

High Birth Rate To Hit Schools

The tremendous rise in birth rate figures for Marion county immediately after World War II will create a critical shortage in public school classroom space in a few years, unless additional buildings and larger teaching staffs are secured, Frank B. Bennett, superintendent of Salem schools, told Salem Lions club members in their regular Thursday noon luncheon at the Marion hotel.

Bennett said that in this school district alone 908 babies were born in 1947. He compared this figure with the present first-grade enrollment of 656.

This means that when the 1947 babies become of school age, there will be an increase of 250 first-graders over the present number, Bennett pointed out. He said that such an increase will require ten additional classrooms and ten additional teachers. The 33 classrooms completed in the last two years will not be sufficient; they were built to accommodate the "war babies," who have already started their schooling.

More congestion will result when the 1947 babies enter the middle grades in the elementary schools in 1955 and 1956. At that time, Bennett said, the elementary school enrollment will be larger than it ever has been before in history.

Summer Homes on Santiam Planned

A major summer home development on the little north fork of the Santiam just below Taylors Grove above Mehama is in progress in the filing of a plat with the county court for Sylvan Park, a stretch of about 3000 feet of river front along the river and immediately adjoining Taylors grove.

Floyd Siegmund, who filed the plat for Roy S. and Edna L. Lively, owners, Salem, said that a proposed road to be known as Santiam Way will skirt the tract for entrance to the homes, the tracts to lie between the road and the river.

The plat shows 27 tracts proposed for development, each 100 feet wide and 200 feet in length between the proposed road and the river. The land to be developed lies across the river from the "Y" camp.

Salem Man Tells Why He Gives to Hospital Fund

The plight experienced by John U. Plank, 565 North 17th, when he was injured in an accident convinced him of his ability to give to the Salem Hospital Development program.

Plank told the story when he dropped into campaign headquarters, 335 North High street, to make a generous contribution Tuesday.

"I was taken to one hospital, then to the other before a room could be found for me," he said. "After that I figured I couldn't afford not to give." And he signed his pledge card.

President Laughs At Hoover's Fears

Washington, Aug. 11 (AP)—President Truman laughingly observed today that he does not believe this nation is driving down the road on "the last mile" to collectivism.

Mr. Truman gave this view when a reporter brought up the fears expressed by former President Herbert Hoover last night about government spending and taxes.

Mr. Hoover's name was not mentioned at the news conference by either the reporter or the president.

The reporter wanted to know if Mr. Truman thought "we are on the last mile on the back road to collectivism."

The president laughed, said he thought it was funny, but didn't know what that meant.

Then he said he didn't think so.

Col. Johnson Arrives Here

Coming to Salem Wednesday to take over his new assignment as senior instructor for the army reserve units here was Lt. Col. Bruce H. Johnson.

The new officer will be in the office at the quonset huts with Capt. Richard Reynolds, who about two years ago came to Salem as the senior instructor for the reserve units here.

The colonel, a native of South Carolina and a graduate of The Citadel at Charleston, South Carolina, came to his new assignment from the headquarters of Third army, at Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Ga. While there he was with the G-4 (supply) section.

Veteran of 18 years of duty with the U. S. army, Col. Johnson, during the war spent a year in the European theater with a task force and for two and a half years was in the Antilles area of the Caribbean theater. From there he went to First army harbor defense and was commanding officer of the harbor defense at Portsmouth.

Johnson with his wife and 11-year-old son, Bruce, Jr., has already taken up his residence in Salem, having rented a house on 23rd street.

were confronted with an emergency situation in relation to increase operating costs, the ICC late in December permitted an interim rate increase of about 5.2 per cent, to be collected while the case was still in hearing.

Today's order provides for roughly an additional 4 per cent above the interim authorizations.

Creamery Teamsters Get Wage Increase

Portland, Aug. 11 (AP)—A ten-cent hourly pay boost and a 44-hour week take effect Monday for 450 AFL teamsters working under a state-wide agreement with creamery concerns.

The higher pay and shorter week were recommended by an arbitration board after negotiations reached a stalemate. Teamsters have been working a 48-hour week for the creameries.

The arbitration board also directed employers to make "sincere preparations" for a 40-hour week at the expiration of the new agreement, which also provides for higher overtime pay.

The agreement affects creamery workers in Portland, Eugene, Salem, Pendleton, The Dalles, Medford and Vancouver, Wash.

Harriman for Arms Program

Washington, Aug. 11 (AP)—W Averell Harriman, Marshall plan ambassador to western Europe, said today that the U. S. faces a "determined, ruthless and persistent" opponent in Russia, and urged full approval of the administration's \$1,450,000,000 foreign arms program.

"These forces must be met with equal determination and perseverance," he told the senate foreign relations and armed services committees. "We cannot relax with early successes."

Harriman said that he has been "gravely concerned over the threat to freedom and peace" that is posed by Russia, and added:

"I am today convinced that through the actions we have taken and are proposing to take, the maintenance of peace and freedom is within our reach."

Harriman, who once was ambassador to Moscow, said it is his conviction that U. S. security "can be immeasurably increased" by arming the military forces of western Europe.

"In looking at the world today, I feel that we need strong and vigorous partners of like mind and intention," Harriman said. "The North Atlantic treaty gives us this association."

Harriman said there must be no delay in sending American arms and military equipment to the North Atlantic pact nations.

ENDS Tonight! "Any Number Can Play" and "Night Unto Night"

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"SIX THUMPING BIG WEEKS ON BROADWAY DURING A HEAT WAVE." Motion Picture Herald

"JUNE HAYER... and RAY BOLGER... ARE SOMETHING TO CHEER ABOUT!" Showman's "to Review"

"SILVER LINING" Glimpses Brightly in Songs and Dances" Boxoffice

"LUSH MUSICAL OF SHOWBOOM'S BIGGEST HITS" Variety

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"LOOK FOR THE SILVER LINING"

Technicolor

STARRING: JUNE HAYER • RAY BOLGER • GORDON RAY • MARY ASTOR

EXTRA! Technicolor Featurette Dennis Morgan as "The Singing Dude" Bugs Bunny Warner News

4 Percent Raise in Rail Freight Rates

Washington, Aug. 11 (AP)—The Interstate Commerce commission today authorized another general four per cent increase in railroad freight rates.

The action was taken in a final ruling on the railroads' application of last fall for a new 13 per cent increase in rates, requested largely on the basis of higher wages in the rail industry.

On the railroads' plea that they

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LIBERTY

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Charles Bickford "THE STORM"

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GOOD FOOD and DON STRAHL

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THE SALEM DRIVE-IN Theatre

Now! & Thru Sat.

Free Absolut Pony Ride for the Kids—also Starting Daily at 8 P.M.

Wayne Morris Janis Paige — In Technicolor — "THE YOUNGER BROS."

Johnny Sheffield "BOMBA, THE JUNGLE BOY"

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Open Rain or Shine!

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THE DARING OF THEIR EXPLOITS WAS EQUALLED ONLY BY THE FURY OF THEIR LAWLESSNESS!

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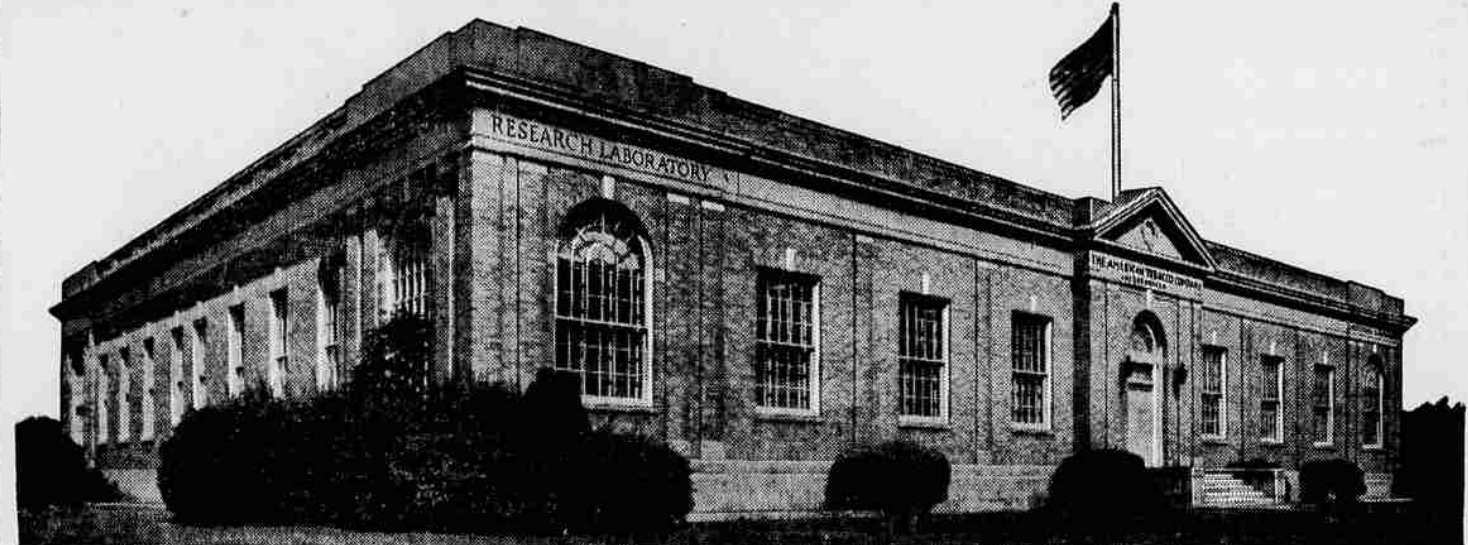
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 2. Lucky Strike is always a finer cigarette!

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For many years Lucky Strike scientists have delved into cigarette research on an extensive scale. Out of this has grown an elaborate system of quality control. Every step in the making of Luckies—from before the tobacco is bought until the finished cigarette reaches you—comes under the laboratory's watchful eye.

As you read this, a constant stream of tobacco... samples from every tobacco-growing area... is flowing into the laboratory in Richmond, Virginia. These samples are scientifically analyzed, and reports of their quality go to the men who buy at auction for the makers of Lucky Strike.

Armed with this confidential, scientific information—and their own sound judgment—these men go after finer tobacco. This fine tobacco—together with scientifically controlled manufacturing methods—is your assurance that there is no finer cigarette in the world today than Lucky Strike!



Everything's under control! Lucky Strike scientists supervise intricate tests daily to guarantee that the weight, size, density and firmness of your Lucky Strike are always right. Such details are rigidly controlled to guarantee you a truly finer cigarette.



Luckies stays fresh. After Lucky Strike cigarettes have been made and then packaged, they must be tightly sealed to remain fresh. Here you see the cellophane seal being tested for air-tightness. Such instruments are in use at every plant.



Testing tobacco. Samples from every tobacco-growing area are analyzed before and after purchase. These extensive scientific analyses, along with the expert judgment of Lucky Strike buyers, assure you that the tobacco in Luckies is fine.

We know:

LUCKIES PAY MORE

for fine tobacco

(millions of dollars more than official parity prices)

We are convinced:

LUCKIES PAY MORE

for cigarette research



So, for your own real deep-down smoking enjoyment

Smoke a Lucky!

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