



Jack Benny waits for the stroke of twelve before the horn is blown to end the world, a scene from "The Horn Blows a Midnight," starting today at the Capitol theater with companion feature, Gene Autry in "Man From Music Mountain."

Silverton City Council Secretly Discusses Water

Silverton—No official report of the off-the-record meeting of the two controlling bodies, the Silverton Planning commission and the members of the city council of the past few days, was made at Monday night's session of the aldermen. City Manager Robert Borland and Mayor George Christenson. Two of the three local reporters were excluded from a set-in or a report from the officials as to the nature of the joint meeting, and the public was concerned as to the secrets that were being talked.

Rodgers Clan Waits Reunion at Albany

Scio—About 50 members of Rodgers families are expected to assemble for the annual reunion at Bryant park in Albany Sunday, according to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Rodgers of Rodgers mountain near Scio.

Ell and Hannah Rodgers, parents of George Rodgers, were members of an ox-train cavalcade that crossed the plains from Missouri in 1864. Rodgers settled at the foot of the mountain which later bore his name. The present owner and occupant of the land, a son of the original locator, was 15 months old when the tired caravan reached the Tualatin valley in the fall of 1864. Two years later the Rodgers family moved to the Scio area.

George Rodgers is in his 83rd year and looks forward with anxious anticipation to the annual gathering of the clan.

Silverton

The Frank Peerys of Morton, Wash., new owners of the hardware store recently bought from the Carl A. Hande, plan to take over the business in a few days. Hande is now manager of the Valley Farmers' Co-op after being in the retail business of Silverton for fourteen years.

The M. J. Cosovichs of Astoria are guests for the week at the home of Mrs. Cosovich's parents, the Dr. C. W. Keenes.

Guests of Mrs. Marie Riveness were Mrs. Arthur Donnelly of Portland and her mother, Mrs. Karen Larson, who is visiting in Oregon from Virginia, Minnesota.

Mrs. Alf O. Nelson is spending several days at the Richmond, Wash., home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Brennaman (Ruth Nelson) to see the new granddaughter, Gail Lynn.

Dinner guests of the F. M. Powells, Thursday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelly of Scio, and Mrs. Merle Cornett-Stewart of Birmingham, Alabama. Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Stewart are nieces of Powell.

Mrs. Gaylord Hibbs and son, Gary, Dallas, are at the home of Mrs. Hibbs' mother, Mrs. Gertrude Moen in West Main street, for a week.

The members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary arranged an out-door farewell party at the Lester Whitlock home in S. Water street, Friday night in deference to the Whitlocks leaving town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hande Sr. returned to their home in Hollywood, Calif., after spending a two months' vacation as guests of their son C. A. Hande Jr. and family of Silverton.

Mill City Gets War Vets Post

Post No. 70, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was organized in Mill City last week. The meeting held in the local firehall, was called to order by temporary chairman, J. C. Kimmel, and then turned over to Comrad V. G. Bolton, commander of district No. 6, who conducted the election of officers. Also present were Comrade Millet, of Salem and Comrade Simpson of Stayton.

Election results were as follows: Commander, J. C. Kimmel; senior vice commander, Lester Mason; junior vice commander, Orville Horner; quartermaster, Lafe Potter; post advocate, Louis Kanoff; chaplain, Waldo Carter; surgeon, Edgar Kellom; and trustees: 3 years, Clyde Oliver; 2 years, Carl Ball; 1 year, Verle Ellsworth. Regular meeting nights will be once a month, on the second Wednesday. Installation of the newly elected officers will be held next Sunday, August 12, at 2:30 p. m. in the local firehall. The public is invited for the occasion.

Charter members of the newly organized Post, include the following who are in the service: Orville Brosig, William Wayne Kerr, Johnny Seim, John B. Herron, Ronald Swan, William Swan, Glenn Roberts, Darrell Hayward, Donald Flatman. Men not in the service: Clarence Rosheim, Morris Seim, Berkeley Tolbert, Paul Scharingson, Jr., Paul Eber Clise, Verle Ellsworth, Waldo Carter, Clyde Oliver, Hugh Mathews, R. L. Schroeder, Charles Longfellow, Beauford Flatman, Edgar Kellom, Carl Ball, J. C. Kimmel, Lafe Potter, Lester Mason, Louis Kanoff, Albert Kecker, Orville Horner and Joe Liberty.

Silverton Library Report Is Issued

Silverton—The city library report for August presented by Mrs. H. B. Latham, chairman of the board, includes, total circulation in July, 1123; books added by gift and purchase, 10; new readers registered, 21.

Donors during July were Mrs. F. Glenn McDonald, Mrs. George Christenson, Mrs. William M. Scath, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Latham, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Alan McClung, Jean Thostud, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Keene, Miss Elizabeth Kleinsorge, Mrs. Troy Dirickson, Mrs. H. H. Paget, Mrs. W. L. McGinnis, Mrs. William Woodard, Mrs. Loyall Beals, Mrs. Glenn Briedwell, Mrs. H. Schemp, Mrs. L. F. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lee, Mrs. Zanta Hutton, Mrs. Conrad Johnson, Mrs. Conrad Dahl, Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Mrs. George Hubbs, Nancy Adams, Olga Johnson.

A letter was read from the state engineer asking a detailed listing of a request for water rights in diversions along the Abiqua and Silver creek, making more explicit the city's asking for this information.

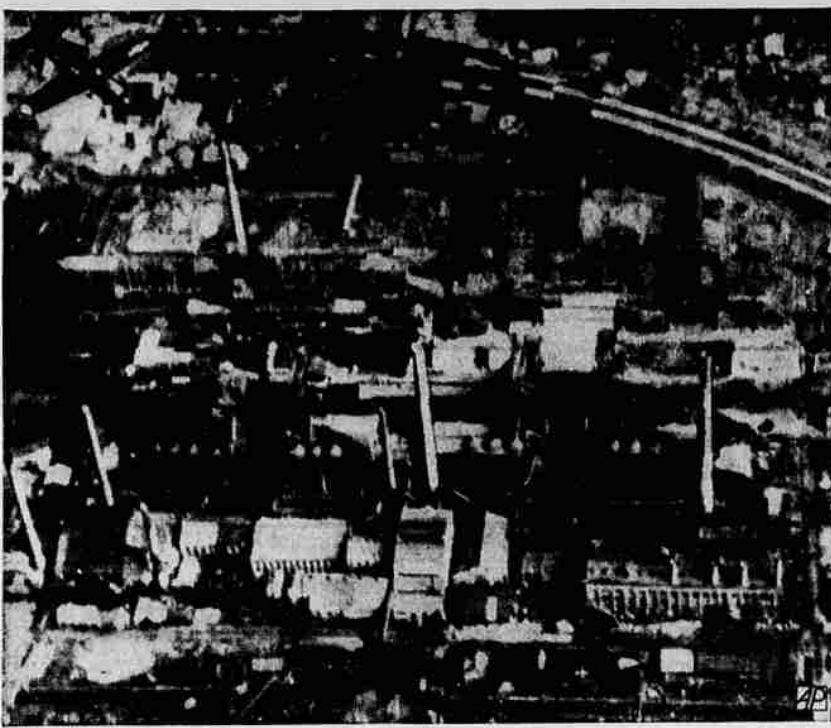
Earlwig won innings at the council meeting when letters from state officials replied to inquiries that no parasites could now be obtained in eliminating the pests, locally. Bantam chickens were suggested as an alternative as one of the councilmen had kept his gardens and lawn clear of earwigs by the presence of the bantams.

City Manager Borland was delegated considerable responsibility in the painting and making certain repairs to the James avenue bridge; in whether or not the city sell a space of their former rock quarry that lies outside the city limits along Silver Creek; the preparation with the city attorney and mayor, of a quit claim deed to the school district of the land on which the community cannery stands, and the oiling of the dusty street that leads from South Water street to the swimming pool and if the dead-end street might be fenced off to eliminate pleasure riders from making a fly-away turn near the municipal pool. Neighbors in the area of the pool had pronounced the joy-riding privilege in this respect an out-and-out nuisance.

All aldermen were present but Clifton Dickerson who is on his annual vacation.

Cases Picnic Guests

Silverton—A number of local friends and relatives arranged a picnic at the Silverton park complimenting Mrs. Bernie Oas and children, Dianne and David, visiting here from Pennsylvania. The Oases are with Oas' parents, the P. Oases, and her father, S. P. Moberg for the summer. Moberg was a complimented birthday guests at the Sunday dinner.



Jap Iron Works Bombed by Fleet Planes (A)—A carrier-based plane (upper left corner) from the U. S. Third fleet prepares to unload its bombs on the Wanishi Iron Works in the Muroan bay area of Hokkaido island during the attack of July 14 and 15. Bomb craters show at right and left of the center smoke stack. (AP wirephoto from U. S. navy.)

Terminal Fire Hits Jefferson

Jefferson—Fire at the Jefferson Terminal garage Monday evening burned the inside and roof of the building, which is in the south side of the Terminal building. The fire was caused from the explosion of fumes while filling a gas tank inside of the garage. Roy Nolan, operator of the garage, lost some tools, and second hand tires, and parts of a car. Everything in the accessory room was soaked and blackened from smoke.

Two cars were in the garage at the time of the fire, but they were moved from the building, as well as new tires.

The front and part of the south side of the garage was all glass, which was broken. The Jefferson fire department extinguished the fire before it reached the north side of the building which houses the confectionery and lunch room, and stage depot. Mr. and Mrs. Korian who own the Terminal building, said a new roof will be added and the interior of the garage refinished.

Lucky there was no wind, or all the buildings on second street would have caught fire.

Fall School Date Set for Woodburn

Woodburn—The Woodburn schools will open September 17 and all positions on the teaching staff have been filled but one. Miss Delight Heath, teacher of English and biology at the high school, has resigned and her position is yet vacant. All other teachers who taught last year have been rehired and have accepted contracts.

A new bus for the transportation of students has been ordered but will not be delivered before October 1. All other busses are to be put in condition and everything will be in readiness for the opening day.

Mrs. Robinson Given Party on Birthday

Mill City—Honoring the birthday anniversary of Mrs. W. J. Robinson, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Max Kelly, entertained a group of friends with an informal afternoon at the Sig Jensen home. Mrs. Kelly served lunch.

Attending were Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Cecil Lake, Mrs. Charles Kelly and Lela Mel, Mrs. Martin Jensen, Mrs. Sig Jensen, Mrs. Clayton Baltimore, Bobby and Jimmy, Mrs. Louis Rada and the hostess, Mrs. Kelly, Michael and Patricia. Mrs. Robinson was further honored that evening with a family dinner party at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly.

Gates

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Coffel and two daughters of West Salem spent Saturday here. While Mr. Coffel was catching the limit, Mrs. Coffel (Vina Emmett), who attended high school here, visited many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Sisters were recent visitors here. Mrs. Gerald Heath, Taylor's sister, accompanied them home and has just returned after a visit there.

Mrs. Harold Wilson, Miss Helen Wilson, Mrs. Albert Millap and Mrs. Pearl Houlthouse of Mill City are sending several days at the Breitenbush hot springs.

Schoolmates Gather Under Grape Arbor

Silverton—The grape arbor gardens and the out-door fireplace at the Frank Porter home was the scene for a group of Silverton high school classmates during the years of 1925 to 1928, Monday evening, in reunion with Mrs. Porter (Bessie Benson) dessert supper hostess, and an informal recalling of old times and showing of pictures of around 20 years ago rounding out a pleasant hour. All signed the autograph book.

Present were Mrs. Florence Merryman-Lewis of Argentina, South America; Mrs. Jack Morton (Muriel Webb) of Spokane; Mrs. Naile Hall (Ruth Jones) of Salem; Mrs. Kathryn Smith-Dunlap of Portland; and from Silverton, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Mary Egan Kleeman, Mrs. John Overlund (Gladys Hatch), Miss Helen Benson, Mrs. Don Burch (Frances Nelson), Mrs. Larry Carpenter (Dorothy Neal), and Mrs. Elmer Peterson (Milford Egan).

Lyons

The ice cream social sponsored by the WSCS was held in the community clubhouse, with a good attendance, and netted the society nearly \$14.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyer and daughters, Janet and Roberta, of Salem, and her mother, Mrs. Bertha Woodworth, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Daisy Johnston. Mrs. Woodworth remained for several days' visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olmstead and children spent the week-end at Waldport on the coast.

Larry Prichard of the United States navy, who has been stationed at San Diego, Calif., is spending a short leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Prichard.

Sewage Plant Funds Subject

Dallas—Two ordinances, one relative to the financing of the sewage disposal plant, the other prohibiting operation of nickel-in-the-slot machines, and an amendment to the fire prevention ordinance, passed first reading at the Monday night meeting of the city council.

The establishment of sewage disposal rates of water users is placed in charge of the water commission in the sewage disposal ordinance. Rates set up by the commission will be collected with the water bill to become effective October 1.

The ordinance prohibiting nickel-in-the-slot machines and like devices, provides law enforcement penalties. The amendment to the fire prevention and protection ordinance establishes a 24-hour warning period limit to individuals who are careless with hazardous materials, after which penalties will be imposed.

The city marshal's report for the month of July showed 10 arrests were for drunkenness, four for all night parking and one for reckless driving.

C. B. Sundberg, chairman of the street committee, reported the completion of oiling of the Ellendale and Monmouth cut-off roads. No further work is planned for the Ellendale road, but it is probable the Monmouth cut-off will be paved later this summer.

Paperboard is used in containers for shell cases, ammunition, gun barrels, machine parts, blood plasma and food and medical supplies.

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Grangers Guest At Lawn Party

Zena—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Shepard and daughter Ardon entertained with a lawn party at their Zena home Friday night, having as their guests members of the Brush College grange.

Supper preceded a program of readings by Glen Adams, grange master, and Mrs. E. C. Smith, an interesting report of the activities of Corydon Blodgett, a local boy who is in heavy fighting in the infantry, by his mother, Mrs. C. L. Blodgett, and contests and stunts in which the winners were Mrs. W. D. Henry, Mrs. K. W. Harritt, Clifford Smith and Mrs. Byron Rudell.

Mrs. C. L. Blodgett invited the Brush College Home Economic club to her home for a 1 o'clock luncheon, August 16, when the group will make plans for the new grange building soon to be erected.

Mrs. Bertha Garrow, president of the BcHE club, appointed as a building plans committee, Mrs. John Schindler, Mrs. K. W. Harritt, Mrs. Charles Glaze and Mrs. W. D. Henry.

Members and guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shepard, Mrs. Byron Rudell, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sholoth, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glaze, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Blodgett, A. E. Diley, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Harritt, Mrs. Bertha Garrow, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Adams and hosts Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Shepard and Ardon.

Tompkins Ends Visit After Army Discharge

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tompkins, who spent several weeks at the home of Mrs. Tompkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zemlicka, left last week for a brief visit with friends in San Francisco and Los Angeles. Tompkins recently received an honorable discharge from the army at Ft. Lewis, Wash., and joined his wife here, before leaving for the east coast where they will make their home. Both Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins recently returned from Trinidad, West Indies.

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