

Savings Bond Sales Increase

In both the agricultural and industrial counties of Oregon sales of U.S. Savings Bonds continue at a large increase over previous years.

In figures just released by E. C. Sammons, Chairman of the Oregon Savings Bonds Committee, November sales of E and H Bonds in the State amounted to \$2,645,070. This is 22 per cent greater than sales of the same Bonds in November 1953. For the eleven months of 1954, the people of Oregon have purchased \$33,280,831 worth of E and H Bonds, which is a gain of 27 per cent over the year 1953.

Sales in Columbia County for November 1954 amounted to \$24,071. Sales in Columbia county for the eleven months of 1954 amounted to \$317,151. Volunteer workers from the U.S. Treasury's Saving Bonds Division are particularly pleased with the manner by which people are retaining their matured E Bonds under the Treasury's automatic extension privilege.

November sales throughout the Nation exceeded redemptions by 44 million dollars.

Menlo Park, California Couple Visits Here

RIVERVIEW — Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wood and Paul Wood and children of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Rourke of Menlo Park, California arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brunsmann.

Mr. and Mrs. John Normand spent the week end in Portland visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Skach.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lind-sley and baby and Pat Normand moved to Sweet Home recently, where Mr. Lind-sley obtained employment.

Mrs. Clyde Aaron of San Francisco visited her mother, Mrs. Artie Buckner from Tuesday until Sunday. While here Mrs. Aaron and Mrs. Buckner spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buckner at Hillsboro.

Mrs. P. L. Welter returned home Tuesday after spending three weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Abney at Wishram, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reeves of Portland were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hawkins.

YESTERDAYS

FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Eagle, Dec. 22, 1949
Under sponsorship of the Lions' club, Santa Claus, alias Tiny Mitchell, appeared on Vernonia streets Saturday and gave balloons to the children.

The following officers were named by the Townsend club: Don Bayley, president; Mrs. Emil Messing, vice-president and A. A. Johnson, secretary.

The St. Mary's Altar Society named as officers Mrs. Reuben Pederson, president; Mrs. Alois Sauer, vice-president and Mrs. Ben Meiwes, treasurer.

The Girl's League at the high school held a tea Thursday for the mothers of the community.

TEN YEARS AGO

From The Eagle, Dec. 21, 1944
The Vernonia Loggers opened the season with wins over Forest Grove, 28-23, and Amity, 22 to 10. Team members were Byers, Sturdevant, Rollins, Nance, Larsen and Millis.

Lillian Laird, sophomore at Oregon State College, was one of the girls chosen for membership in Alpha Lambda Delta, a scholastic honorary for sophomore women.

Officers elected by the Evangelical Missionary society were: Minnie Malmsten, president; Ruth Baucom, vice-president; Helen Roland, secretary and Annie Riggins, treasurer.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From The Eagle, Dec. 22, 1939
Joanne Nichols, Timberline editor, won national acclaim this week by being named as one of 10 winners in an editorial writing contest sponsored by Quill and Scroll.

Pupils at the Pleasant Hill school gave a birthday surprise party for Mrs. E. L. Sehorn Friday.

Dorothy Webb received her Majority Degree at Rainbow Girls' Monday with Alice Baker acting as Worthy Advisor for the degree. Lillian Hedman had charge of the Christmas program which was presented. Joanne Nichols sang and Frances Childs gave a reading.

A safe Christmas is a Merry Christmas. Check all wires and connections for home decorations to see that they are in good condition. Don't plug too many cords into one outlet. Never leave tree lights burning when no one is home or when everyone has retired for the night.

Dairy Cows Require Plenty Of Fresh Water

Free access to plenty of fresh water may increase dairy cow production four to eight per cent compared to watering twice daily. Heavy producing dairy cows may require as much as 40 gallons of water each day per head points out Don Coin Walrod, County Extension Agent.

Water that is too cold can cause a drop in production as well as insufficient quantities, as animals and poultry generally will not drink enough to maintain top production.

Animals prefer water that is around 45 degrees or warmer. During periods of freezing weather, heating water is desirable. Water heating is not usually necessary in Western Oregon, indicates Walrod, although some livestock operators have used the practice and say they feel it worthwhile.

Timber Route Unit Has Painting Lesson

The Timber Route Extension Unit met December 14 at the Vernonia Grange hall with the lesson on Textile Painting given by Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Floyd Shulke. There were 15 regular members and one visitor.

Mrs. Oren Weed requested suggestions for program planning for next year's meetings. Mrs. Ed Crawford played the piano and led the singing of Christmas carols for the Christmas party. Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Richard Meyer and Mrs. Donald Reynolds.

The next meeting will be "Appetizing Meals" with the lesson given by Mrs. Bob McDonald and Mrs. Richard Jensen.

Riverview Family Moves To Portland

RIVERVIEW — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunt and family moved to Portland recently. Mr. Tom McLeod of Vernonia, Mrs. Hunt's father, also went to Portland to live with his daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Huntley visited Friday through Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McCool of Bonny Slope.

OSC Students Aid Study Fund

Home economics students at OSC raised \$218.00 during the fall term as part of a "foreign aid" program of their own.

The money will go into a foreign student scholarship fund to help a home economist from another country come to OSC for study.

In addition, the home economics club voted a \$100 award from its treasury to finance home economics studies at Ewha Womans university in Seoul, Korea, for home economics laboratory equipment. Most of the university's belongings were confiscated and destroyed during the war.

Students in every women's living group on campus participated in the "Dollars for Scholars" campaign. They did special household duties such as serving breakfast in bed, giving manicures, sewing, snack making, typing themes and running errands.

In past years, the club has given scholarship aid to foreign students from South Africa and

Japan.

Charlene J. Moore, senior in home economics from Eugene, is president of the OSC Home Economics club. Miss Grayce Coertz, assistant professor of foods and nutrition is adviser.

Daughter Here With Parents

RIVERVIEW — Mrs. Joan Hanson and children have moved here from Eureka, California. At present she is staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Normand.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schalock spent Sunday at the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schalock at Woodburn.

Mrs. Dewey Hunt received word that her husband, Cpl. Hunt arrived at his station in Panama, December 14 after spending several weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kouva and son made a trip to Utah, leaving Saturday and returning Thursday night. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rice at Farmington, Utah and the Mormon Temple at Logan, Utah.

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE!

Vernonia Eagle



A Most Merry Christmas Season Be Yours

Sam's Food Store

BUCK AND ALVILDA
ALICE AND SADIE
JIM AND SLEEPY



Hahn Hardware
GEORGE AND LOUISE



And our sincere best wishes.

1954

Vernonia Drug Company

JACK AND JERRY THOMPSON
HAZEL SHIPMAN — IRENE WILDT



Merry Christmas

May this Yule be happy like ones of old.

Nehalem Dairy



Happy Ukulele!

We hope you may be surrounded by joy and gladness and filled with the warmth Christmas brings to everyone.

Vernonia Service Station

Merry Christmas

1954



And our best wishes for a happy holiday.

Kullander's Jewelry Store



A CHRISTMAS WISH for YOU!

Essie Nance Beauty Shop

AT MILLER'S STORE
Essie and Adrienne