

## ADDRESS ON FOREST PROTECTION GIVEN

"Individual's Responsibility," Subject

**CHAMBER AIDS IN WORK**  
Archibald Whisnant, Secretary Of Pacific Logging Congress, Speaker

"The Individual's Responsibility in American Forest Week," was the subject of an address before the forum luncheon of the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce, Monday by Archibald Whisnant, of Portland, secretary of the Pacific Logging Congress. The Chamber, by unanimous vote, ordered the address printed in circular form for general distribution in order to aid in the work.

Chaiky Newton, boy scout, gave a reading on forest protection. He was introduced by Rev. M. A. Marcy, boy scout leader. O. T. McWhorter was chairman of the luncheon.

### The Address

The people of Hillsboro have every reason to be proud of this city this week, for it is exemplifying to the highest degree that rare virtue, consideration of the affairs of others.

When I was requested to appear before your body I made inquiries as to what you were doing in the matter of observing American Forest Week. My investigations have convinced me that if all communities, such as yours, and those of greater or less importance in the affairs of men, were swayed by the same high and noble impulse which has animated you, there would be no need of proclamations by the president of the United States, by the governor of this state, and other dignitaries in public life, to warn the nation against continued and thoughtless devastation of its wooded areas.

There is something inspiring in the thought that a community like Hillsboro, which has no intimate relation with the lumber industry, other than it is within vision of vast timber areas, and that it sees daily the prosperity which follows the legitimate development of this great industry as the products of the mills pass through it on the railroad, or by the presence of the men coming and going to the camps and mills where the work is performed,—it is inspiring, I say, to find such a community realizing the basic truth written in the Good Book, "No man liveth to himself and no man dieth to himself."

During my younger days, and also in latter years, it has been my pleasure to turn to the pages of the Good Book, not from any particular religious urge or longing to solve the mysteries of immortality, nor probably to discover paths of rectitude—although the detours I have made at times have been eloquent arguments for improved highways of righteousness—but rather because its pages contain truths which we struggle to understand now, and which evidently were understood thousands of years ago.

I am told that this community is organized thoroughly for American Protection Week. That is the subject before us today. It will again become the subject on Thursday when the Rotarians discuss the question at their meeting. Your schools have been organized and your children will be taught the lesson. Your Boy Scouts, are taking an active interest in the work. We have just had the pleasure of listening to one of them. Probably more has been done than this of which I have not been advised, but I want to assure you that your entire preparation is inspiring evidence that you do not need men from outside to bring this truth home to you.

I have not been told whether or not the preachers of your community intend to deliver, or have delivered, sermons in which this subject will be the theme—if they have not I advise them to find some suitable text for a discourse on the subject. Texts are in the Good Book on forest protection as are texts for almost any discussion on right living between man.

The book of Joel, only two or three chapters long, paints a vivid picture of the devastation which follows carelessness. It would be well if all of us take down the old Bible, dust it off, and read the warnings

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Harley Peterson accompanied by his brother, Frank Peterson of Walla Walla, left yesterday for a fishing trip at North Bend. They expect to return with the limit the first of the week.

Dr. Ira Barrett and family of Tigard were guests, of Miss Deborah Barrett Sunday.

## School Election Is Called For Tuesday

Voters To Decide Whether Or Not They Want Additional Grade Unit

Whether or not Hillsboro wants to meet the needs of the school children in the district for additional grade units will be decided at a special election called for next Tuesday between the hours of 2:30 to 7:30 o'clock in the high school building.

A favorable vote will authorize the school board to construct an addition to the two-room grade unit on the high school grounds, consisting of four rooms and a heating plant, and to purchase the needed equipment, and to issue interest bearing warrants amounting to \$13,000 in payment. A plan of the addition may be seen in the window of the Shute Savings Bank.

## COUNTY STUDENTS COMPETE SATURDAY

Winners of Sectional Contests Entered

**MANY SPELLERS MATCHED**

**Lois Tuttle of Forest Grove First Among High Schools Class A in Declamation**

Saturday was a big day for the school students of Washington county. The winning contestants of spelling and declamation in the various sectional contests met in the annual contest at the Hillsboro High School. There were 108 grade contestants.

### Have Four Firsts

There were four first place winners in division three of the spelling. None of these four could be spelled down. There were also three firsts in division two and two firsts each in division one and division four.

In division one of the declamation contest those securing places were: Alano Signs, Hillsboro, first; Frances Marvin, Aloha, second; Hollis Martin, Gaston, third. Division two, Claribel Whitehead, Forest Grove, first; Lucille Johnson, Aloha, second; Gilbert Priest, Hillsboro, third. Division three, James Underwood, Beaverton, first; Dewdrop Cheek, Hillsboro, second; Valera Troxdale, Bend, third.

### Weirick Second

Lois Tuttle of Forest Grove was first in high school division A and William Weirick of Hillsboro was second. Isabel McLeod, Gaston, was first in high school class B.

The spelling winners were: Fourth grade—Millie Wallen, first; Blanche Finigan, district 2, second; Gladys Lazotte, third.

Fifth grade—Doris Wells, Aloha, first; Gladys Pieren, district 55, third.

Sixth grade—Beatrice Woodruff, Lascella Omacht, Lulu Levinson, Jennie Nilson tied for first place.

Seventh grade—Evelyn Cropp, district 37, first; Grace McCormick, district 97, second; Clarence Langer, third.

## Tests Rank School

High School Tied For Third Place With Miss Catlin's

A report of interest to the citizens of Hillsboro in connection with the standard of work being done by the high school has just been received from the Oregon council of English. For a number of years colleges have been requiring entrance examinations in English.

Last year was the first attempt to make these tests uniform and a rating of 64 high schools of the state enrolling at least five students in the colleges gives Hillsboro tied with Miss Catlin's school, Portland, for third place. The two schools ranking above are the H. S. of Commerce, of Portland, and Wallowa high school. In the test the average number of errors per student was 24.46. Hillsboro, 17.66, H. S. Commerce 16.25, Wallowa 13.2. Punctuation, grammar, good use, and spelling were considered.

### Forest Week Display

A splendid picturization of the effects of carelessness in the woods is shown by the display of the Boy Scouts in the window of the building at Second and Main streets. The display shows the forest and the camp "before," and then "after," is pictured by burned off timber. "Cause" also has its place and is shown as matches, cigarettes and cigars, etc.

## Argus Cooking School Which Will Open Tomorrow Afternoon, Attracting Attention Among Women Of City

The Home Service Department of the Portland Gas & Coke Company has been very busy this week making preliminary arrangements for the Hillsboro Argus Cooking School which will convene in the Chamber



Mrs. Rose Bartlett, Demonstrator

of Commerce Assembly Room at Hillsboro, Friday afternoon, May 1, at 2 o'clock. The assembly room ordinarily accommodates about one hundred people, but additional chairs have been procured so that at least one hundred and fifty ladies can be comfortably seated.

The first announcement of the Argus cooking school has already attracted a great deal of attention and many housewives have expressed their intention to attend the four lessons. No reservations are being

made, so that those earliest in attendance will receive preference in seating locations, although it will be possible for all in attendance to hear the lecture and view the demonstrations from any place in the room.

The old adage, "The way to a man's heart is through his stomach" may be a realization in many Hillsboro homes following the classes. However, the men need not feel alarmed that their wives will experiment on them in the preparation of new dishes because quite to the contrary experiment is eliminated in modern cookery, according to Mrs. Rose Bartlett, who will deliver the class lectures.

The menu for Friday's class will be as follows: Biscuits, orange biscuits, coffee cake, apple cake, pigs in a blanket, nut bread, and corn bread or Johnny cake. Talk on types of quick bread batters and doughs. Batters—Hot cake and waffles, displaying waffle iron and hot cake griddles, explaining advantages. Doughs—Biscuits and breakfast cakes.

A printed recipe sheet for each lesson will be furnished those in attendance at the school. Be sure to bring your pencils for making extra notes when desired. Note paper will be furnished those who wish it. There will be a complete change of program at each class.

Don't forget the time and place—chamber of commerce rooms, at 2 P. M.

The demonstration will close promptly at 3:30 so that you may keep any other appointments. The second class will be held Tuesday afternoon in the chamber rooms and third the following Friday.

## ECONOMIC TREND INTERESTS FARMERS

Agriculture Outlook Better Than Usual

**BUYING POWER IS MORE**

**Land Values To Point Where Speculation Chances Have Disappeared**

Oregon farmers are taking a more active interest in the probable total production, the probable consumption, the exportable surplus, and the price trends of the particular commodities they produce.

To help them understand the situation as it exists now, as well as its present trend, facts bearing on it have been assembled by a committee of the extension service under the direction of R. S. Beese, farm management specialist. The facts were gathered by the federal agricultural statistician for Oregon, the heads of departments of the Oregon experiment station, the county agricultural agents and the federal department of agriculture.

As a whole, the agricultural outlook for 1925 is more favorable than it has been for five years. The purchasing power of farm products more nearly balances the cost of things farmers buy than it has at any time during this period. In December, 1924, the relative wholesale price of non-agricultural commodities was 157, or 57 points above the pre-war level, while the farm price of 30 farm products on the same date stood at 139 or 39 points above pre-war condition.

The purchasing power of farm products for 1924 was 86, which was 5 points better than that of 1923, and 10 points better than that of 1922, and 14 points better than it was in 1921.

As analyzed by the United States department of agriculture, this economic viewpoint and interest has been encouraged by the following facts: farming has long since passed the self-sufficing stage and has entered the big world channels of trade. An economy program was forced by several years of hardships and economic depression. Land values have reached the point where their former opportunities of increase and speculation have disappeared (at least for some years), making it necessary for operator to show a profit from production alone.

Corn acreage will be slightly increased. It can be safely expanded to meet feeding demands.

The 1924 Oregon oat crop is short. Indications are that acreage will increase from 10 to 12 per cent.

### Shows "Pepper-Box"

One of the old time six-shooters is on display in the Argus window. It looks so much like a cannon that the very sight of it would make one shake in his boots. The gun is of the cap and ball variety. The weapon is owned by W. V. Bergen.

## HILLSBORO LOSES PITCHING BATTLE

Camas Noses Out Local Team 4 to 3

**VANCOUVER PLAYS HERE**

Lineup Bolstered For Game Here And Good Game Is Expected By Fans

Hillsboro lost to Camas last Sunday in the papermill town 4 to 3 after a thrilling pitching battle. Errors were responsible for most of the runs on both sides.

### Team Patched Up

The local tilters took the field with a patched up team. Most of the hitting strength was lacking because Jensen, Green and Huesing were out of the lineup. Hillsboro took the lead in the fourth inning on two hits, an error and a double by George Henderson, which counted three. Camas tied it up in the eighth and won out in the ninth.

The boys played a very creditable game and Stoutenberg pitched excellent ball. George Henderson continued to slap the old apple on the nose, getting a double and single in four trips to the plate. He is hitting an even 500.

### Game Starts at 2:30

Vancouver will come here next Sunday and make an effort to break into the win column. The game will start at 2:30. The Hillsboro lineup will be Myers and Stoutenberg, pitchers; Burkhalter, first; Jensen, second; Greene, short; McCurdy, third; Henderson, Huesing and Henderson, outfield.

### BOX SCORE

Hillsboro		AB	H	O	A
Jones, 2	.....	5	1	1	2
C. Henderson, 1	.....	5	1	1	1
Cole, s	.....	3	0	3	3
S. Myers, r	.....	4	1	0	0
McCurdy, 3	.....	4	0	1	0
Burkhalter, 1	.....	3	0	8	0
G. Henderson, m	.....	4	2	5	1
Kreitz, c	.....	4	1	7	1
Stoutenberg, p	.....	4	0	0	2
Total	.....	36	6	26	10

Two out when winning run was made.

### Camas

Camas		AB	H	O	A
Baesch, s	.....	4	0	2	2
Rogaway, 2	.....	4	0	1	2
Goldman, m	.....	3	1	1	0
Tidland, 1	.....	4	1	11	1
Dillon, c	.....	4	2	11	1
Goodwin, rf	.....	4	1	0	0
Jones, lf	.....	4	2	1	0
Osterman, 3b	.....	1	0	0	2
Jacobberger, 3b	.....	2	0	0	1
Huss, 1	.....	3	2	0	3
Total	.....	33	9	27	12

Last Sunday's Results:

Hillsboro		R	H	E
Hillsboro	.....	3	6	2
Camas	.....	4	9	2

Vancouver		R	H	E
Vancouver	.....	3	8	1
Salem	.....	11	12	3
Luckenback	.....	1	2	2
Oregon City	.....	8	13	3

### Batting Average

G. Henderson	.....	.500
Huesing	.....	.500
Stoutenberg	.....	.286
Jensen	.....	.250
Myers	.....	.250
Kreitz	.....	.143
Burkhalter	.....	.125
C. Henderson	.....	.125
McCurdy	.....	.125
Team average	.....	.255

## Glasburn Appeals To Higher Court

Local Authorities Send Evidence For Inspection of Supreme Court

George Glasburn was found guilty of violating the prohibition laws after a three-day trial in the circuit court here last week. The jury found against him on his plea of former jeopardy. The case has been appealed to the supreme court.

Local authorities had to send evidence in the case to Salem last week and Deputy Redmond was detailed to make the delivery. The express company of course could not take it. This is a case of violating the law to obey the law.

Z. N. Seelye was found guilty by a jury of larceny by baillee. He was given time to file motion for a new trial.

An order confirming sale was given in the case of Ora V. Heaney versus Charles C. Rose. A dismissal order was given in the case of A. J. Mott versus John Remington. An order was given in the case of S. B. Rundell versus A. W. Schallberger. Orders were given J. R. Thompson versus Edith Hoyt and Robert Hoyt and Mary Ann D'Hondt versus Martha D'Hondt et al.

Mrs. James Mann of South Tualatin was in town Wednesday.

## Mrs. Hobbs Heads County Federation

Mrs. L. W. Hyde Elected Delegate To State Convention Of Women's Clubs

Mrs. Earl Hobbs was unanimously elected president of the Washington County Federation of Women's Clubs at the annual meeting in Gaston yesterday. Mrs. J. C. Leedy of Sherwood is vice-president, Mrs. W. S. Roberts of Forest Grove is secretary and Mrs. H. C. Leedy of Metzger is treasurer. The three directors are Mrs. L. W. Hyde of Hillsboro, Mrs. Horace Cook of Gaston and Mrs. S. W. Donovan of Hillside. Mrs. Hyde was also elected as delegate to the state convention by a unanimous vote.

Dr. L. W. Hyde gave an interesting talk on "Public Health and Child Welfare." Others on the program included vocal numbers by Mrs. Carrie D. Cramer of Gaston accompanied by Mrs. Erville Bunch of Laurelwood academy; song by Mrs. Bunch accompanied by Mrs. Charles Walker of Forest Grove, song by Miss Gruderman of Forest Grove accompanied by Mrs. Cramer.

A 10 cent cover charge was made at the luncheon to help pay for the acreage which the clubs have bought for a children's home.

Leisville and Farmington clubs invited the members to the annual picnic to be held in Shute Park June 30.

## DR. HYDE SPEAKS TO LEGION MEMBERS

Urges World War Veterans To Stand Together

**OFFER SERVICES OF POST**

**Action For Flag Pole And Flag In Court House Yard Taken By Local Post.**

"Regardless of your personal feelings you should stand together for a common cause," declared Dr. L. W. Hyde, commander of United Spanish War Veterans, who spoke before Hillsboro post of the legion Tuesday night. "It is your right and duty to look after the unfortunate and this help must be extended through the organization."

### Tells of Cases

Dr. Hyde enumerated several cases of neglect on the part of the government that will doubtless be eliminated through efforts of the American Legion.

"Recruit your organization to the limit and see that all are brought in," continued Dr. Hyde, "but above all keep the membership clean. You are carrying the burdens of all the veterans."

Action to have a metal flag pole and flag placed in the court yard to replace the one on the court house, that is not given sufficient consideration, was taken by the Hillsboro post of the American Legion Tuesday night. A committee, Alvin Hoffman and Fred Engeldinger, will cooperate with the other patriotic organizations.

### Have Concession

Services of the post were offered to the Fourth of July committee. It is expected that the post will also have a concession at the grounds. This committee consists of G. Warren Clark, Clark Gardner, and Dr. S. H. Peterson.

Fred Engeldinger, chairman of the patriotic holidays committee, is making much the same preparations for the observance of Decoration Day as in the past.

A community patriotic building committee to consider ways and means for such proposed building has been appointed.

Legionnaires are manifesting considerable interest in the formation of a baseball team to enter the Twilight league and they are going to have a practice session at the high school tonight.

A number of veterans have signed up as guarantors for the next Legion dance, May 15. Vincent Engeldinger, H. L. MacKenzie and James Imbrie are the members of the committee.

### W. L. Moore Heads Bankers

Will Moore of Banks was elected president of the Washington County Bankers' Association at the meeting in Forest Grove Tuesday night. W. V. Bergen of Hillsboro was elected secretary. They were entertained by the First National Bank of Forest Grove. The Hillsboro National will entertain in June.

Otto Krebs, proprietor of the O. K. Brickyard at Sherwood was in Hillsboro Monday.

## MCDONALD SPEAKS BEFORE ROTARY

"Tualatin Valley—Natural By-Pass," Subject

**A FUTURE IS VISUALIZED**

**Valley Expected To Play Big Part In Future Development Of Vast City.**

"Tualatin Valley—the Natural By-Pass," was the subject of a talk before the Rotary Club luncheon last Thursday by M. McDonald, president of the Oregon-Nursery Company. He told of the relation of the Tualatin Valley to the future growth and development of the city of Portland.

### Increase Noted

"Twenty years ago the City of Portland had a population of 94,000," said Mr. McDonald. "Today it is rated at 365,000 or an increase of almost 400 per cent in the last twenty years. Should this same ratio of gain in population continue for the next twenty years and we have every reason to believe it will, then the population in 1945 will be approximately fifteen hundred thousand—a million and a half people."

"Even now we are told that the big utility corporations are planning for a city of a million in the territory. The shadows are sufficiently in evidence for us to visualize the coming future."

### Will Spread Westward

"What we in the Tualatin Valley are concerned about is in which direction will this expansion be most likely to spread. Taking everything into consideration, one must conclude that Portland will grow southward and westward, overflowing into our beautiful Tualatin Valley. The vanguard of this mighty host is to be seen daily breaking over the hills reaching out into our very mind, laying the foundation of that GREATER WEST PORTLAND."

"This increased population is creating a great traffic problem in Portland that must be solved."

"Traffic originating in the rich agricultural territory to the south and west of the city must of necessity find an unobstructed outlet to the rail terminals and docks, at tide water in north Portland on its westward passage to connect with rail and ships on its way to the markets of the world, as well as inbound traffic to the same populous territory. For just as the population of the city increases so will the population in the agricultural country tributary increase, creating a mighty traffic which cannot be passed through the neck of a bottle, the now congested streets of Portland, neither can it be handled on the still further congested Willamette River, with its numerous bridges and the call for still more bridges."

### Tunnel Not Solution

"This through traffic is bound to act and react on the city as population increases, until the solution is found. The solution of this traffic problem will not be found in a tunnel to the south, necessary and proper as this enterprise is, because this tunnel will only help dump more traffic into the now congested narrow streets of the city, creating more confusion and greater congestion on both streets and river."

"Drawing aside the curtain and peering just a little way into the future does it not look as if the solution of this problem must be the routing of this north and south bound traffic through the natural by-pass—the Tualatin Valley and Cornelius Pass route to ship side and rail terminals on the Willamette river at and below north Portland. Just as the S. P. & S. R. R. has constructed a rail connection over this route to transport freight from valley points to the north terminals, so should there be a broad highway connection ample to accommodate the heavy motor vehicle traffic over this same route, allowing the south and north traffic easy access to and fro without being forced through

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## May Festival Tomorrow

Unusual Program Arranged For Annual Event

The annual May Festival under the auspices of the Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic Temple tomorrow evening. The festival will start out with a dinner from 5:30 to 7:30. A program will follow the dinner.

The program: Vincent Engeldinger, instrumental numbers; M. E. quartet; Flora Dora sextet of the high school in songs and dances and Noma Browne of Beaverton will give readings. The Inimitable Pansy Chapter will make its annual appearance. Dancing will follow the program and will start at 9 o'clock.