

Blood Program Gets Underway

The details of Mill City and area's part in the National Blood Program and Bloodmobile work will be worked out during a noon meeting, Monday, May 28, at Mom & Pop's cafe in Mill City, Dr. Wm. Teutsch, Jr. said today.

Red Cross representatives conferred with Mill City spokesmen this week on the Bloodmobile's visit to this area, Monday, June 25. Red Cross officials declared today that plasma now is available free of charge to Mill City and area citizens. Local doctors are applying for their allotments of the precious blood plasma.

Those in charge of the visit of the Bloodmobile here expressed the hope that some 200 pints of blood could be collected during its stand in Mill City, Monday, June 25. The territory included in the Mill City Bloodmobile visit includes Lyons, Mehama, Gates, Detroit, and Idanha. Arrangements for stationing of the Bloodmobile cures and equipment in the Mill City grade school gymnasium are being made.

Mrs. Wm. L. Teutsch, Jr. said today, "I hope representatives from each of the clubs and social groups in the area will attend the Bloodmobile planning lunch at Mom & Pop's."

Mrs. Teutsch continued, "We are fortunate that the program is under way in our community. It means that physicians, with our help, can have the blood urgently needed to save lives here and abroad. Some 50 percent of the whole blood donated goes to meet military needs. A plane leaves every 48 hours from Portland on its way to Korea with life-giving blood."

Students Take All Spotlights

Mill City parents and their offspring are keenly aware that this week belongs to school affairs—high school and grade school. Climaxing another year's study is the usual round of school picnics, parties, baccalaurette and commencement services.

Mill City and Gates high schools Sunday joined in baccalaurette services for their graduating seniors. Baccalaurette ceremonies for the joint program were conducted in the First Christian church in Mill City. Minister Hugh Jull, pastor, gave the sermon, "Looking Forward". Mrs. Grace Hutchinson played the processional music, "Largo", and the recessional, "Tannhauser". The Mill City school's girls music class sang to the piano accompaniment of Miss Paula Jane Van Buskirk.

Mill City theatre bows gracefully to the sway of school affairs when Friday night at 8 p.m. commencement exercises for the Mill City high school seniors take the limelight on its stage. Adding color to this year's commencement ceremonies will be the newly activated Mill City grade school band under the direction of Mr. Earl Loucks, grade school instructor.

The sparkling Mill City grade school band directed by Mr. Loucks will play the processional, "Pomp and Circumstance"; an overture, "Magnus"; and the recessional, "Concerto I" by Tchaikowsky for their part in the 1951 graduation of Mill City high school seniors.

Rev. James Wilson, pastor of the Methodist church, will give the main address of the evening. Susan Mikkelsen won the right of the salutatory address and Wanda Vandermeer, the valedictory. The Mill City girls' music class will sing "Flowers and Trees" and "Homing". Paula Jane Van Buskirk will act as accompanist. George Neal, senior class president, will present the address of appreciation.

H. T. Caughey, Mill City high school principal, will present the following awards: one scholarship, two citizenship, one activity, three athletic, one English, and two boy and girl Dan.

Coming Events . . .

- MONDAY—**
American Legion Auxiliary 3d Mon. Lions club meeting.
A.F. & A.M. No. 180 stated meeting third Monday.
O.E.S. meeting, 2d Monday month.
- TUESDAY—**
Boy Scouts at Rambo residence, 7 p. Chamber of Commerce 2 & 4 noon luncheon.
Lions Auxiliary 4th Tuesday
Women's club 8 p.m. 1st, 3rd Tues.
129-J School Board meeting 2d Tues
- WEDNESDAY—**
Santiam Eagles and auxiliary 8 p.m. at Mill City fire hall.
Santiam Rebekah 166—1st and 3rd Wed. at 8 p.m.
Mill City P.T.A. meets 2nd Wed. City council first Wed. 7:30 p.m. Altar Society meets 3rd Wed.
- THURSDAY—**
Theta Rho Club for Girls, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays.
Gates P.T.A. 1st Thursday 8 p.m.
American Legion 2d and 4th Thurs.
Garden club fourth Thursday.
Firemen Auxiliary meets 3d Thurs.
- FRIDAY—**
I.O.O.F. meeting.
Mill City IWA meeting last Friday
Farmers Union meeting at Mehama
Woman's club, 2nd and 4th.

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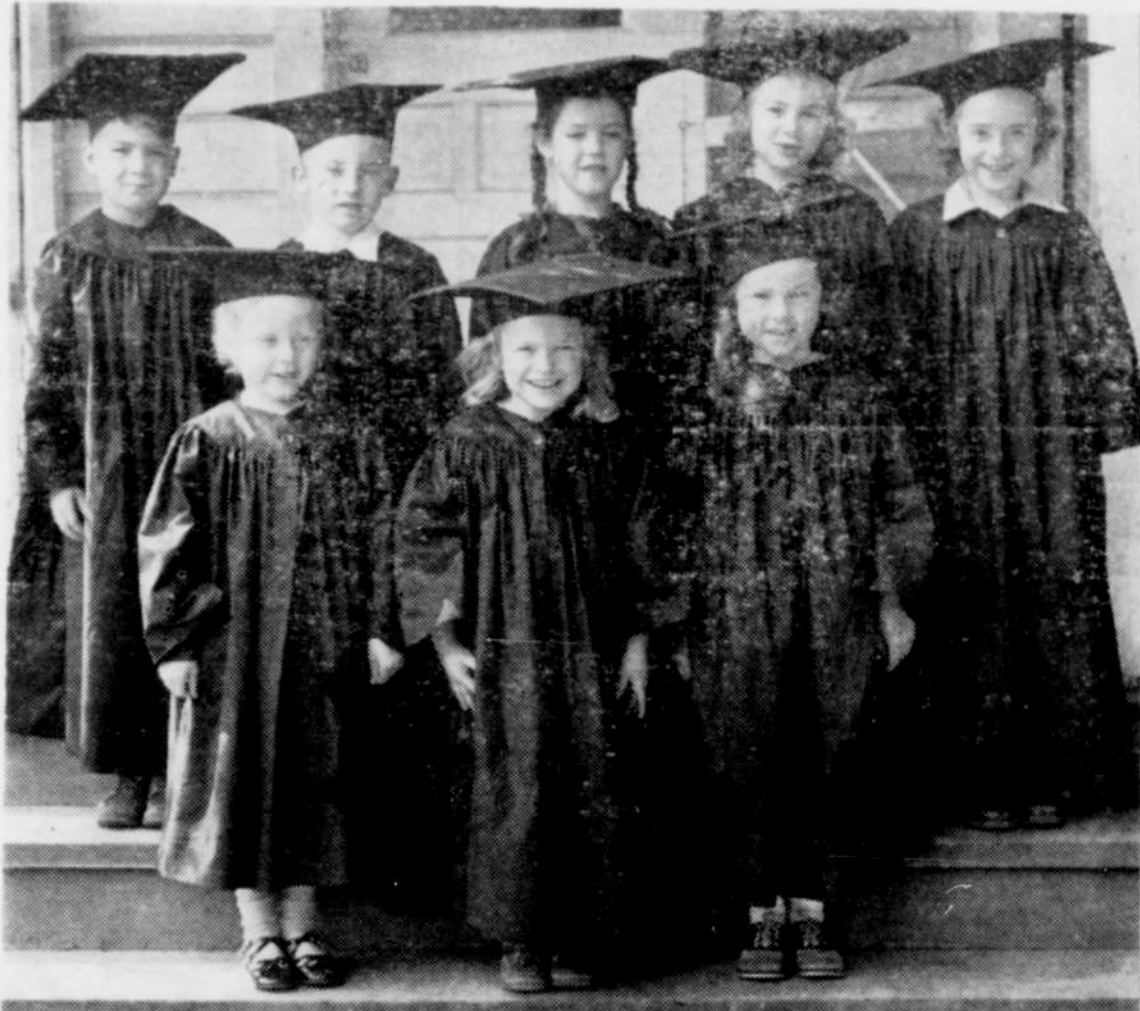
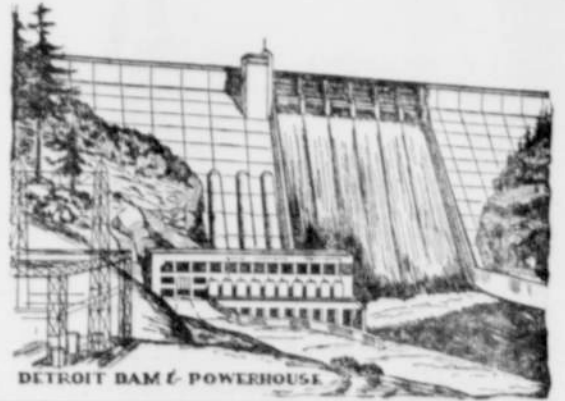
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Adjust those 'specs! No, the Mill City senior graduating class is not, as if, by some magic shrunk! By coincidence, there are the same number of persons in the Mill City senior graduation class as are pictured above. Here is the first graduating class of the Mill City kindergarden sponsored by the Mill City P.T.A. and supervised by Mrs. Agnes A. Allen. These tykes have gone through more graduation ceremonies recently than most spectacled scholars who have a string of degrees. From all signs, they love it! Front row: Linda Hollyman, Sandra Hurd, Shirley Veness. Back row: Paul Loucks, Wayne Stiffler, Bonnie Burgess, Laura Lee and Mary Ann Hoffman. (Photo courtesy Capital Journal and Robert Veness)

Plans Complete For 'Poppy Day' Sales

Dead of three wars will be honored by the Memorial poppies which will be worn on Poppy Day, May 26, Mrs. John Muir, president of the Mill City Legion Auxiliary, said today as the Auxiliary continued its preparations for the annual observance of the day.

More than 10,000 disabled veterans of both World wars have been given profitable employment during the winter and spring months shaping the little red Memorial flowers which will be worn in memory of their fallen comrades on Poppy Day, May 26. The work not only has enabled them to earn much-needed money but has been valuable to them as occupational therapy, Mrs. Ina Chase, Poppy chairman said.

Here in Mill City women of the American Legion Auxiliary will be on the streets early in the morning with baskets of the little red flowers of memory. They will work throughout the day and have as their goal a poppy on every lapel before night-fall.

The poppies, which are crepe-paper replicas of the wild poppies which grew on the battle fields in Europe, have been made by disabled veterans at Veterans Administration hospitals in Portland, Roseburg, and Camp White. All contributions given to the poppy workers on Poppy Day will go into the rehabilitation and child welfare funds of the Legion and Auxiliary.

"With our country preparing to defend itself against new dangers, wearing of the poppy will have increased significance this year," Mrs. Chase said. "The little red Memorial flower reminds us of the sacrifices made for the freedom and security of America in the past, and gives us inspiration for service to our country in the present emergency."

"A fine patriotic spirit is being shown by the women volunteering for Poppy Day duty," said Mrs. Muir. "Distributing poppies is hard, unaccustomed work and requires sacrifice of time and personal interests. Yet it is, of course, nothing compared to the sacrifices made for America by those whom the poppy honors, and by those still living whom the poppy aids. Knowing this, our poppy workers will be on the streets bright and early on Poppy Day."

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO MILL CITY WATER CUSTOMERS

The water will be shut off on the North side of the river Tuesday morning, May 29 from 1:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m., while the crew is connecting new water main.

Please PULL switches on your water heaters.

Mountain States Power Co.

Mill City Pioneer Walter Hoeye Dies

Walter Stephen Hoeye, 85, one of Mill City's oldest pioneers passed away Sunday, May 20, in an Albany hospital. Walter Hoeye was born May 15, 1865, between Walla-Walla and Ft. Colville, Washington, while his parents, David and Susan Hoeye, were crossing the plains to the West.

The David Hoeye family first settled in Stayton. When Walter Hoeye was seventeen years of age, the Hoeyes moved to Mill City where Walter remained until his last illness. He was taught the carpenter trade by his father who specialized in cabinet making in Mill City.

During the sixty eight years Walter Hoeye lived in Mill City, he engaged in the carpenter trade and gathered a vast knowledge of the pioneer episodes in this area. Residents remember Walter Hoeye for this pioneer knowledge and his relating of it.

Walter S. Hoeye, a bachelor, is survived by two brothers, Wallace and George Hoeye of Mill City; three sisters, Mrs. Emma Garrett of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Elva Rambo and Mrs. Mary Rankin of Santa Rosa, California; and several nieces and nephews, one such niece being Mrs. Tally Davis of Mill City.

Graveside rites will be conducted Thursday morning at the Lone Oak cemetery in Stayton.

Scouters Announce Scout Circus Date

Announcement of the Mill City Cub Pack meeting, Monday, May 28, in the Mill City high school recreational room and the Scout Circus, Saturday, June 2, in Salem was made during a Cub Scout committee meeting in the Eldon Lents home in Mill City last Thursday.

Cub Pack theme for the month is "Things that go". Theme of the Scout Circus is "The wedding procession of Old King Cole." Last month he there was "Birds". Cub Scouts followed this by building bird-houses.

Those providing the leadership for Cub Scout work who met in the Lents home were Ray Steiner, cubmaster; Kenneth Siler, assistant cubmaster; Eldon Lents, Cub Pack chairman; Lee Donaldson, institutional representative; and Mrs. Eldon Lents, Mrs. Frank Dell, Mrs. Lillian Provost, Mrs. William Tickle, and Mrs. Kenneth Siler, den mothers.

Those interested in Scouting may contact any of the scoutmasters or committeemen. These citizens will gladly assist prospective Scouting enthusiasts. The Marion District includes the area located between Idanha and Aumsville and surrounding communities.

The Mill City P.T.A. is sponsoring the active Mill City Scouts and Cubs and the local American Legion is responsible for the welfare of the Explorer troop.

Mill City and Gates Unite For Third Aviation Day

Upper-Santiam Communities Plan Entering Queen Contest

The Third Annual Aviation Day, July 15, at Davis Airport received the blessing and green light of the Mill City and Gates chambers of commerce during their joint meeting Tuesday at Mom & Pop's in Mill City. W. R. Hutcheson, Gates Chamber of Commerce spokesman, pledged the continued strong support shown last year.

Burnett Cole and "Doc" Kimmel were appointed as the steering committee from Mill City by Russell Kelly, president of the Mill City chamber.

Third Annual Aviation Day planning committee members from Gates are W. R. Hutcheson and Norman Garrison. Civic leaders up and down the North Santiam Canyon are being contacted by these men in the interests of the Canyon's Third Annual Aviation Day, July 15, at Davis Airport, the only airport in the North Santiam Canyon.

The steering committee wants the communities of Mill City, Lyons, Mehama, Gates, Detroit and Idanha represented in the Third Annual Aviation Day by entering a princess in the contest for the queen of the special air festivities. Mill City's princess, Carol Jane Blazek, was elected by Mill City students today, according to "Doc" Kimmel.

Some 100 planes and 700 airmen and guests are expected for the Sportsmen Pilot Breakfast Hop which will lead off the gala parade of events planned for the Third Annual Aviation Day. "Suede" Ralston, famed precision acrobatic pilot, promises a successful and thrilling day of it for those who will crane their necks upward and around following his weird and well done aerial maneuvers.

Mill City aviators extending a welcome to fellow pilots and their guests to the Third Annual Aviation Day during the tri-state Sportsmen Breakfast Hop in eastern Oregon at La Grande recently were Roy Walker, George Humphrey, Delbert Brown, Jim O'Leary, Clyde Wells, and Ralph Nibler. Over 200 planes landed during the La Grande Hop. Some 700 to 900 people enjoyed the La Grande Hop breakfast.

The Mill City planes with two passengers each made the 230 mile jaunt to La Grande, Sunday, in about two and one-half hours. Planes from Oregon, Washington, and Idaho blew dust on each other at La Grande. Canyon airmen hope the same thing happens here during the Third Annual Aviation Day, July 15.

Even the young sprouts are getting the Aviation Day bug! They are staging a model airplane contest, Sunday, June 17, at 3 p.m. at the Davis Airport near Gates. The contest is (Continued on Page 8)

Miss Asher Has Cop Escort Into Salem

Just when a baby boy, Stewart Warren Hill, sets something of a record in "New Arrivals" along comes a baby girl and nudges him out of the limelight.

"Red" Asher and wife were provoked no end late Sunday night, May 13, when at Four Corners, suburb of Salem, after a wild ride from Idanha their car was halted by state police.

The act of writing out a ticket also was halted when the situation was explained frantically. The courteous police calmly opened the siren, applied gas pedal pressure, and guided the Asher car to the door of the Salem Memorial hospital.

Three pound and three ounce Miss Asher finds things a bit dull in her incubator, since tarnishing baby Hill's feat recorded earlier that same day.

Lyons Girl Scouts Hold Food Sale

Girl Scouts, their leaders, and mothers will stage a cooked food sale at Brassfield's store in Lyons Saturday, May 26, at 11 a.m.

The Santiam area Girl Scout council, which is usually supported by the Community Chest, has curtailed many of its services and activities because it is short of funds for 1951. Even the essential services will cease unless each community in the council raises additional funds. The amount needed in Lyons is \$29.00.

There will be home-made cakes, pies, bread rolls, salads, and other good things on sale which can make your weekend eating more enjoyable and meal planning easier.

DRIVERS LICENSOR ON DUTY

A drivers license examiner will be on duty in Mill City Thursday, May 31, 1951, at the Fire Hall between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., according to an announcement received from the Secretary of State's office.

Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.

Watch It Grow!

FIELD LIGHTING FINANCE REPORT—GOAL \$3,200

- \$ 390.00 made last year.
- 1,397.84 Sale of Metal
- 1,070.40 Sale of Tickets
- 250.00 gift of C.B.L.
- 100.00 gift of Mill City C. of C.
- 100.00 gift of Lions club.
- 90.00 sale of paper
- 25.00 gift of Eagles.
- 1.00 private gift

\$3,424.30 NEW TOTAL



Members of the Mill City high school student body expressed their confidence in the plans, policies, and personalities of these individuals, the recently elected student body officers of Mill City high school. The shutter clicked during a special meeting of the school leaders shown above. Seated left to right are Lyle Fleetwood, sergeant-at-arms; David Keyes, treasurer; Darrell Farmer, vice president; Dennis Maritola, president; Betty Lou Cree, secretary; Beverly Timm, advertising secretary; and Gary Peterson, publicity.

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