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Sportsmen to Sponsor Trip in Detroit Area

The North Santiam Sportsmen's club, in cooperation with the U. S. Forest service will sponsor a trip into the Detroit district of the Willamette National Forest Sunday, June 23. The public is invited to attend and make a day of it. Conservation practices by the forest service will be shown and explained. Camp grounds will be inspected and the problems of maintenance discussed. Examples of patch logging and reforestation will be visited. It should be an interesting trip for everyone, particularly those interested in forest and wild life conservation.

The trip will start at the Detroit Ranger station at 9 a. m. and then proceed up the Breitenbush river, then up Blowout creek where they will stop for lunch at the Divide Creek bridge. Everyone is urged to bring a sack lunch for each member of their party. After lunch the logging area will be visited then proceed to the Marion Forks Fish hatchery for a conducted tour of that installation. The trip should be completed about 3 p. m.

Lake Club at Detroit Has New Owners

DETROIT—The Lake Club and Cafe changed ownership last week at an undisclosed purchase price. The new owners, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Renn of Madras, took possession Saturday morning. Negotiations have been in progress for the past month, pending approval of license, which was granted June 3. The deal was closed June 6.

Former owner Roberta Marx (Bobby Renner) opened the Lodge and Cafe the latter part of April of this year. She expressed the hope that the same friendship and business courtesies extended to her will continue to grow under the new management. Mrs. Marx plans to remain here for the season.

The Renn's are not new in the business, having operated a drive-in restaurant for the past four years at Madras, which they have leased. The Renn's have a son, Robin, 8½ years old.

The Lodge will hereafter be known as "Howdy's". The Renn's announced that extensive improvement will be made to both the interior and exterior of the lodge. A smorgasbord and fresh juice bar will be added to the cafe, and present plans are to remodel the club bar. The exterior will be painted a bright red, with white trimmings, and flowers beds will be an added attraction. Cement sidewalks have already been completed to the front and side entrances of the cafe and club.

The Renn's also purchased the John Cook residence on Patton St. They moved here about two weeks ago.

More Work Done At Park Monday Night

Monday night a group of men from the Lions club and the Jaycees worked at cleaning up the city park. Much progress is being made each Monday night. The new water heater, purchased by the Lions club was installed in the kitchen Monday night by Martin Hansen.

It was reported that the Firemen have already ordered their fireworks for the celebration, and other work is shaping things up for the big second annual event.

Rose Parade May Be Viewed at Bank Saturday Forenoon

Residents of the area have been invited to see the Rose parade in color at the U. S. National bank here Saturday forenoon. A color TV set is being furnished by Porter & Lau of Stayton, and the cable has been installed by Bob Venesa.

The color TV broadcast is being sponsored by the U. S. National bank of Portland.

Weather at Detroit Dam
7:00 A. M. Daily Weather Readings And Lake Elevation

	Max.	Min.	Pcp.	Elev.
June 5	85	58	0.00	1564.43
June 6	70	51	0.77	1564.64
June 7	58	51	0.00	1564.77
June 8	64	51	0.01	1564.87
June 9	67	51	0.00	1564.92
June 10	72	59	0.00	1565.10
June 11	73	51	trace	1565.03

Young People Escape Serious Injury in Wreck

DETROIT—Jim Stahlman and four young companions narrowly escaped serious injury early Sunday morning when a car piloted by young Stahlman, went out of control and crashed into a telephone pole. The accident occurred on the Silver Falls road approximately four miles north of Sublimity near the Tate ranch.

Released from Santiam Memorial hospital at Stayton following check-ups were Nancy Olson and Bruce Gordon, Mill City; Kay Schutt, Sublimity, and Donald Jackson, Idanha. They reportedly received multiple bruises and abrasions. Stahlman sustained a cut across the nose and a gash in the leg requiring stitches, also bruises and abrasions. He was released from the hospital Monday. The car was reported as a total wreck.

Fall from Bridge Fatal to Ernest Grant Morrison

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday from Weddle Funeral Home in Stayton for Ernest Grant Morrison, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison, who live west of Mill City. The youngster fell from a bridge near Marion Forks Sunday, while watching a lady fish on the Santiam river below the bridge. He slipped and fell over the guard rail. He struck his head on the rocks. He was taken to Santiam Memorial hospital in Stayton where he passed away Monday.

Ernest Grant Morrison was born May 10, 1952 at Cottage Grove. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison, brother, Eddie Howard Morrison and a sister, Lucille Diane Morrison, all at home.

Rev. James Hardy of the Mehama Community Presbyterian church officiated at the services and interment was at Rest Lawn cemetery in Salem.

Coming Events

Wednesday, June 12, Marilyn Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Thursday, June 13, Boy Scout meeting at Scout Cabin.

Friday, June 14, Daily Vacation Bible school program at Presbyterian church.

Friday, June 14, IOOF lodge meeting.

Saturday June 15, Firemen's Auxiliary benefit card party at fire hall.

Sunday, June 16, Father's Day. Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, June 17, school election.

Monday, June 17, Masonic lodge meeting.

Tuesday, June 18, Woman's club picnic supper at O. K. DeWitt residence. Visit of Third District president, who will install the new officers.

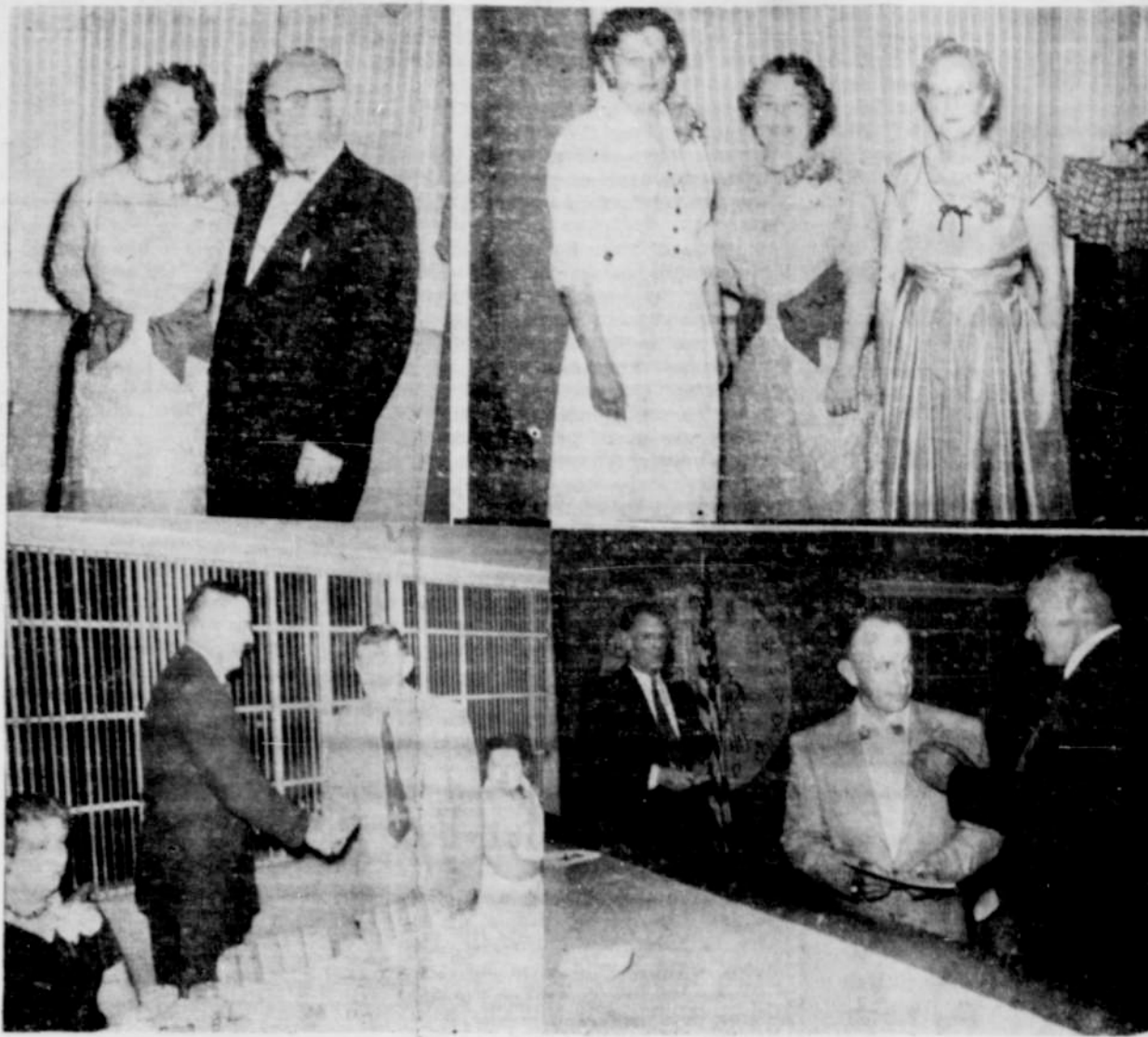
Wednesday, June 19, Santiam Rebekah lodge meeting.

School Election Slated For Monday, June 17

Only one name had been filed for a position on the school board here to fill the place being vacated by Russell Kelly. Albin Cooper has filed for the position, and his name will appear on the ballot.

The polls will be open from 2 to 8 p. m. Monday, June 17. Besides voting for a director the budget will be voted upon.

Lions and Auxiliary Officers Installed



Above are a few pictures taken at the joint installation of officers of the Mill City Lions Club and Auxiliary held last Wednesday night at the Last Frontier east of town. In the top left of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Dunn of Salem, who acted as installing officers of the clubs. Top left are the new Auxiliary president, Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Jay R. Mason, retiring Auxiliary president. In the lower right

new Lions president Burton Boroughs is being congratulated by outgoing president Lowell Fleetwood. To the left of President Boroughs is Mrs. Boroughs and to the right of Mr. Fleetwood is Mrs. Fleetwood. In the lower right Frank Hunter can be seen presenting Charles Wirkkala with his pin following his induction into the club, the ceremony in charge of Lee S. Ross.—Enterprise Photos.

Joint Installation Held for Lions And Auxiliary

A buffet dinner at the Last Frontier preceded the installation of officers of the Mill City Lions club and Auxiliary last Wednesday evening. Coming from Salem to act as installing officers were Burton Dunn, international counselor, and his wife, Dorothy Dunn, who is state president of the Oregon Lions Auxiliaries.

The club president, Lowell Fleetwood, welcomed the group of about 45 and acted as toastmaster for the evening.

Out-going officers of the Auxiliary were introduced as follows: president, Lora Mason; vice president, Alta Moffatt; and secretary, Evangelina Fleetwood. The new officers, installed by Mrs. Dunn, included: president, Mabel Hunter; vice president, Alta Moffatt; and secretary, Faith Venes. The treasurer, Mary Toman, was re-elected but was absent.

Fleetwood expressed his appreciation to the helpers in his club, and to the ladies of the auxiliary, each of whom had been presented with a corsage made by Mrs. C. M. Cline of the Mill City Garden club.

Charles Wirkkala was initiated as a new member of the Lions club with Lee Ross conducting the ceremony.

Vocal selections during the evening were by William Utley of Salem, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Jane Francis, also of Salem.

Following his introduction, Mr. Dunn installed the following officers of the Lions club: lion tamer, Jay Mason; directors, Jerry Pittam and Lee Bassett; 3rd vice president, Charles Wirkkala; 2nd vice president, Rex Ohmart; 1st vice president, Don Moffatt; tail twister, Bob Hill; secretary-treasurer, Otto Koeneke; president, Burton Boroughs; and member of the board, Lowell Fleetwood, the retiring president, who had previously given a resume of the year's accomplishments.

The gavel was then presented to Burton Boroughs, who gave a short speech of acceptance of the office, followed by adjournment.

Delegation Asks for Street Work Soon

The regular meeting of the City Council was held at the City hall last Wednesday evening with Mayor Kimmel, and Councilmen Hill, Mason, Draper, King and Hunter present.

There was a delegation of residents present to ask the City if something could be done about the dust situation in Riverview addition. They also suggested that a one-way street in that area would eliminate the traffic hazard which exists there now. Mayor Kimmel and Street Commissioner Mason stated that work would begin on the streets just as soon as a grader was obtained to first level them. All streets in the City are to receive oil this summer; probably the last of June with 2nd, 3rd and 4th to receive seal coats.

Police Chief Meader gave his report for the month of May as follows: Miles driven, 1582; gas used 121 gallons; arrests, 6; fines collected \$110.50; calls answered 9; warnings issued, 3; dogs impounded or destroyed, 1.

Gates Volunteer Firemen Save Colis Heath Home

GATES—The Gates Volunteer fire department was called about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon to extinguish a fire at the former Gerald Heath home, now occupied by the Colis Heath family. The blaze confined to the kitchen and attic above was believed to have started from an overheated wood range. This home, located in Linn County and a mile east of Gates is one of the few remaining landmarks in this area and has been the home of Heath family for about 40 years. Mrs. Gerald Heath, following her husband's death recently, has been visiting at the homes of her sons before moving to her new home in Wheeler, where she will be near her daughter, Mrs. Edward Schultz.

Band to Rehearse Every Monday Night

Earl W. Loucks, band instructor stated the band will have a practice session each Monday night from 7:30 until 8:30 from now until after the July 4th celebration here. The practice will be held in the band room. The band will play here at the July 4th celebration at the city park.

Utilization of Wood Residue Would Create 3100 New Jobs Says State Development Report

A program for expansion of Oregon forest industries through development of wood residue utilization—holding promise for the creation of an estimated 3100 new jobs and an additional \$15,000,000 payroll for the state—was released by the Oregon Development Commission this week.

The study based on research and recommendations of Sandwell and Company, nationally recognized consulting engineers not only blue-prints a plan for conversion of wood waste into payrolls and jobs but follows through with specific courses of action which, according to ODC Chairman Joseph W. Smith, "already have begun to bear fruit."

Basing its recommendation on the finding that "the potential growth in forest industries lies in conversion of mill residue ad, to a lesser extent, logging residue and small trees, into wood pulp and, less important, wood composition boards," the Sandwell firm sites 12 specific areas in Oregon suitable for the development of these two industries.

Sandwell also has outlined a follow-up "work program" which urges that these specific areas:

1. Select mill locations to warrant further studies, paying particular attention to effluent disposal, water supply and site suitability;
2. Prepare approximate capital cost, manufacturing cost and earnings estimates for minimum size of plants that appear to be economic and best suited to be established in each area;

3. Present the results of the studies in a report to be used for the promotion of new industry in the state.

Sandwell engineers estimated that the potential raw material supply in the foreseeable future for expansion of wood residue utilizing industries in Oregon is approximately 900,000 bone dry tons per annum of wood chips.

This corresponds, Sandwell reported, to 450,000 air dry tons per annum of chemical fibre for paper making. This present rate of production, the report indicates, will continue or expand.

If this potential were fully utilized, Chairman Smith noted, it would represent a 60% increase in the present utilization factor of wood residue.

Translated into jobs and payrolls, it would mean an increase of approximately 3100 jobs, and \$15,000,000 in payrolls, he pointed out.

The Sandwell firm found three areas of the state to be particularly suited to the establishment of wood composition board industries since their locations offered more immediate and better return for their wood residues in the hardboard rather than the pulp and paper field.

These were Southern Lake county, Grant county and Curry county.

It picked nine other sites which all had basic factors conducive to the establishment of pulp and paper industries.

They were upper Willamette valley, upper Columbia river, Snake river, South Central coast, Deschutes plateau, Rogue river valley, Umpqua river valley, Klamath basin, Middle Columbia river and Northern coast.

Only the lower Columbia river and lower Willamette valley were considered to have approached anywhere near maximum development in the economic use of logging and lumber mill wood residue, the Sandwell firm stated.

Though the report has just been released, preliminary activity in connection with the study already has spurred all of the areas noted, with two exceptions, into joint participation with the ODC on the Sandwell-recommended campaign for follow-up action.

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Mehama-Lyons Fire Department Dance Is Financial Success

MEHAMA—The dance committee of the Lyons-Mehama Fire department dance turned in their final reports last Wednesday evening and termed the dance held May 21 a financial success. A net profit to be divided between the two departments was \$320. David Lauden of Salem won the refrigerator door prize donated by Ken Golliet, John Strohline of Mehama won the \$100 credit on an automobile donated by Gene Teague. Other door prizes won by local people were two hams from Gene's Market, a permanent wave by the Lyons Beauty Shop, 1 year locker rent, Thiel's Store; two fishing poles, Stewart's Grocery; two \$50 certificates, Sam Bridges; four dinners, Riverview Cafe; two dinners, ? Cafe; Oil change, Martell's service; lubrication job and oil change, Jack and Lee's Service Station; Can of assorted nuts, Lyons Tavern.

Everyone had an enjoyable time dancing to the music of Stubby Mills. The Santiam Valley Grange ladies operated the kitchen.

The team will meet Stayton on Allen Field Monday evening at 7:30. Turning out for practice this year are Dubby Stewart, Terry Morris, Luther Nicholson, Tom Nutter, Gary Whisett, Paul Gasperetti, Alfred Thomas, Leon Thacker, Paul Loucks, Carl Kelly, Marvin Edwards, Bruce Tuers, Don Walczak, Kenneth Ziebert, Harley Bell, Kirt Baughman, David Schaefer, Ronnie Warner, Terry Sischo, Stanley Warde, Clarence Meader, Rusty Whitten, Don Podrabsky, Larry Roebke, John Kelly, Grant Merrill, Dennis Bassett, Ronnie Bassett, Tommy Bailey, Freddie Bassett, Ronald Ohmart, Grey Pearce, Mark Sheythe, Bucky Lyons, Gene Calkins, Randy Marshall, Melvin Fitzhugh, Walt Olmstead and Gary Trahan.

Practice sessions were started at 7 p. m. Monday, June 3.

Little League to Play Stayton Here Monday

Dick Crook who this year is handling the Little League baseball team says 41 have turned out for practice this year.

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Only 23 Cast Ballots At City Budget Election

Only 23 residents in the City cast their ballots at the City Budget election which was held from 2 until 8 p. m. at the City Hall last Friday.

The budget carried by a vote of 21 for and 2 against. The tax levy outside the 6% limitation to be raised is \$14,795.53 which is less than last year.

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Above Maurie Bassett is shown receiving a plaque for placing second in the State Jaycee Road-e-o held Saturday in McMinnville. Bassett made 497 out of a possible 565 points. He also won a \$50 bond. More details in Jaycee column.