

East Salem Corners Call Many New Business Firms

East Salem, Nov. 1.—The four-cornered intersections of East Salem are not being overlooked by small business or large business people who want and see the opportunities open for new business. One of these corners is the intersection of Garden Road and Park avenue. Saturday one of the largest filling stations in Salem communities was opened for business on the northwest corner, the Kruzen Park 'n' Market Richfield service. The entire corner has been cemented and the building has large washing and lubrication rooms. Many potted plants and special gifts for men were given the customers on Saturday.

Another corner that is building up is the Garden road and Swedge road corner across the roads from the school house. The community store to the south has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reeves who have recently come to Salem from Chicago. A new variety store and shoe repairshop building is also being built near this store. The new barbecue at Lancaster drive and Silverton road will be opened for business soon. There are now more than a dozen different community business centers in East Salem north of the Four Corners.

Auburn—Mrs. Orville Prunk was hostess for two birthday parties this past week honoring the birthdays of a son and daughter. Gerald's party was Saturday afternoon with his guests, Larry Etzel, Corby Feskens, Kenneth Jacobs, Jimmy Jacobs, Kay Barney, Paul Barney, Tommy Fiske, Bobby Malie and Orville Prunk, Jr.

Beverly's party was Sunday afternoon and helping her celebrate were Janice Phillips, Donna Kay Smyres, Darlene Goring, Ann Barney, Kathy Jacobs and Jeannie Jacobs. Games and the traditional birthday refreshments were on the program for each party with the Halloween motif used for all decorations.

Edina Lane—Mrs. Drew Michaels opened her home Friday afternoon for the October meeting of the Edina Lane home extension unit. New officers elected were: chairman, Mrs. A. J. Shea; vice chairman, Mrs. Drew Michaels; secretary-treas-

Prowlers Reported In Amity Stores

Amity—Prowlers entered the building housing the barber shop and post office over the week-end, entering a west door through Craner's living quarters back of the barber shop.

Jim Davidson, city marshal, noticed a car and that there were three men. By the time he reached the scene from his home the trio sped away. A door separates these quarters from the back room of the post office. Craner is not here at present, and it was not determined what loss, if any, to the contents of his living quarters.

13 DISCIPLES OF MAGICIAN

Housekeeper Says Houdini Spoke to Her During Seance

New York, Nov. 1.—A housekeeper claimed today Harry Houdini spoke to her over the telephone last Sunday midnight during the annual spooky seance held in an effort to contact the late magician's spirit.

The jangle of a telephone interrupted the silent meditations of 13 persons who sat with joined hands in the darkened basement of the shadowy brownstone where Houdini lived for 20 years until his death on Halloween in 1926.

The call was for Rose Bonanno, 30, daughter of the present owner and former friend of the magician. She had just left the circle for fear that the number 13 might discourage the long-awaited spirit.

A few minutes more of silence.

Suddenly, she burst into the room screaming that she had just spoken to "Harry."

But Joseph Dunninger, a master magician to whom Houdini entrusted a secret 10-word coded message which he promised to repeat after his death if spiritually possible. Indicated he thought Miss Bonanno's imagination was overworked—by Halloween witches and goblins, no doubt.

He has faithfully kept up the ritual of trying to reach Houdini each year the eve of his friend's death date and jealousy guards the message he believes never will be revealed.

Miss Bonanno said the "voice" told her: "Remember, I gave you pen-

MISSIONARY'S DENTAL TROUBLES

Father Regan Lost a Filling, Finally Got His Tooth Filled

Maryknoll, N.Y. (AP)—Father Joseph W. Regan of Fairhaven, Mass., a Maryknoll missionary in China, finally got his tooth filled, according to his letter received here.

Father Regan lost a filling. The nearest dentist was at Kweilin, 70 miles from his station. Guided by a Chinese boy who said he knew the way, the missionary set out.

First the boy took him to a large office building in Kweilin and escorted him to an office where Father Regan asked for the doctor.

A white-coated man looked at his cavity, painted the tooth with iodine and gave him a prescription for throat gargle.

"This is strange," the priest said.

"We made a mistake," the boy-guide said. "That is an ear and throat doctor. Not a dentist."

They finally found a dentist, who examined the tooth, commented on the weather and said he did not have the material to fill the cavity.

He recommended that the priest visit a doctor at a hospital at the other end of town. However, after walking across town, Father Regan found that the doctor had left for a two-week vacation.

There were no other dentists in town. The boy-guide finally suggested that they visit the watchmaker, who had a stand on a narrow street.

While a curious crowd watched, the watchmaker filled the priest's tooth from a small tube.

"I do not know how hygienic the job was," Father Regan wrote. "But the filling stayed in my tooth. I haven't had a toothache since, thanks to the watchmaker's tube of all-purpose cement."

The gavel, resembling the crocodile, is believed to be the oldest living species of air-breathing vertebrates.

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Tomkins Again Gets Censure

Grants Pass, Nov. 1 (AP)—Josephine County Pomona Grange Saturday night adopted a resolution censuring Morton Tompkins, state grangemaster, and the state organization for an attempted "purge" of 22 house members who voted for amendments to the initiative and referendum laws at the 1949 session of the legislature.

Pomona master Victor Boehl announced that the vote for the resolution was 94 to 5.

The nearly-unanimous vote came after a brief argument between Boehl and Elmer McClure, state grange overseer of Oregon City, who was present.

Boehl charged the state grange action, in effect, would "force local grangers to help pay the campaign expenses of a fight to defeat local legislative candidates which the grange might be supporting". McClure took the floor to deny Boehl's statement.

Guy Carns, Fruitdale grange, was elected pomona master to succeed Boehl, who was not a candidate.

Moss-Grown Industry Heading for New Boom



HARVEST—Workers start out to gather Spanish Moss

Baton Rouge, La. — Louisiana's Spanish Moss crop may treble its million-dollar annual take, the way the Louisiana department of commerce and industry tells it. Here's what the department says:

Spanish moss just grows and grows. It's hard to find a tree in South Louisiana that isn't sporting a moss tignon.

Some people—like L.M. Joffron, Sr., of Napoleonville, La.; and his three sons—make a living at collecting it. After all, it's there for the picking. There's no planting, no cultivation. Just harvest.

After it's gathered, the moss is ginned and sold, chiefly through New Orleans and New York brokers, for use mainly in furniture upholstery. Last year the official gross revenue was estimated at \$1,100,000.

But what about the waste—the fibrous bark that's left over after it's been ginned? That's where the elder Joffron comes in.

"It's black gold," he says. "Instead of throwing it away, like we'd been doing for 40-odd years, we save it. I've got machines that dehydrate it and pulverize it."

"It comes out a fine black mulch and plays an important part in agricultural experiments. Some day it may be just the thing for rejuvenating and restoring this country's topsoil."

It's on this note the commerce and industry department ends its report. It recalls that Louisiana's moss industry once brought \$3,000,000 annual revenue, observing:

"With the utilization of the by-product from the ginning, the moss industry may return to its former higher economic bracket."

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Unemployment Jumps 225,000

Washington, Nov. 1 (AP)—The government reported today a 225,000 increase in unemployment in the month ended Oct. 8.

But it said there was also a rise of 36,000 in the number of people with regular jobs, outside of farming.

The census bureau indicated the coal and steel strikes caused some distortion in the figures.

In the first place, strikers are counted as "employed" in the bureau's tabulations.

It said, however, that the rise in unemployment apparently was due at least in part to the fact that "a large proportion" of strike-idle steelworkers and coal miners were "seeking other employment while off from their regular jobs."

As a result, they were listed among the jobs who were hunting work.

Total unemployment was listed

Arnold Is Injured By Runaway Tractor

Lebanon, Nov. 1 (AP)—L. E. "Lofly" Arnold, long prominent in Linn county fair activities, was injured by a runaway tractor on his farm near here today.

The tractor, which he had been driving, ran over him when he got off to open a gate. The extent of his injuries was not determined at once in the hospital here.

Arnold, a real estate dealer here, has been manager of the Lebanon Strawberry fair for years, and has handled the Linn county booth at the state fair.

PTA's Will Join

Independence—Dr. Rod Langston, assistant professor of education at the University of Oregon, will speak on "Subject Matter for Their Development" at a meeting of the Independence PTA at the high school Monday night, November 7. The Month-mouth PTA has been invited.

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Texan Comes to Aid Tiny Military College

Natchez, Miss., Nov. 1 (AP)—A generous Texan today came to the rescue of tiny Jefferson Military college, which is nearly broke after losing a \$50,000,000 endowment by refusing to teach white supremacy.

Nathan J. Klein, prominent businessman and civic leader of Houston, Tex., gave the little school \$5,000 to pay its debts.

Spokesmen for the academy, located at nearby Washington, Miss., said Klein's gift would keep the school from closing its doors, this year at least.

But one trustee estimated that Jefferson would be \$10,000 in debt by June and would have to close after 147 consecutive years of operation unless further aid is forthcoming.

Austrians have been awarded ten Nobel prizes: four for physics, chemistry and peace work.

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Then came the airplane, with its need for maximum power from every drop of fuel—and every maker of internal combustion airplane engines adopted the valve-in-head principle.

And more recently—with the hope that higher-octane fuels will become available—a lot of automotive engine designers are taking a new look at the valve-in-head idea.

But just for the record, we'd like to point out that Buick got there first.

And ever since, Buick has gone steadily ahead, building up a name as "valve-in-headquarters." Buick engineers reshaped pistons to put Fireball wallop in these engines. They stepped up compression ratios as fast as better fuels came along.

So perhaps you'll want to remember, when you hear the term "valve-in-head," that this is the type of power that made Buick famous.

If others want to climb on the bandwagon, we say "more power to them"—and no pun is intended.

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