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## Better Lights In City To Be Asked Of The Council

### Debate On Question Heated At Chamber Meet

### Present Arguments

Petitions were circulated throughout Hillsboro by the civic improvement committee of the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce calling upon the city council to install an improved street lighting system, the cost to be taken care of by a bond issue and the maintenance to be handled from the general fund. This decision was made without any dissenting votes following a heated debate on the lighting question at the night dinner meeting of the chamber Monday.

### Mayor Takes Stand

Mayor Orange Phelps declared that if a petition with a sufficient number of names of taxpayers could be presented to the council proceeding with the installation of a lighting system, he would favor this action. On the other hand, he said, if sufficient opposition was manifested it would be placed to a vote of the people. The mayor cited the money amounting to approximately \$8,000 a year paid into the city treasury for the maintenance of the street lighting system by the business men in the way of an occupation tax and said that he was in favor of giving them something for what they paid. The maintenance, he said, could be handled out of the money paid in through this tax, for which he said the business men have received little benefit in the past. If sufficient opposition was manifested it would be placed to a vote of the people.

Opposition to the plan was voiced by E. J. McAlear, who said that the proper way to handle it through amending the charter to allow for the formation of lighting districts. Mr. McAlear said he favored the street lighting and that he would not object to the time is not ripe for such an expenditure. The attorney declared that a municipal water system was more important than such necessities as street lighting. He said that the time is not ripe for such an expenditure. The attorney declared that a municipal water system was more important than such necessities as street lighting. He said that the time is not ripe for such an expenditure.

E. L. Johnson said the mayor had changed his mind in regard to the occupation tax, that the tax was levied because the city was unable to pay its running expenses from a millage tax. The expression of the opinion that the city was unable to pay its running expenses from a millage tax. The expression of the opinion that the city was unable to pay its running expenses from a millage tax.

### Kurath Wants Action

"I don't look on the lighting system as an ornament, but as a necessity," declared President H. A. Kurath. "I believe that if the petitions are circulated we will get far more than 50 per cent of the property owners."

The power company is willing to figure on a lighting system on any kind of plan wanted by Hillsboro, according to R. R. Easter, local division manager, who pointed out that the company has secured practically all the easements necessary to put the poles and wires in the middle of the business blocks. He said the company proposed to do this regardless of what was done about the lighting system because it is interested in preparing for the growth of Hillsboro. The company is just as much interested in the development of the city as anyone, averred Mr. Easter.

### Low Cost Cited

The low cost to the average taxpayer.

## Savings' Manager



J. M. Person, manager of Washington Savings & Loan Association, which moved into new home on Second street Monday.

## New Building Is Occupied Here By Savings Body

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The association now operates in the counties of Tillamook, Clatsop, Yamhill, Clackamas, and Multnomah but will continue to maintain its home office at Hillsboro.

## Local Girl Named On Girls' Quartet

Pacific University, Forest Grove. (Special)—Miss Kathleen Caldwell, sophomore, from Hillsboro, has been selected by Associate Dean of the Music Conservatory, Edith Collins, as a member of the girls' varsity quartet. The quartet has appeared recently at several events. They sang at a meeting of the Monday club, which met at Herrick hall, women's dormitory at Pacific, and last week they sang at the Smith-Hughes program at the Forest Grove high school. The other members of the quartet are the Misses Dorothy Thompson, Barbara Jane Thorne, and Roberta Stanton, all of Portland.

## Special Tax For County Roads Is Favored In Vote

### Attendance Large at Meet Here Saturday

### Objections Are Few

### Budget for Road Work About County Favored by A Large Majority

A special road tax amounting to approximately \$120,000 or five mills for district No. 1, which comprises the entire county outside of incorporated cities, was passed by a vote of 410 to 150 at the district road meeting at the Shute park auditorium Saturday afternoon. More than 1,000 persons were in attendance and standing room only was available.

### Hesse Chairman

The budget calling for road work following closely the lines of the old districts and as prepared by the various road foremen was read to the taxpayers by County Engineer J. W. Barney and resulted in few discordant notes. A. Neppach of Portland, timber owner, derided the action of the court in not presenting the plans to the taxpayers in some manner before the meeting and said that an attempt was being made to "railroad" the budget and tax through. A supporter of the plan countered with the assertion that this one district move was the only place to get anywhere with road work.

## McAlear Appointed County Budget Body

E. J. McAlear of Hillsboro was appointed as a member of the county budget committee by the county court last Thursday in place of C. F. Tigar, who is unable to serve.

## Red Cross Drive Started Tuesday

The annual Red Cross drive for membership started Armistice Day. Anyone wishing to contribute should leave their money with W. V. Bergen at the Shute Savings bank.

## President's Cup Match Is Taken By Mills Sunday

### Francis Rowell of Scholls Lost to Dr. Ralph Mills of Forest Grove on the last hole of their 36-hole match at Forest Hills Sunday for possession of the president's cup. Mills was two down on the twenty-seventh, but came back to win on the last.

Dr. Sam Todd of Forest Grove was elected president of the club at a meeting of the directors last week. Harry Morgan of Hillsboro is secretary. Committee appointments have been made as follows: James Dreyer, Thomas Dyer, handicapper; Frank Miller, team captain; W. Verne McKinney, George Patterson, entertainment, and K. A. Price, kingfisher of the button board.

The players scoring the greatest number of points for Forest Hills in the home-and-home tournaments next year will be given a trophy. The runners-up will also be honored. The president's cup tourney next year will be a handicap tournament and the directors will give a championship cup. This championship cup must be won three times to secure permanent possession.

Mrs. Norman Arnes defeated Mrs. George Bauman, both of Forest Grove, in the finals of the ladies' fall handicap.

A tournament with Gresham was played at Forest Hills Tuesday and Wednesday. The winners were 17 to 7. Members of the local team were B. M. Goodman, Francis Rowell, Dr. Ralph Mills, Sam Todd, George Patterson, Norman Arnes, Frank Miller and William Martin.

The Forest Hills club has been elected to membership in the Western Golf association, the second largest group in the United States.

## Grand Jurors In Final Report On Their Activities

The county grand jury for the July term of court reported five true bills and one not true in circuit court Saturday and also made its final report. The jurors reported that they found everything O. K. at the county shed and the county hospital.

## District Y. W. C. A. Worker Discussed

Miss Helen Flack, Y. W. C. A. representative, and Miss Norma J. Sims, Portland Girl Reserve secretary, met with a group of representatives of the Hillsboro women's organizations at the Congregational church Monday evening to discuss the possibility of a district Y. W. C. A. secretary. The proposed organization would include Hillsboro, Beaverton, Forest Grove and other nearby communities.

## Frog And Muskrat Farm Planned Here

Plans for the development of a muskrat and frog farm in this locality are being made by C. W. Robnett of San Francisco, who is here visiting his brother, Dr. Robnett. Mr. Robnett is an expert in the muskrat and frog industries and has established successful farms in Montana and Idaho. He is negotiating for the purchase of property here.

## Local Grid Boys Score A Victory Over Tillamook

### Kennedy Takes Pass To Put Over Touchdown

### Forest Grove Next

### Win From Cheesmakers First in Three Years of Competition

The Hillsboro union high school grid team won from the Tillamook eleven in the annual Armistice Day football classic here by a score of 7 to 0. This is the first time in three years that Hillsboro has beaten the Cheesmakers. With Forest Grove alone standing between the local players and the county championship, the Hillsboro fans are keenly interested.

### Makes Great Catch

Kennedy, cheated out of a touchdown after recovering a Tillamook fumble and racing in and out for 30 yards, received a pass for the winning point after the ball had bounced and rolled over the heads and fingertips of four Tillamook players. Johnson placed the ball for the extra point.

## Grudge Wrestling Match Here Friday

A grudge wrestling match will be fought out between Sam Vangler of West Virginia and Joe Gardner of St. Louis, Mo., at the national guard armory in the Commercial hall Friday night. Other speakers were Chief of Police L. V. Jenkins, Erwin A. Taft, Harry Devereaux, Division Engineer W. D. Clark, Secretary J. E. Shute and county motor association and Roadmaster Buck of Multnomah county.

## Several Injured In Week's Accidents

Maggie Hoover of North Plains suffered cuts about the face when a car driven by F. G. Marrey of North Plains collided in the fog Thursday with a Hillsboro Truck Fuel company truck. The former North Plains road north of Hillsboro.

## Spirit Of Friendliness Stressed By Business Men At Dairy Meet

### Aims of Dairy Cooperative Association Described At Thursday Luncheon; Tull Cites Growth of Groups Throughout U. S. Since 1900; Neuby Tells Progress of Local Association; Senator Joe Dunne Speaker.

The need for mutual and harmonious cooperation between the dairymen and business men of Washington county was brought out by a meeting of the Dairy Cooperative association last Thursday in the chamber of commerce rooms. The meeting was planned by the board of directors as a means of spreading information as to the aims and plans of the organization.

## Canyon Road Is Dedicated Meet Beaverton Park

The starting of a new era of progress for the Tualatin valley was seen by speakers at the celebration and dedication of the new Canyon road at Beaverton Friday afternoon. A formal welcome was extended by Mayor Otto Erickson of Beaverton. He pointed out that as Portland grows and there is need for more room for its people the Tualatin valley can accommodate millions.

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## O. S. C. U. of O. To Play On Saturday

Corvallis will be the mecca of alumni of the Oregon State college and the University of Oregon and other football followers Saturday for the great state football classic. Three Hillsboro boys will probably get their chance to show their gridiron ability in the game. Jack Rushlow plays fullback for the university variety and Harry Kent and Bryce Noaler play on the Oregon State team.

## Horticulture, Dairy, Farm Crops And Livestock Meetings Planned; Talk On Strawberries By U. S. Department Man

Horticulture, dairy, farm crops and livestock meetings in several communities of Washington county will be held beginning next Monday, November 17, according to W. F. Cyrus, county agent. Strawberry production problems and insect pest control will be discussed by George M. Darrow of the United States Department of Agriculture, and O. T. McWhorter, extension horticulturist. A complete schedule of these meetings follows:

## Warning About Internal Enemy Here Is Issued

### Armistice Day Celebrated By All In Hillsboro

### Veterans In Parade

"It is time for the friends of the United States government to be alert, take stock and fight in times of peace for those principles for which they fought during the World war and other wars participated in by this country."

### Good Citizenship Plan

Mr. Bynon called attention to the small percentage of the vote in the recent election and insisted that men and women take their full part in governmental affairs. He pointed out that the producers had met for selfish purposes in that they were looking for a better income for their services, he felt that they were entirely justified, and he pointed out that it was not enough to merely get money for the product. The cost of hauling the milk to Portland, he stated, is about 30 cents per hundred as compared with approximately 23 cents in the Seattle area. He asked that the business men who depend in large measure upon the dairymen for their business put their shoulders to the wheel and help them.

### Carry On, Is Urge

Commander Paul Patterson of the American Legion said that if we would pledge ourselves to carry on the legion's program of Americanism at each Armistice Day, the day will become the most important of the nation's patriotic holidays. The legion's ritualistic work was put on by Commander Patterson, First Vice-Commander R. J. Nick, Second Vice-Commander C. E. Gardner, Adjutant Jack Murton and Chaplain Elbert Stiff. Russell Morgan sang "In Flanders Fields," and Mrs. H. H. Stannard, president of the Women's Relief corps, gave a patriotic reading. Mr. Morgan led in the singing of "America," and "The Star Spangled Banner." Rev. H. C. Stannard accompanied on the piano. Grand Army of the Republic members on the stage were H. V. Gates, C. H. Blake and F. S. Estep. Others on the stage were Mrs. H. S. Rogers, president of the United Spanish War Veterans Auxiliary, Mrs. Edith Stewart, president of Daughters of Union Veterans, and Mrs. E. C. McManey, president of the American Legion Auxiliary. The members of the patriotic groups were seated at the front of the theater.

### Early Corners Get The Best Service

Fresh cows are no curiosity among the items listed in the classified columns of the Hillsboro Argus, but the demand for fine stock opportunities exceeds that offered. It is wise, when answering an advertisement, to do so as soon as possible after the paper is off the press in order to save yourself disappointment.

### Dairy Meetings In County Scheduled

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## Tax Question Troublesome One For The New Legislature; County Veterans Take Advantage Of The Soldiers' Bonus Loan

Salem.—Faced with the necessity of promulgating a tax levy in December the state tax commission admits that it is strictly "up in the air" with respect to the consideration which should be given to the intangibles and income taxes under the present modified state of those two revenue producing measures. In computing the state levy, it is explained, revenues from all indirect sources such as fees, licenses and the intangibles and income taxes must be deducted from the total state budget before arriving at the amount to be paid by real property.

## Are You Searching For A New Home?

If you are having difficulty finding a house or apartment, give the Argus classified page a chance to find one for you. Tom Calaban advertised for a five-room apartment or house and within 24 hours after the paper was off the press he had found a place into which to move. The members of the large family of Argus readers have learned from experience the ease with which they can sell or buy livestock or farm products, and this confidence is at your beck and call when you wish to satisfy other wants as well.

## WATCH OUT FOR SNAPPY COMEBACKS!



## Orencia Merchant Is Robbed Monday Eve

Orencia—A Lindgren, local merchant, was held up Monday night and robbed of \$35. A woman entered the store as Mr. Lindgren was closing up and purchased a candy bar and after she went out a man entered and frantically searched at the point of a revolver. He didn't see \$35 lying on the counter, which Mr. Lindgren had covered with a paper. He compelled Mr. Lindgren to open his cash drawer and remain there till he got his car started and fled south in a yellow coupe.

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