

Two mammoth Jersey red hogs, of a combined weight of 989 pounds, were slaughtered on a ranch on Grand Island a few days ago. Good alfalfa pasturage during their growing age, and plenty of Indian corn formed the ration which produced the results.

On account of the storm, Lane county mills, which claim to cut between 45 and 50 per cent of the entire lumber of the valley, are at a standstill except two large operations that have less sufficient at the mills and operate to take care of fuel requirements and commitments.

So well pleased were the stockholders of the Lower Columbia Cooperative Dairy association with the progress made last year that they have authorized a program of expansion that probably will result in the establishment of a dried-milk plant at Grays River.

An alder mill and dry sheds are under construction at the Alsea port docks, a cannery being converted into part of the mill. The plant is expected to be completed in April. The company has options on alder sufficient to run it 15 years, and other alder owners are ready to sell.

For the third time J. W. Moffatt of West Linn has been the first to cross the Willamette river at Oregon City on the ice, having accomplished this feat Saturday, accompanied by his son, John Moffatt Jr. He first crossed the river there on ice in 1909, and again during the heavy freeze of 1919.

Roseburg's population has shown an increase of 15 per cent during a period of ten years, according to the school census figures announced by Edith Ackert, county school superintendent. Enumeration shows 1591 children of school age in the city this year as compared with 1396 in 1920.

A braided horsehair bridle and quilt made in 1869 by a Spaniard for 14-year-old Janey Cecil, now Mrs. Jane Robinson of Lebanon, will be presented soon to the Old Fort Dalles Historical society. Mrs. Robinson is a member of the Cecil family, after which the town of Cecil, in Morrow county, was named.

The department of the interior has restored 85,000 acres of public lands in north Warner valley, Lake county, to homestead entry. The land was withdrawn in 1929 for irrigation purposes. Ex-soldiers and sailors have a filing preference until May 9, 1930, after which any citizen may take up a homestead in the area.

A year ago Hugh Creighton of The Dalles had his teeth extracted, hoping to improve his physical condition. Convalescence failed to materialize, however. Recently he was seized by a fit of coughing. Up came a molar which, physicians said, had been lodged in one of Creighton's lungs since the general extraction.

The cost of conducting 1929 session of the Oregon legislature, exclusive of per diem and mileage of its members, was \$121,494.41, according to a report completed at Salem by Hal E. Hess, secretary of state. The 1929 session lasted 50 days, but the compensation for legislators was limited to the statutory period of 40 days.

Eighteen persons were killed and 165 persons injured in a total of 3317 traffic accidents in Oregon during December, according to a report prepared by T. A. Rafferty, chief state traffic officer. Reckless driving was responsible for 1840 of the accidents. There were a total of 341 arrests by state traffic officers, with fines aggregating \$3584.

A revival of mining activity in Oregon last year resulted in an increased production of gold, silver, copper and lead from ore sold or treated from \$296,446 in 1928 to about \$529,000 in 1929, according to preliminary figures from the bureau of mines. There were increases in the output and value of all metals, with gold and copper showing the largest gains.

A horse belonging to Ed Mann fell into a 30-foot well in Baker, landing on its feet. A wrecking car operator passed a harness about the animal's body and pulled the horse up by wireless. The steed took the matter very calmly until it reached the top. Then it began to kick vigorously. The animal received only a few cuts and bruises as souvenirs of its experience.

To encourage the sale of butter and thereby contribute toward the prosperity of the dairy industry, Enterprise merchants have agreed to sell no oleomargarine or other butter substitutes after present stocks are gone. Since the drop in butterfat and butter prices, sales of butter have increased and it is believed this has been somewhat at the expense of the substitutes.

Value of timber sold from the Deschutes national forest in 1929 was \$352,244, the greatest in the history of the forest. Included in the sale was a carload of Christmas trees that were shipped to California. About 700 young Shasta firs were cut.

E. L. Sechrist of Ballston recently received a relic of the early pioneer days. A dolly made from the canvas cover of the wagon in which she crossed the plains to Oregon in 1847 was given him by a 92-year-old relative during the Christmas holidays.

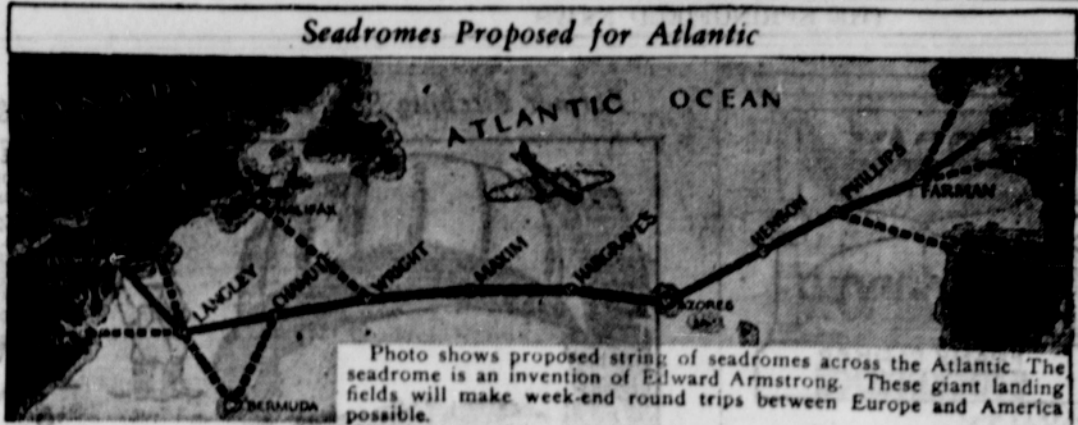


Photo shows proposed string of seadromes across the Atlantic. The seadrome is an invention of Edward Armstrong. These giant landing fields will make week-end round trips between Europe and America possible.

TOWN AND VICINITY

Ill—Orville Castrell is ill at his home in this city.

Electrician Ill—Jack Henderer was confined to his bed on account of illness the first half of the week.

From Camp Creek—M. J. Chase visited his friends in this city the last of the week.

From Vida—F. A. Wood, of Vida, called on his friends in this city on Saturday.

Visits Saturday.—Carl Dahne, of Waverlyville, was a Sunday caller in this city.

From Cedar Flats—J. W. Plummer of Cedar Flats, called on his friends in this city Saturday.

From Fall Creek—Charles Neet, of Fall Creek, was a Tuesday visitor in the city.

Walterville Resident Calls—Mrs. I. E. Deadman, of Walterville, spent Tuesday with friends in this city.

Pengra Man Here—Clarence Ek of Pengra, spent Tuesday in Springfield on business.

Transacts Business—L. R. Tucker, of Goshen, came to Springfield on Tuesday to attend business matters.

At Salem—Roy Smith left Sunday to spend a few days in Salem on business.

Visits Mother—Robert Archambeau, of Oregon City, spent the week-end here visiting with his mother, Mrs. Irene Archambeau.

Goes to Los Angeles—Jim Laxton, Springfield, left Friday for Los Angeles, where he will spend about ten days visiting friends.

Admitted to Hospital—Hugh Joliff was admitted to the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene Saturday for a major operation.

Seattle Man Here—A. W. Anderson, of Seattle, arrived here Sunday and will be the guest of Miles Leather for a while.

Walterville People Shop—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bientz, of Walterville, purchased supplies while in Springfield the first of the week.

Transacts Business—Mr. and Mrs. Norton Warner, of Fall Creek, were business visitors here the first of the week.

Visit Here Tuesday—Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carney, of Walterville, were business visitors in Springfield on Tuesday.

Jasper Resident Calls—Otto Jones, of Jasper, spent Saturday in Springfield, calling on his friends and purchasing supplies.

City Recorder in Portland—L. M. Peterson, city recorder of Springfield, was in Portland Wednesday on official business.

Sunday Dinner Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thornton and J. R. Scott, of Creswell, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Scott.

Glenwood School Closed—The Glenwood school, in West Springfield, has been closed down the last several days on account of pipes freezing.

Banker Returns—William G. Hughes, president of the First National bank, returned to Springfield last Thursday evening after having spent a few days in Washington state.

Visits Parents Here—Kenneth DeLassus is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Snodgrass for a few days during the short vacation he is taking from his work with the Standard Oil company in Cottage Grove.

Former Resident Stops—Fred Montgomery stopped in Springfield Monday night on his regular train run, after an absence of ten days vacation which he spent at his home near Corvallis. Mr. Montgomery was a resident of Springfield a few years ago and is a frequent visitor to the city.

From Landax—Curtis Newman was a business visitor in this city on Saturday.

Coburg Man Here—Stewart Hurd, of Coburg, spent last Saturday visiting his friends in the city.

Goes to Oakland—Mrs. R. Edmundson left Springfield last Friday for Oakland, California, to visit her son, Loren, who is employed near that city as an organist.

Lumberman in Portland—H. J. Cox, secretary of the Willamette Valley Lumbermen's association, is transacting business in Portland today.

Returns from California—Mrs. J. A. Neher returned last week end from California, where she had been called on account of her father's death.

Small Girl Recovering—Joy Rebhan youngest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Rebhan, is greatly improved from her recent illness.

From Mohawk—R. E. Hill and R. L. Denny, both of Mohawk, were business visitors in Springfield last Saturday.

Spend Week-end Here—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miller, of Corvallis, spent the week end in this city at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Rebhan.

Church Night Postponed—The regular church night, which was scheduled to be held at the Christian church here on Friday evening, January 31, has been postponed until some time next month.

Daughter Born—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cabe are the parents of a baby girl which was born at the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene on Tuesday morning.

Injures Back—Mrs. William Benner, of Marcola, was one of the first people in this vicinity to be injured as a result of the sleet which covered the streets last Wednesday, making walking very difficult. She fell Thursday and injured her back on the ice.

Washington People Arrive—Mrs. E. O. Strand and Mrs. E. H. Turner, sister and mother of Mrs. H. E. Maxey, arrived in Springfield Wednesday evening from Olympia. Mrs. Turner will return in a few days, and Mrs. Strand will spend some time here under the care of a local physician.

ICY STREETS CAUSED MANY MINOR MISHAPS

Accidents were very numerous in or near Springfield the last of the past week and the first of this one until the thaw set in. No serious accidents were reported at the police station, but several automobiles met with mishaps on the highways, some losing a wheel, others turning completely over, damaging the tops.

John Parrish fell on the ice last Friday and injured his back. He fell a year ago and injured one of his legs.

Sadie Gott, a small school girl had one of her hands badly injured Friday, when she got in the way of an oncoming sled. The boys rolled off the sled to lighten the weight on the sled when it hit her, but the runners lacerated her hand.

Miss Ola Endicott sprained her ankle Saturday morning. She slipped and fell as she got off the bus.

Many others slipped, but did not injure themselves seriously.

Bert Sankey, one of the mail carriers, slipped off the road east of the town and it was necessary to put on a new wheel before he could continue his rounds.

Bob Culverson, of Springfield, turned his car over at Coburg on Saturday, damaging the top but not injuring the driver.

Forrest Blighton and his brother turned over in his car near Coburg on Saturday. The top and radiator were damaged, but none of the passengers were injured.

A Eugene motorist skidded into the car belonging to William Rodenbough last Thursday while it was parked in that city. Damage was only slight.

LANE COUNTY RED CROSS TO BECOME MODEL UNIT

The American Red Cross announced Tuesday that it had selected Lane county to be a model training center for the entire national organization. The local county organization will also act as a training school for all Red Cross workers for the north Pacific section of the United States.

This decision on the part of the national officers will mean that the county force will be immediately expanded to include four full time workers, two workers on probation, and four students. It will also mean that the usual budget of the local chapter will be augmented by a \$6,500 contribution from the national organization and small amounts from other agencies, stated Judge G. F. Skipworth, chairman of the Lane county board.

Following the announcement Tuesday of the development of the organization in this county, came the announcement from Judge Skipworth that he would quit his post at the end of the present term, which expires shortly. He has been at the head of the work in this county for several years, and declared yesterday that the increased duties which will arise with the new expansion work will require more of his time than he can spare from his court work.

Announcement was also made on Tuesday of the appointment of Dr. Phillip A. Parsons as a national director of training for the American Red Cross. Dr. Parsons will have charge of the training of workers here and will also have charge of other centers when they are established.

The present county staff consists of Miss Mary Annin, secretary, who is assisted by Miss Ruth Ramsey. The four students now in training at the Portland School of Social Work, and who will very likely be given positions under the new program are Martha Prothero, Mildred Reynolds, Edwina Grebel, and Thora Beesen.

The recent announcement means much to Lane county. The staff looking after the needy will be enlarged beyond that of other units on the coast in proportion to the population, and the available funds of the organization will be greatly enlarged, and as this is to be a model unit, it is expected that every effort will be made to keep conditions in this county in the best possible shape.

"DEVIL MAY CARE" NOW SHOWING AT McDONALD

Ramon Navarro, both talking and singing, was the novelty which drew a full house of the young man's admirers to the Fox McDonald in Eugene last night. Curiosity, however, was soon replaced by definite and complete admiration, for "Devil May Care" is a corking picture, and Ramon Navarro is even more interesting vocally than he was in his long series of silent pictures.

His singing voice is lovely, and "Charming" is not the least delightful of the half a dozen songs which were written for him by Herbert Stothart, the co-composer of "Rose Marie."

A story of adventure, romance and comedy in the period intervening between the exile of Napoleon to Elba and his return to France, gives Navarro an excellent opportunity to display the sure and deft dramatic touch which is his. He is supported by a very pretty and capable young newcomer to the screen, little Miss Dorothy Jordan, of musical comedy fame. Other players who do well balanced work include John Miljan, and Marion Harris. Sidney Franklin's direction is characterized by deft surety.

An entirely new type of Janet Gaynor makes her debut in "Sunny Side Up." DeSylvia, Brown and Henderson musical comedy produced by Fox Movietone.

She is a vivacious, laughing, singing, dancing little comedienne, in startling contrast to the plaintive, wistful figure she always has been in her starring productions.

David Butler directed "Sunny Side Up," which will be seen and heard on the Fox-McDonald screen starting next Sunday. Seymour Felix, Broadway's distinguished dance director, staged the dances and song numbers.

LOCAL PEOPLE INVITE FRIENDS OVER THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ernest entertained a group of their friends at a card party at their home here last Thursday evening. Five hundred was the diversion of the evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laxton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chase, Mr. and Mrs. R. Thatcher, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Endicott, and the hosts.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Endicott on the sixth of February.

FOUR-H GIRLS ORGANIZE CLUB AT GARDEN WAY

A Four-H sewing club has been organized by seven girls at the Garden Way school. Mrs. W. H. Anderson is to be the leader for the club, which has taken as its motto, "A Stitch in Time Club."

The members are Ruby Oldham, Ora McKay, Charline Fisher, Florence Fish, Helen Michael, Lucile Monday, and Dorothy Wells.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Anderson every Tuesday at 4:00 o'clock.

JO LANA PUTMAN HOSTESS FOR GIRL SCOUT GROUP

Members of the Beaver Patrol of the Girl Scouts gathered at the home of Miss Jo Lana Putman yesterday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock for a regular scout program. The latter part of the afternoon was taken up with games, and refreshments served by Mrs. Putman.

Those present were Margaret Jarrett, Mildred Morgan, Colene Cornell, Barbara Barnell, Florence May, Jean Louk, Hazel Nesbitt, LaMoine Black and the hostess.

DOUBLE VACCINATION MAKES CHILDREN SICK

Lois May and Bobby Rodenbaugh were both ill for a few days last week as a result of their vaccinations which they had taken on Tuesday. The two children took both the final toxin anti-toxin treatment for diphtheria and were vaccinated for smallpox at the same time. Their condition was not serious, however.

So far as is known this is the only case of illness among the large group which took the treatments here during the past three weeks.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Commercial State Bank of Springfield

at Springfield, County of Lane, State of Oregon, at the close of business December 31, 1929.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts		\$124,665.40
Overdrafts		376.25
Bonds, securities, etc.		43,814.76
Banking house \$14,900.00; furniture and fixtures	\$3,500.00	18,400.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		10,892.50
Cash, due from banks and cash items		30,817.72
Total		\$228,466.63
LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		\$30,000.00
Surplus		2,090.09
Undivided profits—net		3,143.65
Demand deposits		143,887.12
Time certificates		24,117.56
Savings deposits		19,318.30
Total		\$228,466.63

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss: I, C. E. Kenyon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
Welby Stevens, A. J. Perkins—Directors.
Subscribed and sworn before me this 3rd day of January, 1930.
(SEAL) I, M. PETERSON, Notary Public for Oregon, (My commission expires June 1, 1932.)

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