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"Plant Trees" A Slogan For Local People

Seek Co-operation For a Beautification Work

To Ask For Orders

Prizes Are Offered Students Getting Best Returns On Tree Orders

A campaign to plant trees in the parkings was formulated at a meeting of a committee from the Garden club and the city beautiful committee of the chamber of commerce Monday night. This campaign is the initial step in an effort to make Hillsboro more attractive to the people that live here, as well as for the visitors.

Give Helping Hand

The board of directors of the chamber Monday evening voted to give two $10 prizes to students of the local schools, bringing in the greatest number of tree pledges. One $10 prize goes to the grade school room securing the largest number of pledges and the other goes to the high school class getting the greatest return for its efforts. The pledge, or tree orders, will be given out to the students Friday and they are to be reported in to the chamber of commerce or Garden club by Monday evening.

Those co-operating in this opportunity to beautify the town have their choice of Franquette walnuts, Red Hawthorne or Silver Cut-leaf birch trees at reduced prices, secured through the quantity buying. The pledgeship or order may be cut out of the paper and mailed and sent to either of the organizations. The trees are the best available, according to the committees, who ask the residents of the city to help the school children make Hillsboro a better place in which to live.

Comment on Campaign

The following comments on the campaign were secured from the heads of several organizations:

"Picture Hillsboro ten years from now with every street a bower of beauty. All it takes is united effort — now. No other plan offers such returns for the small amount of work and money. A tree graws in beauty and value, other improvements, much more costly, depreciate from the day they are built.

Some may object on the grounds that it would remove Hillsboro from her "place in the sun" and give her a shady reputation.

Objection overruled—Man the spades!

George McGee, City Manager.

"The first impression is always the most lasting, and anything that the Garden club and the city beautiful committee of the chamber of commerce can do will be of lasting benefit to the city. Everyone interested in making a better and greater Hillsboro should aid in every possible way. Trees may be secured at a price within the reach of all and the co-operation of the public in planting these trees to beautify the city should readily be given."

W. V. McKinney, President of the chamber of commerce.

"The fact is that in the old days Hillsboro had much more natural beauty than it now has since the coming of street and sidewalk improvements, which it was said necessitated the cutting of most of the trees in the city. It is very gratifying to me that there is such a movement on foot to again beautify our streets with shade and ornamental trees, and I can assure the organizations fostering the movement that the city will lend all possible co-operation."

Orange Phelps, Mayor of Hillsboro.

Reiben Foreman

Chris Reiben was Wednesday appointed road foreman in district 62 near Banks by the county court.

Hillsboro Garden Club and Chamber of Commerce

TREE CONTEST

Please deliver the following trees, which I agree to plant in my parking strip in accordance to city regulations:

(Mark X on trees wanted)

Franquette Walnuts	$ .85 each
Red Hawthorne	1.25 each
Silver Cut-leaf Birch	1.25 each

I agree to pay for same upon delivery to my address.

(Signed) .....

No. ..... Street

Hillsboro, Oregon.

Note—Instructions for plainting will be given by the nurseryman who delivers the trees. He will also plant the trees at 25 cents each, if desired, and guarantee growth.

The trees are secured at a very low price, and are the best available. Help the school children make our city a better place in which to live.

HILLSBORO GARDEN CLUB
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Credit this order to .....Student

Action Taken By Grange On Solons' Acts

Definite stands were taken on important state and national bills by the legislative committees of the Washington county granges which met at Forest Grove Tuesday afternon. L. M. Graham, former representative of Washington county and chairman of the legislative committee of Washington County Pomona Grange, was chairman. The eight granges represented were Hillsboro, Gales, Riverside, Kinton, Beaverton, Scholls, Banks and Tigard.

The committees favored the passage of House Bill 154 which requires that all cities pay their portion of the road taxes, and the passage of the bill introduced by Senator McNary of Oregon in congress which will allow the Klamath irrigation project the opportunity to present its case in court.

The granges are favoring a constitutional amendment to allow state representatives a reasonable wage, but they recommend a reduction of clerical hire to a basis resembling that in the state of Washington. The raising of the salaries of county officers is opposed in another resolution adopted, as is the bill which provides for abolishing of the office of county county judge and reducing him to a county commissioner.

The granges again passed a resolution favoring the adoption of the cabinet form of government. They are opposed to Senate Bill No. 74, relative to repealing the Fish Wheel law.

In another resolution the committees propose an amendment to the dog law so that all surplus money from dog licenses may be paid into the general fund of the county.

The legislative committees of the granges were instructed to notify the members of the legislature that the grange is opposed to any bills that will cripple the initiative laws.

G. C. Chase of Hillsboro was secretary of the meeting.

Banks Appointed On County Board

Robert Banks, veteran member of the Washington county fair board was yesterday appointed to another term on the board by the county court. Henry Hesse of Scholls and C. D. Minton of Forest Grove are the other members of the board.

Extension Body To Demonstrate At Forbis Farm

The pruning of bearing prune trees will be demonstrated by the O. A. C. extension service, with County Agent O. T. McWhorter in charge, at 10 a. m. Wednesday, at the farm of J. F. Forbis and Son at Dilley.

Thinning out the bearing wood for larger size prunes is being practiced more by prune growers.

At 1:15 p. m. the same day young pear trees will be pruned, followed by pruning mature apple trees by the later method which avoids severe heading back. The public is invited.

Clayton Long, O. S. C. horticulturist, will be present to aid in the demonstration.

Sent Back To Pen For Term

Thomas Lambert, who was returned to this county Friday from the state prison at Salem where he was serving a four-year term for arson, was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term of not to exceed five years in the penitentiary on a forgery charge in circuit court Wednesday by Judge George R. Bagley.

P. M. Madden and E. J. Klink pleaded guilty to liquor charges yesterday and were each given fines of $500 and six months in jail. Madden was paroled for $400 and Klink for $500. Gomer Samuel waived a grand jury indictment on a charge of breaking glass on the highway, pleaded guilty and was fined $25.

A jury returned a verdict in the case of H. Kimmel against G. H. Frobane for the plaintiff in the sum of $211.40.

Judge George R. Bagley in circuit court Friday extended a parole to Page Patton on condition that he is not to violate any more laws, that he remain in the state and that he report monthly to the parole board. Patton on January 25 had been sentenced to serve an indeterminate term in the state prison of not to exceed three years on two different counts, one of forgery and the other for obtaining money under false pretenses.

The day he was granted a parole, Patton waived a grand jury indictment on a non-support charge and was ordered by Judge Bagley to contribute through the court $50 per month to support his wife and children.

Judge Bagley was holding court in Tillamook the first of the week.

Conway Carter Is On Eastern Work

Conway Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Carter, leaves today for St. Louis, Missouri, where he will make his headquarters as field representative for the four states of Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana, for the Iron Fireman Company, one of Portland's largest industrial concerns. Since his graduation from Oregon State college, Mr. Carter has been employed in Portland. His brother, Haskell Carter, is superintendent of production of the company.

Galaway Resigns From Shute Bank

W. O. Galaway has resigned as vice-president of the Shute Savings bank effective as of February 1. Mr. Galaway, who is well known in this county on account of having been with the Washington County Bank at Banks, has gone into the real estate and insurance business. His successor has not been named.

Construction Of Sidewalks Forthcoming

Survey By City Engineer Ordered By Council

Discuss Stage Fees

Plans Make Hillsboro Hard Town For Peddlers; To Use Park

A survey of sidewalks within the city to determine those in need of repair with the view of having considerable sidewalk construction here during the spring and summer was ordered by the council Tuesday evening. City Manager George McGee and the street committee will make the survey.

People May Bond

A charter amendment was passed by the people last August giving property owners the right to bond for sidewalk improvements. Notices will be sent to owners where the improvements are needed.

The matter of a regulatory fee for the stage lines was brought up by President James of the Pacific Stage line. They are now on agreement paying a $108 tax and he made a complaint on the ground that the Southern Pacific was not paying the tax. It was pointed out by City Attorney Benton Bowman that it was impossible to charge one company and not another. A fee based on schedules, which would raise $109.50, was suggested. The city fathers complained that the state takes all the gasoline tax and license charges and leaves nothing to the city for the maintenance of highways traveled by the stage lines and trucks. The matter was referred to the street committee, Thomas Connell, M. H. Stevenson and C. E. Wells.

Regulate Peddlers

A motion was passed asking the city attorney to prepare a no trespassing ordinance to regulate peddlers and solicitors on the request of W. V. McKinney, president of the chamber of commerce. The chamber, he explained, wanted to provide families desiring to cooperate with "no peddler" signs.

Permission was granted the baseball team to use the ball park again this year provided suitable bonds are presented. The request was presented by Dr. Ralph Dresser of the baseball committee. The use of the auditorium for two dances at cost was granted.

An application to rent the auditorium for two months to be used as a skating rink failed to find favor with the councilmen on the ground that the chances of damages to the floor were too great.

A resolution to join the League of Oregon Cities was passed. Councilman Wells brought out the point of the inequality of the present distribution of automobile license fees and gasoline taxes.

The use of the council rooms for the Rotary Boy Scout troop was granted.

King Winter Has Tight Grip Here

Seemingly not content with giving the Tualatin valley a heavier and longer snowfall than usual, King Winter added insult to injury by stirring up a cold east wind late Tuesday evening. This whip hand was held over rain loving Oregonians throughout Wednesday to the extent that all who possibly could remained around the old fireside.

The weather bureau report for Portland and vicinity says fair Thursday and Friday, continued cold, and easterly winds.

The new city tractor with a scraper were put into good use the last of the week and the first of this to clear the downtown streets of the snow. The snow was scraped to sewers and washed through with fire hose. Tracks have been cleared on the main traveled roads in the county but for the most part the going isn't the best.

Scouts Receive Awards Tuesday In Honor Court

A number of Boy Scouts received awards at the court of honor at the court house Tuesday evening. First-class merit badges were presented to six. Robert Davis of 216 received merit badges for carpentry and woodworking. Troop 242 badges were awarded as follows: Albert Hoffman, public health; Donald Munford, carpentry; Robert Cochrane, and James VanLom, civics. Louis Meyer of 227 received a merit badge for carpentry.

Second-class merit badges were awarded to boys in troop 226 as follows: Robert Dinsmore, firemanship, handicraft, personal health; Willard Newton, firemanship; Lynn Selfridge, firemanship, handicraft; Donald Batchelar, Henry Harty, Ellis Wooldridge, handicraft, and Keith Kruchek, handicraft and woodcarving. Clifford and Lester Jones of 226 became second class scouts.

Modern Laundry Promised Local People By Firm

The Home Laundry will be ready for business about March 1, according to R. H. Windishar, who says that work of remodeling the building and the installation of new equipment has been delayed on account of the bad weather.

The articles of incorporation have been filed but organization plans are not complete. Mr. Windishar expects to be in Hillsboro two days a week, but will maintain his headquarters in McMinnville, where he and his brother have another laundry. They also own the Capitol City laundry at Salem. This plant will be operated as a distinct unit and Charles Pugh and Robert Peterson, who were interested in the old laundry, will be in charge of local operations.

The old laundry building on Second street between Walnut and Oak is being remodeled to provide a monitor type of roof, which allows for better ventilation and light. All partitions are being taken out with the exception of one for the office.

Plans call for giving Hillsboro a real laundry, producing quality work, that will merit the patronage of the local people, Mr. Windishar stated Wednesday. Practically all of the equipment in the old plant is being scrapped.

Mrs. Frankel Talks Monday Before Group

Women's clubs of the state are interested in doing things for the benefit of their communities, according to Mrs. G. J. Frankel of Portland, president of the state federation of women's clubs, who talked at the forum luncheon of the chamber of commerce Monday noon. Mrs. C. H. Emmott, president of the Coffee club, was chairman of the meeting. Mrs. Frankel paid tribute to the standing of the Coffee club throughout the state.

Kindergartens Favored

The state federation head described the work of the women's organizations and told of the many things they were attempting to accomplish. An effort to have kindergarten work become a part of the regular school system is being made through the legislature, she said. Adult education, Mrs. Frankel pointed out, includes work in Americanization with the foreign born and others.

The federation through the various units are attempting to interest boys and girls in the best of literature and art in the belief that it will make for a greater enjoyment of life, according to the speaker. If this is put over, she said, it will not be necessary to worry over the boys and girls of the future. The art picture library work is taking it out of the "highbrow" stage to every section of the state.

Mrs. Frankel told of the good that is being carried on at the Doernbecker hospital, that it does not belong to Portland but to the entire state. She also touched on the narcotic evil, telling of its results and how it was not decreasing. Eight hundred girls are being aided in their education through the scholarship loan fund, the speaker said.

Oregon women, through the federation, are asked to favor Oregon products, the state leader asserted.

Makes Presentation

A flag staff and holder was presented to the chamber of commerce by the Coffee club, Mrs. C. E. Wells, former president, making the presentation. Mrs. Wells told of the co-operation given the club by the chamber of commerce in giving them the rooms for meetings. President W. C. McKinney responded and expressed a desire on the part of the commercial body to aid in the work of the club.

Officers of the Coffee club present were Mrs. Sam Bentley, Mrs. T. C. Reynolds and Mrs. A. H. Blassing. Miss Joyce Emmott accompanied by Mrs. Fred Sewell entertained with vocal solos.

B. & P. Club Give Dance at Huber

The Business and Professional Women's club of Hillsboro will give a dance Saturday night at the Huber Commercial hall. It was impossible for the club to arrange for a medium sized hall in Hillsboro, so arrangements were made for the Huber hall, and the general public is invited to attend.

The folloiwing commitees from the club have been appointed, and will do their utmost to make the affair a success:

Floor committee—Misses Marion Lytle, Wilma Lincoln, Clara Lalande, Mrs. E. L. Moore and Mrs. Alyce Gray.

Decorating—Mrs. Gail Kennedy, Mrs. Otto Steinke, Mrs. A. W. Hoffman, Misses Emma Wodeage, Thelma and Lenora Bryant.

Refreshments—Mrs. W. O. Morley, Mrs. Denny Weik and Mrs. Anna Kirk.

Serving—Miss Ruth Foster and Mrs. J. W. Kelley.

Miss Elsa Pixner will act as cashier and Mrs. Florence Dodge will have charge of the check room.

Scout Funds To Be Raised In Big Drive

American Legion Post To Handle Campaign

Organizations Help

Quota For District Is Set At $800; Scout Executive Is Furnished

Hillsboro post of the American Legion will have charge of the drive for funds to continue the Boy Scout work in this district under the jurisdiction of the Portland area, and plans will be formulated at the meeting of the post Tuesday evening. This decision was reached at a meeting of the district committee in the chamber of commerce rooms Wednesday evening, following the offer of the legionnaires to make the drive.

Give $25 Each

The quota for this district, which now has three troops in Hillsboro and one in Cornelius, is $800, part of which is to cover a deficit left over from last year. The American Legion, Knights of Pythias and the Rotary club agreed at the meeting last night to give $25 each.

This budget is raised to defray the expenses of an experienced scout executive traveling out of Portland, to aid in Boy Scout work in Hillsboro, Forest Grove, McMinnville, Beaverton, Newberg, Oregon City, St. Helens and Gresham.

Fine Facilities

The total expense includes the executive's salary, car, traveling expenses, badges and numerous other items. The boys here have an opportunity to attend the scout summer camp at Sand Lake, where the Portland area has an investment of $20,000.

"Local Boy Scouts under this plan have all the facilities enjoyed by members of Portland troops," declared Harry C. Hall, district chairman, this morning.

Plan Goodwill Sessions Here

A desire for a number of intercommunity meetings followed by a general get-together meeting of the people in the south part of the county with the people of Hillsboro was evidenced at a luncheon meeting of representatives from several communities to the south with the community relations committee of the chamber of commerce in the Pharmacy tea room Wednesday. J. H. Garrett, chairman of the committee, presided.

The communities were represented as follows: Mrs. Mary Watts, Rosedale; Mrs. Frank Pugh, South Tualatin; Mrs. Frank Miller, Scholls; Mrs. Will Stevens, Laurel, and W. P. Brooks, Hazeldale.

The local committee pointed out their desire to help put on part of the program at various community entertainments and said that a minstrel show lasting more than an hour would be presented without cost.

Mrs. Pugh discussed the need for a vegetable cannery here, saying that canned goods were being used more and more and that this valley was particularly adapted to the raising of vegetables. She praised the Ray-Maling cannery and said that the company had always been very fair with them.

Argus Will Print Hilhi Book Again

The Hillsboro Argus has been awarded the contract for printing the Hilhi annual again this year. There will be 350 copies printed this year, an increase of 25 over last year. The Hicks-Chatten Engraving company received the engraving contract and C. M. Coffey of Portland the photography.

Bad Luck Comes To Famliy Here In Tuesday Fire

The hand of ill fortune continued on the trail of Mr. and Mrs. F. Osborne and sons when the house occupied by them near the corner of Third and Edison streets was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. Their clothing and other personal effects were consumed by the flames and they had no insurance.

Mr. Osborne scorched his scalp in attempting to carry some of the furniture to safety. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne were in te kitchen washing the dishes, and when they opened the door to the living room it was a mass of flames. The fire is believed to have started from a defective chimney.

A felon on his right hand has prevented Mr. Osborne from working since before Christmas and two weeks ago a son suffered a fractured arm.

The house was owned by the Barrett estate and Bert Huntington had the renting of the structure.

Damages for Loss in Carrying Out Orders Of Hort Board Asked

Bill Introduced to Reimburse Local Farmers For Loss Due to Nematode; Wells Opposes Repeal Measure; Would Raise Inspection Fee For Bovine Tuberculosis; Legislature Points Out Where Service Is Loss.

(Oregon Voter Reporting Service)

Salem, February 2.—Twenty-one Yamhill and Washington county farmers would be reimbursed an aggregate sum of $12,900, to cover damages sustained in carrying out orders of the state board of horticulture last summer, under the provisions of a bill to be introduced in the house of representatives. More than 235 acres of clover were plowed up due to the presence of nematode worms.

Those who would be benefited if the bill becomes a law are: Joe Cawrse and John Milne, 60 acres, $3,096; Joe Cawrse, 20 acres, $1,032; Jolke Bros., 7 acres, $361; Paul Wagner, 4 acres, $206.40; John Trint, 23 acres, $1,186.80; Wilson Bros., 12 acres, $619.20; Dell Morgariedge, 4 acres, $206.40; Wesley Morgariedge, 8 acres, $412.80; Nels Flint, 10 acres, $516; J. A. McFarlane, 10 acres, $516; William Reichstein, 18 acres, $928; W. E. Grabenhorst, 22 acres, $1,135; Pete Swanson, 22 acres, $1.135; David De Tierre, 6 acres, $309.60; Owen Holiday, 4 acres, $206.40; John Bruhn, 6 acres, $309.60; Walter Krager, 6 acres, $309.60, and Claude Hickerson, 8 acres, $412.80.

Salem, Feb. 2.—"I object to any amendment which will exempt my county from coming under this bill," said Representative R. Frank Peters of Washington county in speaking of the measure that would force cities to pay their share of the county road tax, even if their charter exempted them from such a tax.

Mr. Peters reflected the general attitude of the house toward this bill. When it was discovered that the provisions which prevented all counties having a population of less than 25,000 by the 1920 census from enforcing the payment of this tax, would exempt Washington, Marion, Lane, Umatilla, and Clackamas counties, steps were taken toward amendment. As Mr. Peters said, all counties should be equalized under this act with the exception of Multnomah, for Portland had always contributed heavily to road funds. The basis of population was raised to 100,000 by vote of the House, and the bill referred to committee that the five above counties might have a chance for a hearing, if they so desired.

Salem, Feb. 2.—"I was one of the backers who promoted this law into the statute books," said C. E. Wells, telephone man of Hillsboro, in opposing H. B. 223 for repeal of the certificate of necessity for public utilities. "I do not consider it a monopolistic measure and its repeal would hamper the state. The toothache we have now is small compared with the way we suffered in the past from wasteful competition which hurt not only the owners of the companies, but its patrons. This law now is duplicated by nearly every state in the Union."

Salem, Feb. 2.—"There is no reason why rural free mail delivery carriers should be forced to pay the gasoline road tax," declared Senator Jay Upton of Bend, in defending a bill which he introduced recently in the senate. "The rural free mail carrier uses the state highways very little. The main part of his work takes him along county roads and the only time he uses the state highways is to cross from one road to another."

The proposed bill states that mail carriers shall be reimbursed the amount of gasoline tax paid upon the presentation of an affidavit accompanied by the original invoice showing such purchase to the secretary of state. The application for refund must be filed within one year from the date of purchase, the bill says.

"The owner of a cow reacting to the tuberculine test who destroys it is doing the public a service," declared Representative H. H. Chindgren of Molalla. "He is put to quite a bit of expense and trouble cleaning up the premises and should be paid."

"For this reason house bill No. 310 which provides that the indemnity paid for cows, killed for the purpose of eradicating disease, be increased from $10 to $15 for grade cows and from $25 to $35 for registered cows. There has been great demand among the dairymen of the state for this law," he said.

Salem, Feb. 2.—"Many people living in remote districts have only one cow," said Representative Chindgren of Molalla, "and for this reason there has been a demand among the inspectors to increase the fee for testing herds."

House bill 308, introduced by Mr. Chindgren, provides that the fees of inspection for bovine tuberculosis shall be raised from 35 to 50 cents for the testing of one animal. It also contains the provision that ten cents more may be added to the fee in cases where the roads are very bad and the places are especially hard to reach. The difference between 35 and 50 cents is to be paid by the county.

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Argus Page Size Is Made Larger

If this edition of the Argus looks a little different to the reader it will be explained by the fact that change has been made to an eight-column, 12-em newspaper. Publications throughout the country have been changing to the eight-column basis for several years, with the view of giving better service to the reader and the advertiser. All Portland newspapers have had the wider page for years and all metropolitan papers are now organized on that basis.

Local Teams Take Games From Rivals

By a score of 20 to 13 the Hilhi basketball team defeated their old rival, Forest Grove, Friday night on the local floor before a crowd that packed the gym. The local girls also won a victory of 38 to 23 over the Grove team.

Forest Grove quintet took the lead in the first few minutes of play when Shearer scored one point from the foul line, and they held the advantage throughout the first half. The score at the end of the half was 4 to 1.

In the second half Hillsboro came back with some flashy team work. Johnson played a spectacular game at forward and piled up a score of 9 points for himself. Forest Grove also showed occasional flashes of fast team work, but Hilhi's fast playing was too much for them.

The Hillsboro line-up was as follows: Johnson, r. f., 9; Freeman l. f., 3; Rogers, c.; Patterson, r. g., 2; Gabey, l. g.; Blazer, s., 4; and Sahnow, s., 2.

The Forest Grove line-up included Finnigan, r. f., 2; Whitcomb, l. f., 2; Shearer, c., 1; Marcy, r. g.; Hines, l. g., 6; Allen, s., 1; Stanton, s.; Cady, s.; Whitmore, s., and Hoar, s., 2.

The local girls took the lead in the first quarter of play and held the advantage throughout the game, although the Grove girls were able to come within one point of the Hilhi score four times. The score at the end of the half was 14 to 13. Victory was due to superior team work in the last half, the Hilhi girls taking advantage of all the breaks. The blue and white team piled up the large score in the last few minutes of play.

The Hillsboro line-up was Clara Ruff, r. f., 21; Maudie Hoag, l. f., 17; Alma Varner, c.; Verna Davis, s. c.; Dorothy Gillmore, l. g.; Josephine Jackson, r. g.; Arline Kamna and Dolly Rogers, s.

The Forest Grove team was as follows: Anna Samuel, r. f., 13; Pattie Duyck, l. f.; Dorothy Arant, c.; Cecil Berch, s. c.; Martha Giltner, l. g.; Mildred Wagner, r. s.; Suzanne Stanford, Bernice Buhman and Norma Sears, s.

Alfalfa And Corn Meeting Planned

An alfalfa and corn meeting will be held at the city hall at Sherwood February 16, at 1:15 p. m. Discussions will be as follows:

"Corn Varieties for Washington County."

"Mature Grain or Roasting Ears for Silage?"

"Local Seed Corn or so-called Eastern Seed, which do we want?"

"Methods of Corn Improvement."

"Selecting Seed Corn."

"Lime and Alfalfa."

"Methods of Seeding Alfalfa."

"Maintaining Growing Alfalfa Fields."

"Be Careful of the Source of Grimm Alfalfa Seed."

The discussion on corn culture will be given by Prof. E. N. Bressman of the farm crops department of the Oregon Agricultural college, and the remarks on alfalfa culture will be by O. T. McWhorter, Washington county agent.

Mr. LaFollett's "Nay" Often Found On Appropriation Bills

(This article is reprinted from the Oregon Voter)

It is fitting and proper that a scion of the house of LaFollett sit in an Oregon legislative session which promises to be as financially stormy as this one. Representative LaFollett's late father, the Honorable Alex M. LaFollett, known in legislative circles as the "Old Roman," preceded his son's entrance in 1927 by fourteen years' service, in which time he became the power behind the senatorial axe wielded at appropriation bills. There was considerable conjecture last session whether the son would follow in the father's footsteps. Representative LaFollette besides having his father's glory to boost him up the path to legislative renown has eight years' contact with the process of law enactment in the United States senate, six years as assistant doorkeeper, and two years as private secretary to the late U. S. Senator Charles W. Fulton.

While his career last session was not conspicuous, Washington county by its vote found him worthy of again representing its farming interests. His committee appontments in 1925 were agriculture, food and dairy products, and horticulture. He introduced four bills, one of the most interesting being prohibiting the erection of billboards within 200 yards of highways. Another provided for an annual poll tax of $3. Both bills were withdrawn by Mr. LaFollett. Yes, Mr. Lafollett voted for the income tax bill. And very often Mr. LaFollett's "nay" could be found on appropriation bills.

An Oregonian, born in Marion county in 1880. His father was a fruitgrower and farmer in Marion county for sixty-two years; the son is carrying on; married; has six children; two years mayor of Cornelius; county fruit inspector Washington county two years; director Washington County Fruit Growers' association; officer Hillsboro Grange No. 73.