

Mt. Angel Dates Santa Saturday

Mt. Angel—Santa Claus will be in Mount Angel Saturday, December 19, to give treats to all the children.

The annual Children's Day in Mount Angel, is the customary Christmas program for the children of the town and the surrounding community, sponsored by the Mount Angel Business Men's Club.

Santa will arrive in town at 1:30 p.m. Saturday where he will greet the youngsters and walk with them to the St. Mary's school auditorium where a special motion picture will be shown at 2 p.m. to which all the children will be admitted free. Not only the school children, but the little brothers and sisters also are invited.

After the show, Santa Claus and a committee of businessmen will be on hand to present very child with treats.

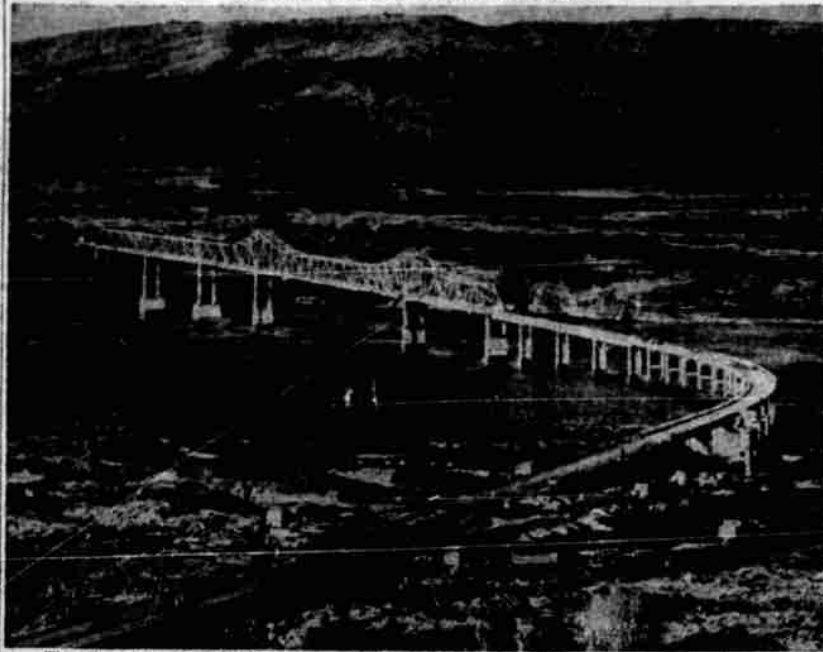
If the weather is bad, Santa will go directly to the auditorium and the children are asked to do likewise.

Chairmen in charge of the Saturday program are Val Eberle and Charles Ebner. They will be assisted by members of the Business Men's Club.

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Gorham, Me. (AP)—Charlie Scholl's definition of fashion: "It's what a her does to a hem to get a him."

NEW INTERSTATE BRIDGE



The first interstate bridge across the Columbia east of Portland capable of carrying all loads will be open to the public December 18. Governors Paul L. Patterson of Oregon and Arthur B. Langlie of Washington will participate in joint ceremonies dedicating the bridge and celebrating first pour of concrete at The Dalles Dam. The Dalles interstate bridge, located about two miles east of The Dalles, is a direct link between Washington's Evergreen highway and Oregon's The Dalles-California highway and the water grade Columbia highway. The bridge will serve to make this the shortest route between Seattle and California. It was built by Wasco county, Oregon, with work being done by Atkinson-Ostrander Contractors. The steel structure of the bridge, over water, is 3,340 feet. Length of bridge approaches are 2.9 miles. Dedication ceremonies will be held Friday, December 18, beginning at 11 a.m.

Traffic Flows Friday Over The Dalles Bridge

The Dalles (Special)—Traffic will begin flowing across the new \$4 million bridge over the Columbia River just east of The Dalles, Friday, following dedication ceremonies at 11 a.m. to include unveiling of a marker of native stone and cutting of a ribbon to symbolize opening of the interstate structure.

Governors Paul Patterson of Oregon and Arthur B. Langlie of Washington will take part in the ceremonies with Ward R. Webber, Wasco County judge, and the members of his county court as official hosts, assisted by The Dalles Chamber of Commerce. Marshall Nelson,

former mayor of The Dalles, will serve as master of ceremonies. The governors will be introduced by Judge Webber. The toll bridge connecting highways U.S. 830 in Washington and U.S. 39 in Oregon will mark the beginning of a new phase in highway transportation for the region and the end of about 100 years of ferry service across the river at The Dalles. The toll bridge was built by Wasco county with revenue bonds.

Immediately after the bridge ceremonies the caravan of officials and invited guests will cross the bridge to the Washington shore where a program will be presented commemorating the pouring of the first bucket of concrete on the spillway section of The Dalles Dam, now under construction by the Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army. With Walter Eschebeck of The Dalles presiding, comments will be offered by Gen. D. G. Shingler, division engineer for the North Pacific Division; Col. T. H. Lipscomb, district engineer, also of the Portland office of the Army Corps of Engineers, and H. B. Elder, resident engineer on the Dam. The governors will again be introduced.

Swede Swanson of Atkinson Ostrander Construction Company will trip the first bucket of concrete for the dam, which will require enough concrete to pave a 50-foot highway from Portland to Los Angeles.

At the close of this ceremony, regular traffic will be permitted across the bridge. Official guests will participate in a luncheon.

There are no Indian reservations in Texas, although at one time or another 10 different tribes lived within the state's present boundaries.

Gillock Here To Be Tried

A third person charged with participation in the burglary of the St. Paul Market and liquor agency November 18 was returned to Salem Tuesday to face trial.

Robert Marion Gillock, 40, was returned here from San Francisco by Marion County Sheriff Denver Young and state police Sgt. Robert Baker who went after him following his arrest there for Marion county recently.

Gillock appeared for arraignment in district court Tuesday afternoon and asked for a preliminary hearing which was set for December 28. He is being held in lieu of \$2,500 bail.

Previously arrested in Seattle in connection with the \$2,350 burglary of liquor, cigarettes and tools from the market and the neighboring Copeland Lumber company plant were John Calvin Goddard, 24, and Phillip Clay Tilton, 23, both of whom waived in investigation and indictment in grand jury hearings Tuesday and will be tried on the charge. Gillock has refused to admit participation in the burglaries, police said.

ASSIGNED



A-3C James R. Humphrey, Jr., above, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Humphrey of Salem, has been assigned as "rawinsonde operator" at Portland International airport. He was graduated from weather school at Chanute air force base in Illinois. He visited his parents here recently.

Two Lumber Firms Sued in U.S. Court

Portland (AP)—Two Central Oregon lumber firms were sued in unrelated federal court damage suits Tuesday totaling \$365,460.

Brooks-Scanlon of Bend was sued for \$172,700 by Ovid O. Wheeler, 39, a workman who lost part of his hand in a mill accident. Alexander-Stewart of Prineville was sued for \$153,880 by Lonnie Stewart, 37, and for \$38,880 by Stewart's wife, as a result of a woods accident.

The plaintiffs allege permanent disabilities and each of the men seeks \$150,000 general damages based on their life expectancies.

may be obtained by contacting the state department of veterans affairs offices in Salem or Portland, through the veterans' organizations or from county service officers.

4 Young Speakers Jaycee Honor Guests

The four finalists of the recent "Voice of Democracy" contest among high school students were guests of honor at the luncheon meeting of the Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting Tuesday at the Marion hotel.

Reynolds Neufeldt of Salem Academy gave the speech that won him top prize in the Jaycee-sponsored contest last month. Second-place winner Nellie Cooney, Sacred Heart academy, and the other two finalists, Patricia O'Malley and Sharon Johnson, both of Salem high school, were guests. All had given speeches based on the theme, "I Speak for Democracy," in the contest.

Certificates of award were presented the four by Jaycee President Stanley Schofield. Merchandise certificates given by RCA Victor company and Heider's radio stores were presented by Douglas Heider.

Young Gunman Robs Safeway Store

Portland (AP)—A young gunman held up a Safeway store near here Tuesday night and escaped with the currency and some of the change from two cash registers.

A clerk and two customers said he pulled a foreign-made automatic and scooped up bills and 50-cent pieces.

He fled and apparently was picked up outside by a companion with an automobile. Amount of the loot was not disclosed.

Veterans' Office Issues Publication

Recently coming off the press was a booklet entitled "Veterans' Benefits of the State of Oregon" published by the Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs.

The 31-page manual is an up-to-date digest of state laws affecting war veterans, as well as personnel on active duty, and tells where and how to make application for the benefits. It is indexed and in addition to the digest of the laws contains a listing of country veterans' service officers, field personnel of the department, and state service officers of the veterans' organizations. Free copies of the booklet

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Gen. Dean Says War Is Disease

Hollywood (AP)—While extending Christmas greetings to servicemen in Korea and to the wounded in hospitals in this country, Maj. Gen. William F. Dean said he was haunted by the fear that war is man's great sickness and that the epidemic will break out again and again.

Gen. Dean, a guest of Bob Hope on his television program last night, said he feared that those who "have not been called upon to suffer have not yet realized that Korea on the planning table of the aggressors is a blueprint for America."

The hero of Taejon said he hoped that the "principle set forth by the man whose birthday we observe on Christmas will some day be the universal pattern of human behavior."

English Firm Wins McNary Dam Contract

Walla Walla, Wash. (AP)—Army Engineers announced Tuesday the English Electric Export and Trading Co. of Stamford, England, has been awarded a contract to manufacture two generators for McNary Dam on the Columbia River.

The announcement said the company's bid was \$3,651,461, some \$200,000 under the next low offer, by General Electric Co.

The generators are to be installed at McNary in 1956.

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