

## LOAD FAMILY IN CAR FOR "GET-TOGETHER"

All County Meeting Will Be Held  
Sunday at Park

## UNION SERVICE FEATURE

Every Resident, Man, Woman  
and Child Is Invited to  
Attend Big Picnic

Hundreds of persons, farmers and business men and their families, are expected to attend the first "All County Get-Together" at the Shute park, Hillsboro, next Sunday. A program attractive to all has been arranged and, according to the way it is being received all over the county, it is assured of being a success.

### Service at 11

A union church service will be held at 11 o'clock in the morning when the Rev. Floyd E. Dorris of Portland will deliver the sermon. The Rev. M. A. Marcy will be service chairman, Dr. J. H. Rossman will lead in the song service, scripture reading will be given by Rev. Len Fishback, and the Rev. Young will give the invocation.

The "Victory Quartet" of the Free Methodist church will furnish several numbers also.

Eleven of Hillsboro's churches are cooperating with the Hillsboro chamber of commerce and Hillsboro grange in putting the get-together over in a manner that will make everyone want to make it an annual or semi-annual affair.

Governor Pierce and Dr. George Parrish, Portland city health officer, will be the speakers in the afternoon, and R. Frank Peters, president of the Hillsboro chamber of commerce, will act as chairman. The afternoon program begins at 1:30.

### Hold Basket Lunch

A basket lunch will be held under the trees in the park in case of good weather, and should it rain the auditorium will be used. Someone is going to be lucky enough to have the governor eat with them, so better put in an extra piece of chicken.

Every resident of Washington county, man, woman and child, is invited to attend the big picnic. Hillsboro has found a big thing and wants to let others in on it. You can't afford to miss this big play day, for all of the county—forceful talks, union church service, picnic lunch and old friendships as well as new.

## FOOTBALL TURNOUT GOOD

Prospects Declared Good For A  
Winning Team

About 30 turned out for the first high school football practice Tuesday night and additional equipment is the only thing needed to bring the number up to 50.

Prospects are exceptionally good for a championship contender this year, according to Coach Goodman, who says that the team will better last year's record of only one defeat. Only three lettermen were lost to the coach by graduation and as he had a large first string eleven last year he now has 15 "H" men scampers around after the ball.

## CELEBRATE TRIPLE EVENT

West Side Highway Detour Will  
Be Buried With Honors

The completion of the West Side Pacific Highway will be celebrated in Monmouth tomorrow with a big triple celebration. Defense Day will be observed and the new Helmick state park will be dedicated.

Governor Pierce, the highway commission and other distinguished citizens will participate in the afternoon program. There will be sports in the morning and a basket lunch at noon. The completion of the highway means that Hillsboro has a paved highway direct to the California line.

### Circulate Petitions

Petitions are being circulated calling on M. P. Cady to run for mayor of Hillsboro and for O. Phelps to again enter the field for city council. It is felt that Phelps has made such a splendid record and accomplished so much during the time that he has been on that the city needs his service. The petitions are receiving a lot of signers.

## CHAMBER TO CONTINUE UNION SCHOOL SUPPORT

Business Men Sign Up As Body  
to Parade On Defense Day

That the union high school movement be continued and that financial support be given, was the decision made by the chamber of commerce at the first fall meeting last Thursday night. Finis Brown will take charge of the work.

The chamber of commerce voted to sign up as a body to parade on Defense Day.

The civic improvement, "get-together," publicity and industrial committee submitted a report of the work accomplished by them and they indicated a big year for the chamber.

### Road Meet At Chamber

A double highway loop meeting will be held in the Hillsboro chamber of commerce rooms Monday at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that everyone who is interested in a new and better route to Tillamook will be present. Delegates from Forest Grove, Portland, Beaverton, Timber and Vernonia will be present.

## LITTLE INCREASE IN SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Crowded Conditions Appear in  
Several Grades

## FRESHMAN CLASS SMALLER

Gym Classes Will Not Be  
Organized Until Dressing Rooms  
Are Remodeled

The city schools are practically settled into the year's work. There is no heavy increase in enrollment. On Wednesday morning there were 540 in the grades and 310 in the high school. First day enrollment last year was 494 in the grades and 303 in the high school.

### Grades Crowded

Crowded conditions appear in the following grades: Miss Young, grade 3 north side, 37; Miss Jones, grades 1A and 2A 35; and at Oak street school, Mrs. Bride, grade 3, 37; and grade 7A departmental, 45. An effort is being made to adjust these difficulties without the employment of another teacher, but it may not be possible. It may be necessary to move another grade bodily from the Oak street school to the north side even though the pupils live nearer the Oak street school. Possibly by fitting up the bell room as a recitation room only, may help 7A.

At the high school there are 102 freshmen, compared with 120 last year, while the sophomore class is correspondingly larger than last year, numbering 86. Seniors number 56 and juniors 66. The organization work is about complete except for the gym classes, which will not be organized until the dressing rooms have been remodeled.

## FOREST GROVE CLUB GETS ROTARY CHAPTER

Hillsboro Rotarians May Make  
Official Delivery of  
Charter

Word has been received by the Forest Grove Rotary club that the organization has been duly elected a member of the Rotary International, No. 1815, and plans are already in order relative to a celebration of the granting of the charter.

The charter will probably be turned over to the Hillsboro Rotary club or McMinnville for official delivery in the Charter day celebration. No definite date has yet been set for the ceremonies.

President Hoffman of the new organization attended the Rotary council meeting in Hoquiam, Washington, the latter part of the week.

### Files Acceptance

J. E. (Jap) Reeves, often called one of Washington county's best sheriffs, has filed his acceptance of the democratic nomination of the office of county sheriff. He received an overwhelming vote in the last election by voters who wrote in his name.

Joe Lepschat of Forest Grove was a county seat visitor Friday.

## DEFENSE DAY HOURS CHANGED FROM 2 TO 4

Business Houses Will Be Closed  
At That Time

## PARADE TO ASSEMBLE AT 2

A. E. Clark of Portland is Speaker  
and E. B. Tongue is  
Chairman of Day

The time for holding the exercises in observance of Defense Day in Hillsboro has been changed from the hours of 1 to 3 o'clock as originally set to from 2 to 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Hillsboro business houses will be closed during that time.

### Speaker Forceful

A. E. Clark of Portland, a member of the American Legion and of the bar association, will be the speaker of the day. E. B. Tongue will act as chairman of the exercises which will be held in the courtyard.

The parade which will assemble at the courtyard at 2 o'clock, will be headed by the Muscovite drum corps and organized by Morris Weil. Various organizations have signed up as a body to participate in the parade. Records will be kept of the turnout in the various towns.

### Give Flag Salute

The flag salute will be given. The flag salute is as follows: "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

The schools will close work at 1:30, at which time Professor A. B. McReynolds of Texas will speak to them. They will then be dismissed either to parade or do as their conscience may decide.

## FORMER RESIDENT OF COUNTY DIED TODAY

R. B. Goodin, State Officer For  
Many Years, Well Known  
in County

R. B. Goodin, former resident of Washington county and well known here, where he has several brothers, died in Portland this morning.

He was born near Prescott, Ontario, Canada, ten miles from Ogdensburg, New York, November 4, 1852, and moved with his parents to Wilburn, Nebraska, in October, 1873. He came to this county in April of 1876.

Mr. Goodin married Miss Elma Freeman, daughter of a pioneer family, in 1878, near what is now North Plains. She died in 1894. To this union three daughters were born—Lena, of Portland; Mrs. Lillian Cooley of Pendleton; and Mrs. Flossie Goodmiller of Seattle.

In the year of 1895 he married Miss Ella Buck, who survives him. To this union two children were born—R. B., Jr., of Salem, and Miss Margaret of Portland.

He was a resident of Cornelius for a number of years, in the employ of the late Colonel T. R. Cornelius. He was elected county clerk in June, 1892, serving four years. In 1896 he was appointed supervisor of the Oregon state hospital, and had been in the employ of the state ever since. He was promoted to the secretaryship of the state board of control and served in that capacity for many years and until he was appointed superintendent of the State School for the Adult Blind, which position he had only held for several months.

He is survived by three brothers and two sisters. They are County Judge J. W. Goodin of Hillsboro, W. A. Goodin of near Orengo; Mrs. Ida Oldfield of Los Angeles and Mrs. Estella Elkins of Prineville.

He was a member of Tuality Lodge A. F. & A. M., of Hillsboro, and of Montezuma Lodge I. O. O. F., of Hillsboro; also a charter member of the Eastern Star.

The funeral services will be held in the Methodist church here Saturday morning, about 10 o'clock, and interment will be in the cemetery at the Tualatin Plains Presbyterian church.

F. B. Thiele and family of near Minter bridge were in town today.

## SCORES OF ANSWERS ON MOST HORRIBLE SIN ARE TURNED IN

Some Have Been Warm and  
Others Have Missed It a  
Couple of Miles

Everyone has a different idea as to what comprises the "Most Horrible Sin in the World." Many have been the answers and varied. The majority of them deal with religious life.

Some have tried to get information on it from the editor, even offering inducements. Some have been warm, others have missed it a mile, some have gone from the sublime to the ridiculous.

A few of the answers that have been turned in are as follows: "Ingratitude," "Ingratitude to God," "Reckless Driving," "Disowning Christ," "Unbelief," "Not Studying the Bible," "Dishonesty," "Rejection of the Holy Ghost," "Birth Control as Practiced by Women of Today," "The Real Mrs. Satan is Unbelief," "Money," "Divorce," "Murder," "Unjust Cruelty," "Deceit," "Avarice," "Race Suicide," "Being Fat," "Bob-tail Flush," "Shaving a Man With a Dull Razor," "Lying," "Any American who Votes for LaFollette," "Disloyalty," "Dope," "Bearing False Witness Against Your Neighbor," "Indifference to Religious Life," "Envy," "Slandering," "Exacting the Life Penalty of an Innocent Man," and "Neglect."

## TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT IS OPENED

George Baker Pleaded Guilty  
And Was Given Usual \$500  
And Six Months

The fall term of circuit court opened this week with Judge George R. Bagley on the bench, after holding a brief session in Tillamook.

Jurors trying the first case, which was that of the state versus Mike Nirikka on a booze charge, were Page Gardner, C. E. Maynard, John Maurer, Fred Buchner, A. Dysle, J. C. Bechen, James Sewell, Daniel Deaville, August Hickethier, Ella King, Milton E. Haas and J. W. Vandervelden. Nirikka was found guilty after a two day jury trial.

George Baker, also indicted on a liquor charge, pleaded guilty and was fined \$500 and given six months in the county jail. He was later paroled on payment of \$100 and costs.

### Cases Dismissed

The case of Harriet Reid versus Roy L. Chapman, et ux, Florence Clary versus Ed Fenton, Fred Croissant versus Thora Le Beau and husband, Hare, McAlair and Peters versus Werner Brahl, and Flora Munford versus J. W. Vandervelden were dismissed.

A divorce was given Annie Christopher versus Dave Christopher.

A divorce was also granted Eldon Niles versus Stella Niles.

An order was given in the case of Francis Johnson versus William D. Van Antwerp, order of default to George B. Johnson versus B. F. Clay. An order of default, judgment and decree was given Mark T. Cox versus R. E. Loomis et al. Order of default and decree was given G. E. Upper versus S. H. Kaufman. C. A. Barr was appointed receiver in the case of W. G. Schantz versus A. C. Lohmire. An order was given in the divorce case of Frances Fisk versus Wiley B. Fisk. An order of confirmation was given in the case of state versus Charles Moullet et al. An order allowing plaintiff to amend was given in the case of Clara Nitschke versus Dora J. Elliott.

## JUDGE McCAMANT COMING

Will Speak Before Rotary Club  
At Dinner

Judge Wallace McCamant will be the speaker at a Rotary club dinner to be given in the local Congregational church next Thursday evening. This will be in the nature of an observance of Constitution Week, September 14 to 20. William G. Hare will act as chairman. The Rotary ladies will also attend.

O. C. Reiter, father of City Engineer C. G. Reiter of this city, spoke to the Rotarians this noon on his avocation, which is photography and birds.

Mrs. C. F. Doughty of Portland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Richard Carlile, this week.

## BANKS SHOW WILL START WEDNESDAY

Day Is Set Aside for Children  
And Club Exhibits

## GOVERNOR IS TO SPEAK

More Exhibitors Than Ever Before  
Will Try For  
Prizes

The Banks Hog and Dairy show, which this year includes the School Fair, the Calf and Pig club exhibits and the Grange Fair, will start next Wednesday and will last over Friday, and promises to be the most successful from every standpoint that has ever been held in the county.

### Wednesday Children's Day

Wednesday is scheduled as Children's day and special emphasis will be placed on the Calf and Pig club exhibits on that day as well as the school exhibits, which will be placed in a new building along with the grange exhibits.

Governor Walter Pierce will be the principal attraction on Thursday, when he is slated to give an address. A big free barbecue will also be held on that day. Baseball games, races and other contests will be the main feature on Friday.

### Officials Enthusiastic

The number of exhibitors already signed up are more than on hand last year and the officials of the fair are enthusiastic over the prospects for a successful fair. Everything is combining this year to make it a real success, what with the installation of electric lights in the thriving town in the northern part of the county, better roads, and more exhibitors. International winners will be there and everything of interest at a fair.

Granges that will have booths are Gales, Washington, Banks, Dilley and Kinton.

The premium list is practically the same this year as in previous years.

## ALFALFA YIELDS CAUSE CONSIDERABLE INTEREST

Source of Green Feed Provided  
During the Dry Summer  
Months

(O. T. McWhorter)

Alfalfa yields on the farm of Sherman Hyre, at Newton station, for this year show 5,690 lbs. for the first cutting, made May 7; 4,320 pounds for the second cutting, June 11, and 2,200 pounds for the third cutting the latter part of July, making a total of six tons, and 210 pounds for the season. On Fred Sewell's farm north of Hillsboro the first crop yielded 5,960 pounds cut May 16, the second cutting made June 28, 2,160 pounds, and the third cutting August 3, 2,480 pounds, making a total of five tons and 600 pounds for the three cuttings.

Mr. Hyre has cut a light fourth crop, and Mr. Sewell will have a light fourth crop for green feed.

A number of field meetings have been held in Washington county to inspect the alfalfa in different localities, and groups of Marion and Yamhill county farmers were here last month for the same purpose.

Many farmers are becoming interested in alfalfa, because it is a continuous source of green feed during the dry summer months. Those contemplating planting alfalfa next year should, where possible, use land which has been cultivated this year. Such land need not be plowed, as a light discing or harrowing will serve to put it in condition next spring. The ideal alfalfa seed bed is one having a firm soil underneath with a light mulch on top. Where land is to be plowed for alfalfa it is best to do the plowing in the fall and cultivate with light tillage instruments in the spring previous to seeding. Lime should be used at the rate of 1,000 to 3,000 pounds per acre.

### Brown Badly Burned

Leonard Brown of Hillsboro was severely burned about the face and hands Thursday afternoon, while heating solder in a gasoline blow torch when engaged in work on the school house at Cornelius. He used his head at all times or injuries might have been more, severe, for he was on a scaffold about 30 feet from the ground and might have sustained a bad fall.

## HOLD ROAD MEETING AT KINTON GRANGE

All County Road Supervisors are  
Invited to Attend Meet  
on Saturday

A big road meeting will be held at the Kinton Grange hall Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. It will be sort of a good roads meeting with the new water grade route around Caldwell hill as a model. This route is two and a half miles long and through the timber, and is of great value to the people of Scholls.

A parade will start at 1 o'clock and will go out over the old road and back over the new. A member of the state highway commission will be present as well as some representative of the state highway engineering department. All of the road supervisors in the county are also invited to attend.

There will be 20 gallons of ice cream and lots of cake for everyone, according to Ferd Groner, who was in town Wednesday.

## A. B. SPITLER KILLED BY FALLING TIMBER

Was Trying to Warn Others of  
the Danger

## PROMINENT TIMBER MAN

Had Been Resident for More  
Than 13 Years, and Active  
in Community Affairs

While attempting to warn the men working under him of a falling tree, A. B. Spitler, 50, prominent resident of Timber, was struck on the head by a falling timber Friday, in the woods near Timber, and killed instantly. His skull was fractured.

### Member School Board

He was born November 12, 1874, in Manchester, Iowa, where he lived nearly all the time until he came to Timber. He has lived at Timber for 13 years and had taken an active part in the community's affairs. Mr. Spitler was a member of the school board at the time of his death and had been a road supervisor and justice of the peace.

He is survived by the widow and eight children living at Timber, besides a brother and a sister in Iowa.

The funeral services were held at the Limber chapel Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the Hillsboro cemetery.

## ESTATES ARE PROBATED

Old Resident Who Died in Sweden  
Left \$20,000 Estate

The estate of Alfred Erickson, county resident who died in Sweden August 4, has been admitted to probate. He left an estate valued at \$20,000. Grant C. Larson, a brother, who lives out south of Hillsboro, was named as one of the heirs.

Other estates admitted to probate were those of Arthur C. Weston, Fred Stark, George Zimmerman and Charlotta D. Cabler.

### Return From Europe

Miss Bessie Cunningham and Miss Lenora Cunningham of Sherwood have just returned from a three months' visit in Europe. From Sherwood they visited Montreal, Canada, and sailed from Montreal to Glasgow, Scotland, where they visited the home of Bobby Burns at Ayr and drove by coach through English Lake district, home of the poets, to London. While in London they visited the Oxford college. From London they went by airplane to Paris, 225 miles, in two and one-half hours. While in Paris they visited Versailles, Nice and Monte Carlo. From Paris they went to Italy, where they visited Genoa, Naples, Mt. Vesuvius, Venice, Florence, the ruined city of Pompeii, Switzerland and the Catacombs of Rome. They came back to Paris and sailed from Cherbourg to New York, and visited Boston and Toronto and returned through the Canadian Rockies to Portland.

Earl Hobbs, who is in charge of the Trask river survey, has been down here for several days. He will return to the survey tomorrow.

Alfred Fuller, head of Fuller Brush company, Hartford, Connecticut, has been visiting his brother, H. L. Fuller, and family, near Moffatt, this week.

## MINDS OF CURIOUS WILL BE RELIEVED

Professor McReynolds Will Talk  
Friday Night

## SOME HITS ARE GIVEN

Lecture To Be Given Under Auspices of  
Christian Endeavor

Professor A. B. McReynolds of Texas will tell what he believes is "The Most Horrible Sin in the World" at the Christian church tomorrow night (Friday) at 8 o'clock.

### Traveled Afar

Mr. McReynolds has been in every state west of the Mississippi, through Canada and in Old Mexico. Thousands have attempted to guess the most horrible sin, but no one has yet succeeded. He told some of the people in Hillsboro that he hoped some one would guess it while he is here for he is anxious to get rid of the five dollar gold piece which he has been carrying with him from city to city, offering it to the one who guesses what the most horrible sin is.

In order to give some boy or girl, or man or woman, a better chance to win the \$5.00 he decided that he would give them hints on the question. "When I say the most horrible sin in the world," he said, "I mean the sin that causes the most sorrow, the sin that breaks the most hearts, the sin that sends more mothers to premature graves than any other sin. It is a very common sin, one that many people commit, some people every day in their life. Now I have told you about everything except the answer itself, and that's what I want you to do," he said. "Write your guesses on a piece of paper and bring them with you to the church Friday night if you don't want to go to the trouble of taking them down to the Argus office. But remember, that the first one who guesses correctly will be the one who will be given the five dollars Friday night."

Wherever he goes, Mr. McReynolds is greeted with packed houses. Hundreds have been turned away for lack of room.

Preceding the lecture the five dollar gold piece will be given to the one who guessed what the most horrible sin is. This lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor of the Christian church.

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