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## Danger to Schools

Real property is staggering under the burden of heavy taxation and no one will deny that something must be worked out to lighten the tax load on property. The Argus has fought for a redistribution of the tax burden for years, particularly for the income tax, in the belief that taxes should be based on ability and ease of payment.

However, it seems to us that the proposed tax limitation amendment on which the people of this state will vote November 6 offers too much of a threat to our schools. The damage to our schools without something to take the place of the needed income is too high a price to pay. The orderly way to solve this problem would be to have the substitute tax before wiping out the present source of income and creating a chaotic condition.

School officials and others have repeatedly pointed out the serious effects. They declare that it will close our high schools, state schools of higher education and seriously hamper the grade schools. Organizations that are opposing the passage of this amendment include Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, state federation of labor, the state grade, legislative committee state association of county judges and commissioners, and others.

Not only for schools, but for other governmental subdivisions does this proposal have its threat. Necessary and desired functions of government would probably be eliminated.

Let's get together and work out a decent tax program, forget the "hokey" that is usually put up and work in the interest of the state as a whole.

## General Martin Liked

General Martin is highly regarded by many voters in this county and his chances for carrying the county are considered real good. In his visits here he has impressed the people with his sincerity and force of character. Local voters also realize that he is close to the Roosevelt administration and that this should be of real benefit to the state. The great mass of Washington county voters feel that they have a real friend in President Roosevelt and that General Martin, because of his closeness to and support of the "New Deal," will prove a good friend of the common man while in Salem, if elected.

His stand for law and order during this crucial period is also winning the general many votes.

## Does Good Job

The United States owes a debt of gratitude to Melvin H. Purvis, head of the department of justice in Chicago, for his untiring efforts in tracking down John Dillinger, "Pretty Boy" Floyd, and others who were a menace to society. Although most people realize that crime never pays, there are many gangsters who think they are just clever enough to get away with it—and in many instances some have gotten away with it to such an extent that the public was beginning to think that crime was a paying business. With a few more ring-leaders resting on a slab people will have more confidence in police protection.

## What Basis?

Our friend Editor Chapman of the Oregon Voter did a lot of criticizing of the "New Deal" and the Roosevelt recovery policies in a talk before the Rotary club here last week, but we still believe in President Roosevelt and his efforts to work out a "more abundant life" for the common man. The Portland editor charges that the "New Deal" is economically unsound, but it seems to us that it is "humanly unsound" for millions to be on a starvation basis in a "land of plenty."

Business reports by Dun & Bradstreet show that retail expenditures so far this year exceed the total for 1933 by more than \$500,000,000. Yet where were we when Roosevelt took office a short year and a half ago with banks closing by the hundreds daily? Can you remember? Some critics have short memories.

J. W. Raynard, who has lived on a farm at Scholls for 45 years, has taken a stand on the milk control bill that will doubtless be welcomed by county dairymen. He is advocating and rightly so that the producer have a bigger slice of the consumer's milk dollar.

These various budget committees that function for the city, the school district or the county have a mighty thankless task and a hard one, too. More so than most people realize. Their willingness to give their time in this and other public services should be appreciated.

Commercial National bank had another fine 4-H club corn show Saturday. This stimulation to 4-H club work in the county and its results in the producing of better quality corn is a splendid service on the part of this local institution.

Milk is down to 5 cents a quart in San Francisco. In this battle for a competitive advantage between the retailers who will be the eventual and the heaviest loser? The producer always is. Stabilizing laws are necessary to prevent such actions.

Be sure to vote at the coming election. May the best man win. It is an old axiom that if in doubt vote "no." However, the duty of all citizens is to study the men and measures and use their right of suffrage to the best advantage.

Congratulations are due another local business firm. This time it is the Morning Dairy, which was awarded a gold medal for its quality of raw milk at the Pacific International Livestock exposition.

General Martin is clearly the outstanding and leading candidate for the governorship and the electorate should keep this in mind when they go to the polls.

Proponents of the "new deal" should keep in mind the necessity of voting for those candidates that are supporting President Roosevelt and his program.

## Jingle Contest to Close Soon

Hurry, hurry, hurry! Not a good rule to follow in your driving, you want to get there safely, but a warning which must be heeded if your entry in the "Let's Quit Killing" safety jingle contest is to reach this paper or the Oregon State Motor association at Portland in time to be eligible for one of the seven cash prizes.

Wednesday, October 31, is the closing date of the contest. Verses are to be patterned after the wide-spread one beginning "Here's the body of William Jay" and to humorously present a safety lesson.

Entries already received indicate the judges will have a difficult task deciding which verses will receive the awards. Many excellent jingles built around original ideas are slated to figure in the final decisions.

Among best entries submitted during the past week were the following:

"Let's Quit Killing,  
"Stop, ere we go,  
"Where traffic's crowded,  
"Stop, or go slow."  
—J. E. Johnson, 1219 Maple St., Hillsboro  
"I'm in a hurry," said William Jay,  
"If you want to live, keep out of my way!"  
"He killed a chicken, a cat and a dog."  
"But he met his end when he met a road hog."  
—Irene R. Strubb, Buxton.

## Ireland Returns from Trip East

Lester Ireland, local hardware merchant, returned Monday evening from a 30-day trip to Chicago, where he attended a conference of the national implement code authority, as representative of the North Coast Implement association. He reported that implement dealers are expecting a marked increase in business which will result in an increase in prices for the North Coast Implement association. He reported that conditions in the north area through which he passed.

## Our Yesterdays

Thirty Years Ago  
Argus, October 13, 1904—Barn of J. C. Buchanan near Cornelius built with 8,000 lbs.  
Herman and Will Schulmerich, Ed. Boze, H. Whitmore and Dan Burkhalter bag big bear and three deer on Wilson ridge.  
Frank Peters, elected president of senior class at Pacific University and his sister, Miss Lottie, is named teacher.  
John M. Wall elected grand prelate Garm Lodge, K. P. and W. H. Woodcut of Gaston is grand outer guard.

Fifteen Years Ago  
Argus, October 9, 1919—Rev. Walton Skipworth returned to Hillsboro M. E. church for another year. Other officers: Rev. C. H. Carlos, Carlos, Forest Grove; G. A. Gray, Beaverton; J. G. Crozier, Cornelius; F. S. Ford, Banks; J. T. Keating, Dunsmuir; C. Youder, Metzger; T. J. Gard, J. C. Coleman, Scholls, Farmington.  
Legion elects following officers: C. G. Reiter, president; Clinton Bagley, vice-president; Zenas A. Olson, secretary; Jake Weil, treasurer; Archie Pitman, Guy Edison and R. G. Cull, executive committee.

Cattle breeders groups gather at Banks in connection with Banks fair.  
Wayne Vaught returns from service in the aviation corps down on the Mexican border.  
Postmaster Lamkin goes out next Wednesday and H. A. Ball succeeds him.

Vancouver high defeated Hills Saturday 9 to 7.  
C. E. Green, who has been in hardware business on Third street for a couple of years, has formed a partnership with Lester Ireland of North Plains. The firm has been called the American Hardware Store, occupied by Wells. A line of furniture will be added.  
Walter Keffer, war veteran, son of Joseph M. Keffer of West Union, falls 25 feet in elevator shaft in Portland without serious injury.

## Capitol News Letter

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been exhausted by the demand. A few libraries are buying additional books on these subjects, but most of the libraries are without funds to finance purchases at this time, hence the appeal for donations.  
Oregon's outstanding bonded debt has been reduced by more than \$10,000,000 during the past six years, according to a report by State treasurer Holman. The state debt which reached its peak in 1928 at \$63,325,710 is now down to \$52,634,510 and includes \$25,375,000 in Veterans' bonus bonds, \$24,966,750 in highway bonds, \$2,792,760 in district interest bonds and \$210,000 in farm credit bonds. Partially offsetting this indebtedness are assets valued at \$26,364,388, reducing the net debt to \$26,270,122. Most of these assets are held by the Veterans' bonus commission and include first mortgages covering bonus loans, contracts of sale, farm and city property taken in on foreclosures, and cash.  
Budget Director Henry Hansen has announced that he expects to recommend to the next legislature that the pay cuts put into effect by the 1933 session be continued for another year. Condition of the state's finances is not sufficiently improved to justify restoration of the old pay scale, in the opinion of the budget director. Hansen's announcement comes as a blow to the hopes of hundreds of state employees who had been looking forward to an increase in the monthly pay check after the present "economy" act expires next March.  
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## Anything But That



## By Munch



## Calendar

Tonight—Masonic and Eastern Star dance at Masonic hall.  
Friday—Football, Hills vs. St. Helens, high school field, 3 p. m.  
American Legion, Veterans' hall, 8 p. m.  
Pythian Sisters' meeting and Haloween party in evening at K. P. hall.  
County Federation Women's club meeting at Scholls.  
Monday—Chamber of commerce luncheon. Horace Walters, democratic candidate for secretary of state, speaker, 12 m.  
District seven school meeting. Barbara Lee, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Lauri for the past month, left Wednesday for San Francisco, Cal., where she will meet Mr. Martin and from there they will leave for their home in Portland, Ore.  
Tuesday, October 30—Chamber of commerce luncheon. Rev. and Mrs. Charles Reed and Mesdames Fred Amacher, G. W. Pool and J. A. Kramien attended the fall festival at Helen Kelly Manly community center in Portland. Tuesday. The ladies are members of the Home Missionary society.  
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## Social News of Local Folk and Their Friends

Mrs. Joseph Seus and L. Jardee received high score at the card party given Wednesday night at the Catholic school hall by the ladies of St. Matthews' church. William Borgelt and Mrs. Fred Caldwell received consolation. Hostesses for the party were Mesdames Frank Schneider, Ed Schneider, Raymond McCoy, and Wendell Solner.  
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## Christmas Opening Set for December 1

Christmas opening events and bargain day program in Hillsboro will be held December 1, according to plans completed Monday night by the retail trades committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Previous plans had been to hold the Christmas opening the evening of November 30 and the bargain day December 1.  
Usual bargain day specials will again be offered by local merchants. In addition Santa Claus will be in town during the day and tickets are to be distributed to Hillsboro and nearby grade schools to permit children to participate in candy gifts. Schools situated outside of the immediate vicinity of Hillsboro may obtain tickets by writing to the local chamber of commerce.  
Two committee chairmen were appointed Monday night by Jake Weil, chairman of the committee for the event. J. H. Garrett will head the ticket committee and Verne Cury the candy committee.

## Legionnaires Plan for Armistice Day

Armistice day plans will be considered by Hillsboro post, American Legion, Friday night at Veterans' hall. Special arrangements are being made for the annual Armistice carnival dance, which will be held in the Shute park auditorium Monday night, November 12.  
Arrangements are in charge of the following committees: A. W. Hoffman, H. L. MacKenzie and Dr. Ralph Dresser, dance, and P. L. Patterson, W. H. Dierdorf and W. Verner McKinney, program.

## Local Grade District Tax to be Discussed

Discussion of the proposed special levy in district seven will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the David Hill school here. The budget submitted for the 1934-35 school year calls for a special tax of 19.25c.

## Mill Worker Painfully Injured in Explosion

George Wolf suffered painful burns to the face, chest and neck Tuesday morning in a rabbit explosion at the Sherman mill above Mountaineer. Dr. A. O. Pitman is attending him.

## Guernsey Herd Shipped In

Ernest Lindgren of Wendell, Idaho, who has leased the Harry Anderson place south of Hillsboro, brought his Guernsey herd of 22 cattle in this week. These cattle are from the Miller Guernsey herd of the Thousand Springs section of Idaho.

ELECT . . .  
Geo. M. 'Scotty' Aitken  
Democratic Nominee for  
State Senator  
Washington County  
To protect the state, its resources, its industries, and its homes.  
Election Nov. 6, 1934

He had lived at Sherwood for several years. He was born January 23, 1869, at Bunker Hill, Ill.  
Mr. Nantkes was survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Nantkes of Pasco, Idaho, and a daughter, Mrs. L. Bonyer of Los Angeles, and three sons, Clifford of Los Angeles, Cal., Harry of Columbus, Alfred of Central City, and Fred of Bellwood, Nebraska, all by a former marriage.  
Funeral services were held at Young's Funeral home last Thursday with Rev. C. M. Reed officiating. Final rites were held at the Portland Crematorium.

## DONNA JEAN SUTGREN

Donna Jean Sutgren, 2, died suddenly Friday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton O. Spurgeon of near Cornelius. She was born at North Plains July 27, 1932. She is survived by her parents, one brother Glenn, and grandparents.  
Services were held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church in Hillsboro with Rev. C. P. Salmon, Forest Grove officiating. Interment was at Banks cemetery. Young's Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

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## Election November 6, 1934

J. W. HUGHES  
Republican Candidate for  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
From Washington County  
"I promise to practice economy with careful and practical legislation"

## Democratic Candidate for

County Commissioner  
J. M. (Jock) Vanderzanden  
A substantial taxpayer operating a large farm near Roy. Resident of this county for 38 years. Stands for lower taxes on farms and homes, both city and country, with a reasonable reduction and still efficient service. Government at minimum cost. He believes in making the public dollar do the same work as the private dollar. If elected will conduct the public business as carefully as a private business. (Paid Ad.)

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon, For the County of Washington, Probate Department.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Fred B. Wells, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as Administrator of the estate of Fred B. Wells, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, and that Monday, the 26th day of November, 1934, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day and the first meeting of said court has been appointed by said court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto, and the settlement thereof.  
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ALFRED GREEN, Administrator of the Estate of Fred B. Wells, Leland B. Shaw, 1117 Pollock Service Bldg., Portland, Oregon, Attorney. 56-40

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