital, Thora Arstead, N. R., has resigned and will take a much needed rest of a few weeks before resuming her work.

An addition to the local staff of nurses is Miss Marjory Vassallo of Newberg.

ENDS TODAY! (SAT.)
Bob Hope
"THANKS FOR THE MEMORY"
—
Tim Holt
"FIGHTING FRONTIER"
LIBERTY
— CONT. FROM 1 P.M. —
TOMORROW!
YOU'LL THRILL TO
THEIR SHINING GLORY!

THE GREAT MOMENT
with Harry CAREY
CO-FEATURE!
ACTION AND ROMANCE ON THE RANGE
WILD BILL ELLIOTT
NOJAVE FIREBRAND
with GABBY HAYES

ILL TELL THE WORLD
RAYMOND WALBURN
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Monmouth

Dan Friesen, who was formerly employed by the Sterling Furniture company of Dallas, is now assistant manager of the Monmouth Furniture store owned by Mrs. Jessie Nowowiejski and son Warren.

Mrs. Edna Booi and mother, Mrs. Clara Shesler of Baldwin Park, located near Los Angeles, is spending a few days in Monmouth on business.

Norman Robinson of Portland is a week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Robinson.

Jay Powell left Friday for Newport to visit his son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Morris Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trueax are staying in Salem this week with their daughter Neida.

Riley Mathany of Monmouth is expected home Sunday after an absence of eight days. He has been with his son Virgil Mathany of Corvallis helping harvest his grain. They anticipate finishing the harvest Saturday. Riley has been sewing the sacks on the combine.

East Salem Picnic Draws Valley Town Relatives

East Salem, July 21—One of the Zobel family picnics was held last Sunday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zobel on Swegle road. Present for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zobel from Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Ern Wills and children, Margaret, Junior and Myrna Rae from Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. Bern Zobel of Salem; Mrs. Jim Passmore, British Columbia; Pfc. Neil Warwick; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blanchard and daughter, Alice; Mrs. Harold Badger and son, Ronnie, from Tacoma, Wash.; Mrs. Harold Hobbs; John Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Zobel and daughter, Nola Jean.

Guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wicklander on Garden road are their daughter-in-law and grandsons, Mrs. Grant Wicklander, Danny and Ronny from San Diego, Calif., who came north with Officer Wicklander for his furlough.

Visiting this past week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blanchard on Garden road were Mrs. Jim Passmore from Kamloops, B. C., niece of Mr. Blanchard; another niece and nephew, Junior and Margaret Wills of Gooding, Idaho, and the Blanchards' daughter and grandson, Mrs. Harold Badger and Ronnie from Tacoma, who will be here this week. Mrs. William E. Sizemore from Chicago, Ill., has been visiting the past three weeks at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sizemore on Sunnyview avenue. Mrs. Sizemore will be honored with a shower next Sunday afternoon and friends are asked to call and meet her.

Miss Faye Larkins of Gar-

OWL SHOW TONITE AFTER 12 MIDNITE!
GRAND
— CONT. FROM 1 P.M. —
NOW SHOWING!
THE Tale THAT SET THE WEST Afire!
SALOME
Where She Danced
with YVONNE DE CARLO
Rod Cameron
David Bruce
Walter Slezak
Albert Dekker
Marjorie RAMBEAU
J. Edward BROMBERG
CO-HIT

THEY'RE SEA-SICK! THEY'RE LOVE-SICK and YOU'LL BE LAUGH SICK!
IN TECHNICOLOR!
Veronica Lake - Sonny Tufts
Eddie Bracken - Marjorie Reynolds
BRING ON THE GIRLS
Plus Co-Feature "SILENT PARTNER"

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THE DAZZLING SYMPHONY OF MOTION AND COLOR! AND THE GRACEFUL BEAUTY OF...
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Swim Classes End in Pageant

Dallas — A total of 96 students have enrolled in the swimming classes conducted by Mrs. Arne Pederson at the Dallas city park, including a women's class, children's classes and a junior and senior life saving class.

Seventy-two are enrolled in four children's classes. A class for intermediates is held from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m., daily, a beginner's class from 2:00 to 3:00, a Cub Scout class from 3:00 to 4:00, and a second beginner's class from 4:00 to 5:00. The life saving class, with 16 registered for the junior work and two for the senior, is conducted in the evenings.

Children's classes are now closed, but registration is still open to women.

Plans for a swimming pageant to be held on July 24 with members of all classes participating are being formulated by Mrs. Pederson.



Mickey Rooney and Elizabeth Taylor have the leading roles in "National Velvet," which opens Sunday at the Capitol theatre. The cast also includes Donald Crisp, Anne Revere, Jackie Jenkins and Arthur Treacher.

Families Renew Old Friendships

Silvertown — A reunion of friends after 58 years was held at the South Church street home of Mrs. Lars Opedahl this week, when Miss Gura Wang of Minneapolis; her sister, Mrs. Anna Nelson, and her daughter, Miss Lillian Nelson of Hollywood, Calif., arrived in Silvertown to renew old friendships.

The families were neighbors and residents of Ulkirk, Hardanger, Norway, before coming to America more than 50 years ago. Mrs. Opedahl was godmother for Mrs. Nelson at her baptism in the Lutheran church in Norway and the two have remained in contact with each other during the years.

Miss Wang is a furrier in the

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Salem Armory
EVERY SAT. NITE
Music by Joe Hassenstab's Orchestra
Clyde Bancroft, Vocalist
ADMISSION 60c
Sponsored by Oregon State Guard

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CAPITOL
LAST DAY
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