

HILLSBORO, OREGON, THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 1932

Delinquency In Tax Collection Worry To City

Curtailment Needed to Keep on Cash Basis

Action is Considered

Want City Credit Maintained; W. V. Bergen to Resign Soon

Rigid curtailment of expenditures is faced by the city of Hillsboro...

Shashes Planned

Deficit in the general fund budgeted for 1931, due to lack of...

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Action will be taken, probably Monday, by Mayor Orange Phelps...

Bergan Moves

Councilman W. V. Bergen announced his intention of resigning...

New Orchestra at Hillsboro Dances

Arrangements have been made by the city for Kay Emerson and his 10-piece...

Foreigners Complain of Taxes To Maintain Their Armament

Fred Groner, prominent Scholls walnut grower and farmer, is writing his views on conditions...

Leap Year Babies Welcomed Locally

Opportunities for birthday parties will be few and far between for three Washington county babies...

Disabled Veterans Have Open Session

Washington county chapter of Disabled American Veterans of World War will hold an open meeting...

County Tax Bill Cut Meets Mark Set Up by Scott

Assessor W. F. Boley's 1932 tax summary shows \$862,448 as the total tax levy...

Plass Head of Farmers' Union; Group Formed

Organization of the Washington county unit of the Farmers' Union was perfected...

Students Talk at Rotary Luncheon

Miss Dorothy Arnold and Richard Gilmore outlined activities at the Hillsboro union high school...

Two Wins Scored By Ireland Team

Lester Ireland & Co. team lost two out of three games to the C. C. store last Tuesday in the city...

New Business to Open on Saturday

Mrs. Ella Marsh, feeling that there is a need for an owners' exchange, has leased a store room...

Dr. Robb Director of Health Association

Dr. J. O. Robb, nominee of the Washington County Health association, was elected a director...

Highway Program To Be Presented

Early designation of the Wolf creek route as the second short cut to the sea will be urged...

Wood Contract at Hospital Awarded

County court Wednesday awarded the contract for furnishing 100 cords of fire wood to the county hospital...

Petitions Urge Clark To Enter Senate Primary

Hare Heads Delegation to Present Request

Hal Hoss in Race

Havens Would be Justice of Peace; Register Dead Line April 19

A delegation from Washington, Yamhill, Columbia and Tillamook counties headed by William G. Hare...

Girl Found Lying Doped on Highway

When Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Murdoch of Sherwood were driving home last Thursday night...

Woman Flier Rescued in North

Mrs. Edna E. Christofferson of Portland, formerly of this county, and her pilot, William Graham...

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Construction New Hall Planned for Hillsboro Grange

Plans for construction of a Grange building were made at the meeting of Hillsboro Grange Thursday night...

Hilhi Defeats Forest Grove Hi In Fierce Fray

In the wildest and most exciting game of the season, the Hillsboro high school basketball team defeated Forest Grove high at Forest Grove Friday night...

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Pioneer Taken At Beaverton; Buried Tuesday

B. K. Denney, Resident This County 75 Years, Dies

Leader in Grange

B. K. Denney, 75, prominent Washington county farmer, died at his home near Beaverton Friday...

Deceased Treasurer State Grange; Active in Civic Affairs

Mr. Denney was also known for his active service in public affairs. He served as school director of district No. 18 for 20 years...

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State Officer Cites Need for Protecting Quality City's Milk

Importance of safeguarding the milk supply for human consumption was stressed at the Monday noon luncheon meeting of the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce...

Mr. Leach of the dairy and food division of the state department of agriculture, city manager George McGee was chairman and several members of the council were there to make a study of the question...

Necessity and value of good milk has been appreciated throughout history, according to Mr. Leach, who said one could not be too careful in the production of good milk...

Sickness has often followed in the wake of a milk route, where the quality has not been up to standard, according to Mr. Leach, who said that he has seen some bad conditions and that some "D" milk has been delivered here...

He declared that those who invest their money to produce the highest quality of milk should be encouraged, rather than to let someone who doesn't come up to the quality standards come in and by undercharging ruin the investment of the man trying to give the people good healthy milk...

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Inequalities Seen

Vanderzanden, Ireland Head County Tax League Another Year

Present methods of taxation were scored at the meeting of the Washington County Tax Equalization League at the court house Saturday afternoon by James A. Mott, state corporation commissioner, and District Attorney E. B. Tongue, J. M. Vanderzanden of near Banks was re-elected president and Arthur Ireland of Greenville will serve again as secretary...

The tax system in Oregon is a scrambled mess, according to Mr. Tongue, who said the budget does not represent the entire levy of the county, most of it being raised by special taxes. Decreases are impossible, if we keep on spending, he said. Attorney Tongue cited the differences in equalities in property taxes, the income tax and intangibles, pointing to the fact that no exemptions were allowed on property. A farmer, he said, receives no deductions regardless of how much he raises, but a city pays 50 per cent of his income in taxes...

Levy Method Wrong

Taxation, according to the speaker, should be based on ability to pay with no exemptions and everyone should pay some tax. Property tax might be based on rental values or it might be possible to have a law prohibiting the levy of a tax for more than 10 or 15 per cent on the rental value of agriculture. In any event, Mr. Tongue said it behooved the voters to know that the men they plan on sending to represent them in the state legislature have some knowledge of taxation and to be able to tell how they will make their own choices...

MacMarr Store at Aloha is Robbed

MacMarr store at Aloha was robbed early Friday morning and a large quantity of cigarettes and tobacco taken. Entrance was gained by drilling a hole through the wall in order to open the door. Cigarettes and \$4.76 in cash from the till were stolen from the Mansfield store at Sherwood Sunday throwing a rock through glass in the door...

O. B. Kraus Talks At Grove Session

O. B. Kraus, county school superintendent, was the speaker at the Forest Grove Chamber of Commerce Monday noon. His subject was "Larger units of school administration in Washington county." Mr. Kraus was accompanied by his wife and daughter. Jacktown school accompanied him and played accordion selections.

Possibilities of Cutting Cash Costs Dairy Farms Here Cited

(Wm. F. Cyrus, county agent) More alfalfa, and corn for grain offer possibilities of cutting cash costs on some of the dairy farms of Washington county. Corn, as a cash crop, does not offer great promise to farmers here unless they have drying equipment to handle it and grow the crop on considerable scale. As a feed crop on some of the smaller farms it does offer an opportunity to eliminate some of the cash costs that are a part of the growing of the small grains. On some farms corn is returning more grain per acre than spring grain crops. If a good strain of seed, of a variety that will mature, is used the corn can be kept if it is properly stored. This is being done on some Willamette valley farms...

Motor Thefts in County Reported

Theft of automobiles in the east end of the county the last of the week has been reported to Sheriff J. W. Connell. Walter VanKleeck of Beaverton lost a car at Beaverton Thursday night and W. T. Taylor of Portland route 6 lost his car Friday...

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