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THIRTEEN YEAR GIRL IS KILLED

Meets Death While Returning Home With Christmas Presents

TRUCK TURNS TURTLE

Marjorie Ellis Pays Supreme Sacrifice While Playing Santa

Marjorie Ellis, daughter of Mrs. Benj. Thomas, of South Tualatin, was instantly killed last Friday evening, about dusk, when the auto truck driven by her step-father, Benj. Thomas, turned over at the south approach of the Jackson Bottom trestle, a short distance north of the Ashwood ranch. The child was thrown from the big machine as it toppled and the windshield frame landed across the child's body. Her neck was broken, doubtless in the fall, and her spine was crushed. Thomas escaped with a few minor bruises.

Thomas had been in the city with a load of wood and the step-child accompanied him and purchased Christmas presents for the folks at home. They left town at dusk and just as they reached the far end of the trestle they met Earl Strong in his auto truck, returning from Scholls. There was ample room for the two to pass, but Thomas' right wheels struck a small path, on an incline, and the big machine skidded and went over the embankment. That there was no collision is evidenced by what Earl Strong and his companion, Young Edce, of North Hillsboro, say. Strong says that they passed without a collision, and this being the case they never looked to the rear and did not know there had been a tragedy until long after they had returned to the city. Strong's character is so well known here that all are satisfied that he would have stopped at once had he even dreamed that there had been trouble.

At first reports in the city it was stated that the wreck was caused by a collision, and that neither machine had lights. Strong says that it was not yet dark enough for lighting up.

Coroner Lindber held an investigation this morning, having waited to ascertain whether or not the father was coming from the East.

Thomas has been associated with a Mr. Burlingame in the wood business and they were hauling mostly to this city.

Marjorie Ellis was twelve years of age last January and she was a general favorite with all

who knew her. She left for home very happy over her Christmas purchases, having satisfactorily played Santa Claus.

Chief Larsen and Sheriff Alexander were on the scene as quick as they received word of the accident and after careful investigation they are satisfied that there was no collision.

John Vanderwal nearly lost his car last Friday, the machine catching fire while he was driving near the city park. John requested a shovel and commenced throwing dirt into the flames and soon had the blaze extinguished, but not until after you could hardly "distinguish" the car, as Art Miltenberger would say.

For Sale—Fine Percheron mare colt, 7 months old; a bargain.—Oral Gardner, Banks, Ore., R. 3, Box 82. Phone North Plains, 9F12. Residence above Mountaineer. 41-43

George Miller, of Cooper Mountain, was up to the city Tuesday afternoon. Geo. was one of the pioneers in the hop business in this district. Geo. spent a few minutes with Sumpter Weathered—and it is supposed they reconstructed both North Carolina and Tennessee.

Will lease my five lots, and the house, furnished, for \$30 per month. Several varieties of berries and small fruit. Phone 2204 Hillsboro. 41-43

Lawrence Bailey, formerly of Cornelius, now of Portland, spent the first of the week with his brother, Daniel Bailey, of South Tualatin. Lawrence recently returned from a California trip.

For Sale—Two-year-old registered Holstein bull, Sir Jewel, Oregon Holstein Farm. Address Hillsboro, Ore., R. 3, Box 58. Phone 41F5. 43

Arthur Knox and J. R. Tompkins, of above Gaston, were here Monday, attending the budget meeting. The boys are feeling good that their valley is not marooned this winter.

For Sale—Sixteen head high grade Cotswold sheep, including buck which cost \$50. Price, \$160 for quick sale.—H. Crosby, between Farmington and Scholls, P. O. Sherwood, R. D. 4. Phone Scholls. 43

Next week Washington County will have reorganization of a new county court—Judge Goodin, John F. Carstens, of Banks, and J. J. Wismer, of Hillsboro.

Cedar posts and wood for sale. Mile from Tobias station. Write to B. Sobolewski, Beaverton, Oregon. 42-44

Joe Hartwick, of Banks, was a county seat caller Tuesday.

BUDGET ASSEMBLY VOTES COURT TAX

Figures Exceed Published Figures by \$564—Cut and Addition

BIGGEST CROWD TO VOTE

County Agricultural Agent Re-elected; Also Public Health Nurse

The largest crowd in the history of budget meetings, for levying taxes met here Monday and voted the 1921 taxation, the vote in money exceeding the official figures by \$564.

This addition to the estimate was made by voting \$1200 for the Gaston-Laurelwood road, after cutting down the Recorder's office estimate in the sum of \$636.

When Judge Goodin called the session to order, T. P. Goodin, Green Lilly and Wm. Schulmerich were named to preside. Mr. Goodin and Mr. Schulmerich resigned and Mr. Lilly was called forward.

Clerk H. A. Kuratli read the official and published budget and the business of the meeting was on. The first motion made was for an amendment for \$1200 for the Gaston-Laurelwood road, but this was defeated, many voting "no" because it was precipitated so early in the game. The motion prevailed to vote the budget item by item, and the work started by accepting the clerk's estimates of his office.

The recorder's estimate for the year was cut in the sum of \$636, leaving a budget of \$4500 for that office.

All other levies remained the same as in the published estimates.

There was a pretty big fight on health nurse. Dr. Hyde made a fight to increase the sum proposed to \$2680, afterward reducing it to \$2100. Both amendments were lost and the \$1500 appropriation was lost on the first ballot by a few votes. Re-consideration, however, passed the sum for the public health nurse at \$1500. Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, of Portland, was present and made a spirited talk in favor of retaining the nurse.

At the last minute the Gaston-Laurelwood road was given County \$1200, the motion prevailing on amendment just before the final vote was taken on the official budget.

The vote for the levy now stands:

Item No. 1, Sheriff's Office—
Salary Sheriff \$1,800 00
Salary Deputy Sheriff 1,500 00
Expenses 2,800 00
Tax Collections 3,300 00
Board of Prisoners, jail expense 1,087 70
Total \$10,487 70

Item 2, Recorder's Office—
Recorder's salary \$1,200 00
Deputy Recorder's salary 1,020 00
Two assistant deputies 1,680 00
Eight Records (Books) 420 00
Machine ribbons & supplies 55 00
Four counter indexes 155 00
Stationery, Postage, etc. 365 00
Two loose leaf typewriters (\$110.25 each) 220 50
Registrar's supplies—estimated 10 00
Total \$5,136 40
Allowed at \$4500 00

Item 3, Treasurer's Office—
Salary of County Treasurer \$1,200 00
Clerk hire 250 00
Stamps, books and supplies 200 00
Total \$1,650 00

Item 4, Assessor's Office—
Salary Assessor \$1,200 00
Salary deputy 1,200 00
Salary assistant deputy 1,020 00
Field Men 2,750 00
Copying field slips 250 00
Copying tax rolls 450 00
Extensions of taxes 550 00
Cost of tax rolls 446 00
Printing—field slips, reports, etc 350 00
Office expenses, miscellaneous 150 00
Total \$8,866 00

Item 5, Superintendent's Office—
Superintendent's salary \$1,200 00
Deputy Supt. salary 1,020 00
Traveling expenses 400 00
Postage, freight and express 350 00
Printing 100 00
Blank books 100 00
Eighth grade examinations 250 00
Industrial Club and Fair 150 00
Institutes 250 00
Library fund at 10c 830 00
School levy at 10c 83,110 00
High School Tuition 47,470 00
Total \$135,230 00

Item 6, Surveyor's Office—
Expenses, supplies, etc. 300 00
Total \$300 00

Item 7, Court House Expense—
Janitors' salaries, fuel, light, repair, etc \$4,500 00
Total \$4,500 00

Item 8, County Court and Commissioners—
Salary County Judge \$4,200 00
Estimated salary Co. Com. 700 00
Estimated salary Co. Comp. 700 00
Expenses of Co. Judge 350 00
Expenses of Co. Com. 350 00

Expenses of Co. Com. 350 00
Clerical help 600 00
Stationery, stamps and supplies 50 00
Total \$1,000 00

Item 9, Circuit Court—
Witnesses, jurors, bailiffs, reporters, etc. \$6,000 00
Juvenile Court 200 00
Justice Court 200 00
Coroner's Office 600 00
Insane 300 00
Total \$7,300 00

Item 10, Clerk's Office—
Salary County Clerk \$1,800 00
Salary Deputy County Clerk 1,500 00
Salary Bookkeeper 1,020 00
Salary Stenographer 1,020 00
Stationery and supplies 1,000 00
Total \$6,340 00

Item 11, Agricultural Agent—
County Agricultural Agent \$2,000 00
Total \$2,000 00

Item 12, County Health Nurse—
County Health Nurse \$1,500 00
Total \$1,500 00

Miscellaneous—
Widows' Pensions \$3,500 00
Health officer 700 00
Local registrars of births and deaths 100 00
Fruit inspector 100 00
Care of poor 8,000 00
Indigent Soldiers' Relief Fund 733 00
Tax rebates 600 00
Bounties 3,000 00
District sealer of weights and measures 303 40
Street and sewer assessments (City of Hillsboro) 1,780 00
Roadmasters, patrolmen, etc. 10,000 00
Rodent control 100 00
Cattle indemnity 1,000 00
Canadian thistles 200 00
Miscellaneous and unforeseen contingencies 6,000 00
Advertising and publishing County Court proceedings 600 00
Auditing county books 800 00
State Fair appropriation 1,000 00
Expense of District Attorney's office 100 00
Estimate of State Tax for the year 1921 110,000 00
County road fund 92,000 00
To be applied on warrant Indebtedness 20,000 00
Bridges 20,000 00
Machinery 7,234 54
Total \$475,961 04

Estimated auto fees, to be applied on Dairy Creek fill, bridges, and highway repair \$16,000 00
Estimated fees and fines 12,000 00
Total \$28,000 00

Estimated amount of tax to be levied outside of 6 per cent constitutional limitation—
Market road fund, levied by county (to match state appropriation) 41,253 66
Market road fund, levied by state 29,302 48
Soldiers' and sailors' educational fund 5,860 50
Two mill levy for higher educational fund 58,604 96
Two mill levy for elementary school fund 68,604 96
Total \$193,626 56

Appropriations from Market Road Fund—
Hillsboro-Laurel road \$5,000 00
Scholls-Portland road 5,000 00
Hillsboro to Groner's 5,000 00
Hillsboro-Sherwood road 3,000 00
Sherwood-Kruger road 2,000 00
Banks-Buxton road 5,000 00
Gales Creek road 5,000 00
Cornelius-Bloomington road 3,000 00
Farmington-Hazeldeale road 5,000 00
Hillsboro-Gothich road 5,000 00
North Plains-Portland road 5,000 00
Scottish Valley road 1,000 00
Patton Valley road 1,000 00
Theater road 2,000 00
From highway at Masonic Home to Christie Station 4,000 00
Laurelwood-Gaston rd. \$1200 00

The total sum of appropriations made by the budget meeting was \$771,051.20, and of this sum \$28,000 will come from the state on auto fees and estimated fees and licenses accruing to circuit court and to the clerk's and recorder's offices, so that the real sum to be raised by taxation will be \$743,051.20. Of this sum over \$238,300 goes to the county schools, the higher educational institutions, the elementary schools and the soldiers' and sailors' educational fund. This is practically one-third of the entire levy.

Judge Goodin told why the court bought the steam shovel, and contends that in the long run it will be a money saver, as it will make many fills that now have to be bridged every few years. The investment is one that has been made by the most progressive counties in the state, and will pay for itself many times over.

Fred Heidel, of Summit, above Corvallis, came down last week to remain thro the Holidays. Fred is the same genial old scout and his visit here is always a signal for all the oldtimers to get together and talk over all times, old loves, old troubles—Fred says that love and trouble always go together—and hold consolation parties. Fred visited the K. P.'s Monday night to help take a tyro across the burning sands. He returns in a few days and feels that he has had the time of his young life.

N. J. Pierson, of Beaverton, R. I., was in the city Monday and called on the home paper.

Clem Shaner was in from Jolly Plains Tuesday.

AUTOMOBILE SHOW CLOSES TO-NIGHT

First County Exhibit in Hillsboro a Big Success

CARS SHINE RESPONDENT

Huge Building Full of Standard Makes of Automobiles

The Washington County Automobile Ass'n. tonight closes its three days of automobile show with success written for the initial attempt to show the general public "who is who and what is what" in the motor world.

The officers of the association are to be congratulated on the splendid showing—and it was a good show as anyone could put up considering the size of the city. The big garage building of Peterson Bros. was nicely lighted and decorated and the dealers had their exhibits shining like mirrors. It is just such a show as Portland has with the exception of size—and how more machines could have been shown with credit is hard to realize considering that the big rooms were fairly well occupied as it was.

Nine dealers are represented, with eleven makes of machines, and there are 43 cars on exhibit. The association will have another big show next year, perhaps here and perhaps at Forest Grove and fears of failure are no longer felt for the visitors have proclaimed this a success of the first magnitude.

The dealers and makes of cars taking space in the big exhibit: Peterson Bros., Studebakers and Hudsons, 6 cars and one chassis;

E. L. Perkins, Oldsmobiles, Overlands and Knight-Wyllis, 7 cars;

D. Corwin, Nash, 4 cars; Otto Erickson & Co., Fords, 4 types cars;

M. P. Cady, Dodge Bros., 3 cars and one chassis;

Pranger & Co., Oaklands, 3 cars;

Losil & Schlattman, Buicks, 2 cars;

A. H. Rasmussen, Used Cars, 3 on exhibit.

The foregoing are all Hillsboro dealers.

Forest Grove was represented by the following: Taylor Bros., Clevelands, 2 cars;

Wiles Auto Co., Chevrolets, 3 cars.

Walkers' Orchestra, of Forest Grove, regaled the visitors afternoon and evening with music—and the big show closes its doors at midnight tonight.

ART SAYS

That the five thousand dollars voted for the improvement of that Gotlieb road was one of the finest Christmas presents he ever received—and he will now relinquish the idea of buying a flying machine to carry the mail on Route 1.

That all the mail carriers handled the largest mail this year ever received on the rural routes.

And that, speaking of rural routes he thinks Route 1 has more real honest-to-the Lord musicians and yodelers than any other route in Uncle Sam's domains—for every other man on the route is a Swiss.

Pigeons for Sale—Three pairs Runt Homers and 5 pairs Carmels, \$2 per pair. Inquire at 1737 Railroad St. 44

O. E. Frank, of Reedville, who is always a baseball fan in and out of season, was up to the city Tuesday.

Have an automobile, Moon, light Six, new this Summer; in perfect condition; will trade for dairy cattle or hay. Call on or write "Cattle Exchange," Dr. J. E. Reedy, Tillamook, Ore. For further particulars see Emmott & Stout, or Kuratli & Wismer, at Hillsboro. 37-44

C. F. Smith, of Washington St., knows how it feels to get full of gas fumes. Sunday a leak in the meter at his home caused some trouble and C. F. went into the kitchen, where he was soon overcome. The family soon had him where fresh air relieved him. Gas leaks are likely to appear at any time and people having meters should learn the ropes and know how to shut the current off when anything happens. It is safe to say that not one in a dozen would know what to do in case of emergency.

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Grain, Hay, Flour, Feed and Grain Bags
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Lumber, Shingles and Lath
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The Best Flour at the Lowest Prices.
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FOREST GROVE NATIONAL BANK

FOREST GROVE, ORE.
STATEMENT OF CONDITION
At Call of the Comptroller, September 3, 1920

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$516,042.41	Capital	\$25,000.00
U. S. and Other Bonds	206,216.34	Surplus	\$50,000.00
Banking House	19,237.00	Undivided Profits	\$18,126.08
Other Real Estate	1,850.00		\$83,126.08
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank	2,250.00	Circulation	\$25,000.00
Cash and due from Banks	278,955.49	Deposits	\$06,425.16
	\$1,024,551.24		\$1,024,551.24

Only Roll of Honor Bank in Washington County
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VICTROLAS
Are, and always have been, the world leaders
VICTROLAS
Are sold on easy terms—a small payment down, balance monthly. Call and let us demonstrate them to you.
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Watches Silverware Novelties

Prompt Repairing

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JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
Main Street Hillsboro, Oregon

Starts you in Our **CHRISTMAS CLUB**

Next Christmas you will have **\$63.75** Get it!

HOW YOU GET \$63.75

Come in NOW and start with 5 cents. Next week put in 10 cents. INCREASE your deposit 5 cents a week for 50 weeks. Next December you will have \$63.75.

The following "tables" explain the different clubs:

INCREASING CLUB PLAN

Put in 1c, 2c, 5c or 10c the first week. INCREASE your deposit 1c, 2c, 5c or 10c each week. In 50 weeks:

1c Club pays \$12.75	5c Club pays \$ 63.75
2c Club pays \$25.50	10c Club pays \$127.50

EVEN AMOUNT CLUB PLAN

Put in SAME AMOUNT each week. In 50 weeks:

25c Club pays \$12.50	\$2 Club pays \$100
50c Club pays \$25.00	\$5 Club pays \$250
\$1 Club pays \$50.00	\$10 Club pays \$500

\$20.00 Club pays \$1,000.00

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