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". Tillsborg Irqus With Which is Combined the Hillsboro Independent Hillsboro Independent Established 1873 Hillsboro, Oregon, Thursday, January 2, 1936 Hillsboro Argus Established 1894 Loggers Seek **Court Rules** State Plans Future of Local **Better Times** State Capital Heavy Damage Fruit Growers Puzzling Group is High Light **Error Made** from Sawmill News Letter Alter Local Alleging seven violations of con-ract, S. E. Nygren and R. C. Os-rander, logging contractors, have rought suit in circuit court against F. Barker and the Westimber BY A. L. LINDBECK

Governor's Warning on Moving Departments Brings Results

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CALEM-Governor Martin's threat move certain state departments to Portland because of lack of suit-able office space in the capital city was doubtless inspired more by a desire to prod Salem building own-ers out of their smug self-complacency than with an intent to actually carry out his proposals.

If so, it was not long in bringing results. Publication of the governor's statement to the press was ollowed by numerous offers of office space by owners ready and anxious to remodel to suit the demands of the tenant.

was based on the difficulty experienced by the transport division in owners. finding suitable office space to ac-

ommodate its proposed expansion. he fact of the matter is that even held that the sale was "void for payments on the amounts earned. efore the governor sounded off at uncertainty in amount chargeable Through failure to prepare roads, sast two building owners in down- and collectable from said property furnish proper place for unloading wn Salem had offered to re- and portion as to costs and disburs-

needs of this department. While se offices are not the most modin the city they were regarded s entirely adequate in the emer-sold for an amount in excess of the taxes and interest due instead vestigated them.

downtown Salem following the the needs of the state. At the present time 13 state ac-

tivities are occupying more than 21,000 for taxes at the foreclosure sale square feet of floor space for which the state is paying a rental of \$1172 a month or more than \$14,000 a year. . . .

More than 28,000 stockholders of oan association received Christ-

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Property is Returned mpany

Validity Questioned Because Value Exceeds Tax

struct proper roads; failed to gravel or otherwise surface them; per-Returning title to the original mitted mill pond to become conowners, two of five tax cases in gested delaying unloading; secured circuit court have been settled through decisions handed down for other trucks without consent plaintiff, these trucks being too light to carry the loads, and so ob-The governor's proposal to move the motor transport division and other state activities to Portland the plaintiffs by Judge R. Frank attributed as the principal reason light to carry the loads, and so ob-structing traffic causing further de-lay.

for the return of property to record It is also alleged that defendants In the case of Mrs. Anna Wing against E. C. Parrott, Judge Peters defendants also refused to make

del vacant office rooms to suit ments for want of a verified bill."

Sale Exceeds Tax The validity of the sale also is fulfil his end of the contract. questioned in that the property was

Officers Hold Demands for office space in owntown Salem following the The other case is different as to capitol fire of last April has filled cause of action in that C. L. Barevery first-class office building in the capital city and most of the ord owner, S. E. Newbegin, to clear second-class buildings, but there title. The Newbegin property was are still a number of buildings said to be worth \$1,000 whereas the Vouth at Door with space to rent and with owners sale was for \$94.45. In Wing vs. ready to remodel to accommodate Parrott, the property was valued at \$4,000 and bid in at a sum approximating \$300.

mating \$300.Facing charges of burglary of<br/>both pieces of property were sold<br/>for taxes at the foreclosure saleFacing charges of burglary of<br/>three Beaverion business places,<br/>James Russell Oswalt, 18, Port-<br/>land, is held in the county jail<br/>here following his arrest New Year'sadministration, which has an or-<br/>fice in Hillsboro.More court decisions favoringFacing charges of burglary of<br/>three Beaverion business places,<br/>James Russell Oswalt, 18, Port-<br/>here following his arrest New Year'sMiss Alice Maxwell, executive<br/>secretary of the relief committee in<br/>charge of relief administration here,

More than 28,000 stockholders of be defunct Prudential Savings & oan association received Christ-not believed that the present de-to be defunct Prudential Savings & oan association received Christ-not believed that the present de-to the officers, when the owner of the officers, when the owner of the state corpora-

max gifts from the state corpora-tion department in the form of a in the aggregate to approximately \$128,000. Governor Martin this week an-nounced the reappointment of Lew Wallace of Portland as a members of the state game commission of Portland as a member continue, owners of record may age and the A. B. Clement service ure, according to newspaper dis-state game commission. Well bring suit for recovery with excel-Somewhat surprising after Wal-lace's recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and mot want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did not want the job back again and recent insistence that he did recent insistence properly filed, it is said. Attorneys also point out Attorneys also point out that any establishment. tax sale is subject to attack for statement on the commission from which he resigned in order to con-grounds have been sustained in laries, officers said. However, other courts. It is said that a numjimmy bar, said to have been taken ber of other suits brought against from the Alexander service station the latest tax sale for various rea- early in the week, was found in the car. (Continued on page 8, column 3)



logs to the mill pond at the Wes-timber mill from a tract of land nearby, and that Barker later and Burden Now Local unknown to them transferred th intract to the Westimber Lumbe Committee Responsible for

Default of contract is alleged in Administration that the defendants failed to con-

Changes in the status of the lo- when they submit their reports and cal relief setup and suspension of recommendations.

R. W. Weil, chairman of the county relief committee, as effective spending nearly two months in as-with the close of the old year. The sembling the facts and figures perinouncement followed a conference Monday night attended by the committee, Elmer Goudy, state rerefused to furnish guarantee of lief administrator, and Victor Carlson, assistant.

Beginning with the re-opening of the relief office Thursday morning, further relief to employable perand hiring of small trucks, the log ging was delayed and plaintiff sons will be on the basis of relief to county destitute, thus placing all persons in one class instead of

### Employables to Work

he requirements of WPA as to egistration, will be absorbed by hat administration or other agencies made clear, but committee mem- be derived from such a series of bers are of the opinion that Goudy studies. referred to the rehabilitation de-

Facing charges of burglary of

Boy for Theft

Youth at Door

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for taxes at the foreclosure safe April 19, 1935. More court decisions favoring owners of record in delinquent tax foreclosure sales have been given in their favor than decrees favor-

(By Wm. F. Cyrus, County Agent) How can the profitable produc-on of a strawberry planting be rolonged? What is the cost under of Old Year esent conditions to establish a anting and care for it and harvest the crop? Is there anything in the local, state, and national sit-Local News Stories of 1935 ation to warrant an expansion

Climb

small fruit production locally? How can we avoid producing substandard prunes? These are a few of the questions nembers of the small fruit and tree fruit committee groups are puzzling over in working out a More Given

entative report to present to grow ers of the county on February 4. On that date and the following day,

February 4, the two or three months of stuly and consideration of Washington county producers will be brought to a conclusion

further federal relief to unemploy-ed, were announced Tuesday by are meeting this week to begin working out their report after

mbling the facts and figures perand some prosaic. taining to their crops. The small fruit group is as follows: W. E. Marr, Banks; A. J. Rowell, Scholls; Behind, in the old year, alread, accumulating dust, are the events of yesterday, chronicled each week Warner Crop, Banks; Ed Schlegel, Banks; J. O. Boger, Sherwood. The in the columns of the Argus and thus preserved for history, pre-pared as carefully as is possible tree fruit group is as follows: Frank Lewis, Forest Grove; Peter Pearson, Gaston; J. W. Forney, Gaston; Perand as accurately as those who furnish the information will allow. ry LaFollette, Cornelius; Herb Return to Normal

mandin, Forest Grove; Sam Webb, Cornelius; John Hulsman, Cornelius; Of chief interest through the John Schmeltzer, Sherwood. year, has been the increasing incounty indigents and county un-employed, Goudy explained to the committee times. Everywhere, throughout the

vious groups in 1925 were generally pages of the Argus, as the year All employable persons meeting accurate and that the things that progresed, are found more and more were pointed out at that time have stories which disclosed increasing profits to those who labored or More men have found jobs. Wages

setup for a similar purpose. The other agency, referred to was not ently figure that much benefit may be for their products ently figure that much benefit may ceiving more for their products. Mills are operating and more construction is forecast for the new Other commodity committees will year. Business men on every hand

ting their reports into shape

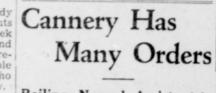
Former Mayor Given Honors

mission, was named as "Hillsboro's Most Valuable Citizen," by a vote of the college age affiliates of the Christian Council, who conducted was named as "Hillsboro's



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forever, the old year is gone and the new one is with us, bringing Orange Phelps named by older new hopes for achievement and suc ers of the Christian Councess. Ahead lies 366 days, each with cil as "Hillsboro's Most Valuable its varied events; some interesting



## Reiling Named Assistant to General Manager

Advance orders at the B. E. Maling, Inc., cannery here for 1936 canned and cold pack goods amount to approximately 60 per cent of the total pack for 1935, according

pack would be in excess of that for the past year.

Labor troubles, which started in Maling stated. Danger from the pea weevil will result in cutting the sawmills of the county, were brought to heel by united and swift notion of law forms and workman action of law forces and workmen. of these two items will be more And now a week by week survey than made up for in increases in other products.

of the headlines of each recurring issue of the Argus during 1935: January 3—Mayor J. H. Garrett and Councilmen L. C. Kramien, J. J. Wismer and J. O. Robb take ed fire chief. Law partnership of W. G. Hare and George Bagley re-

engine Ben F. Logan, who has been east-Baldwin, after an examination by

and the one on which he was riding, driven by William Scott, employe at Berg's Chalet. He was riding on the running board of the Scott car, on the side struck by the Baldwin machine. The accident happened at the east turn at Aloha to B. E. Maling, president, who told the Argus Monday that the 1936 Lyman Howe, local clothier, who with his wife and son, was returning from Portland, picked up the young man with the assistance of

Peas and spinach have been the leaders in the cold pack up to the Francis Barr, and brought him to present, but pea weevil and other Jones hospital. He died on the way partment of the rural resettlement administration, which has an of-tween now and February 1 and get-tween to the hospital. was returning from Portland, hitch-

hiking. At the Old Heidleburg inn at Beaverton the boys stopped a Ford coupe driven by Scott, who was on his way to Hillsboro after supplies for the Chalet. There be-

ing no room inside the coupe, the

W. G. Hare and George Bagley re-newed after 19 years. County files in delinquent tax foreclosure action. January 10— Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters takes office for first term. Commercial National bank

Two Hillsboro young men were

killed in New Year's day automo-

bile accidents. Kenneth McDaniel, who was fatally hurt when caught

between two cars at Aolah early

Wednesday morning and Delbert Turner, 23, died in an accident near

Toppenish, Wash., Wednesday aft-

Fatal injuries were received by Kenneth McDaniel, 18, youngest son of Mrs. Helen McDaniel, city re-

corder, shortly before 3 o'clock

Wednesday morning, as he was caught between a car driven by George Baldwin of Forest Grove

Assistance Given

McDaniel, with Marshall McIver

ernoon.

test for his old seat in the house of representatives.

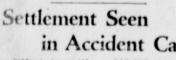
The state forestry department closed its twenty-fifth year of service with the expiration of 1935. Organized in 1911 for the single pur-pose of protecting the timbered areas of the state from fire, the department long ago entered upon much broader program of activities, including that of reforestg denuded areas. Prior to the eation of the forestry department had been the duty of the state protection" of the forests. The legis-lature of 1907 created a forestry board with an appropriation of \$250 with which to carry or the spe-cial election to be held January 31 closed at 9 o'clock Tuesday night at the office of Ed. C. Luce, county \$250 with which to carry on a publicity campaign, but it was not until 1911 that the legislature recognized the importance of the lumber industry to the state and created a separate department to take care of the interests of this industry.

. . . Hearings on the classification of approximately 50,000 acres of re-forestation land in Polk, Deschutes, Columbia, Lincoln and Clatsop counties will be conducted by the forestry board on February 3, 4, schools. and 5.

. . .

The state liquor control commission, which found its shelves load-ed with a lot of unpaid-for stock hen it took over the job a year ago, reported its business to be on a strictly cash basis at the beginng of the new year. Estimating acember sales at \$750,000 sales of ard liquors through state stores and authorized agencies during 1935 aggregated nearly \$6,000,000 or ap-proximately \$6 for every resident of the state. Net profits of the commission for the year are esti-mated at approximately \$1,980,000.

Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian, is out with his perennial announcement anent the come-back of the farm horse. Evidence of this fact, Lytle declares, is to be seen (Continued on page 8, column 1)



Settlement Seen<br/>in Accident CaseDubbel exemption means that if<br/>the sales did not need to bear the special<br/>action brought against H. E and<br/>Marioret issued by the act and will<br/>et is operating a farm<br/>any one of three ways, First, if the<br/>which potatoes were grown and<br/>rable 2 week. Maller was killed<br/>with bis brother, Harry,<br/>and the lightes car collided and into a tree at the<br/>wille. A tree limb caught the cab of<br/>wille. A tree limb caught the cab of<br/>when means a personi as alse sitory for<br/>he true k and crushed Maller.Jost by frost or some other cause<br/>at by frost or some other cause<br/>at by the some other cause<br/>at the true k and crushed Maller.Jost by frost or some other cause<br/>at by the some other cause<br/>at by the some other cause<br/>at the some other cause at the some other ca

Officers are of the opinion that a series of small thefts on the east side of the county have been solved Registration for with the arrest of Oswalt. Breaking a window and pad-lock on a side door and then snap-ping the night lock, thieves Mon-day night entered the Alexander Voters is Closed

# Townsend Pension Plays Part with

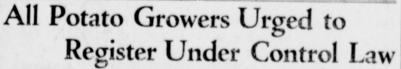
Those Seeking Ballot

Hagg Will Speak Luce said, and complete figures will not be available until registrations made at various convenient places over the county are checked in. When voters go to the polls at when voters go to the polls at the special election they will de-cide the fate of four laws referred to the people. The laws include a

change in date of the primary elec-

lief purposes; increase in pay of legislators, and a law establishing fees for students attending state schools.

Registrations in Hillsboro indi-cated, according to some of those ter of the Bureau of Animal Inregistering, an increased interest in dustry, and Dr. W. H. Lytle of the the Townsend old age pension plan. Oregon State Department of Agri-More women than men were seek- culture. Credit for dairy farmers ing the ballot, including a consid- together with the dairy situation erable number who have not voted and outlook will also have im-for several years.



Accessed to make it a social meeting and lection of officers for here states and triends urged to at the members and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at the M. E. church, be mombers and friends urged to at t

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Projects to Start Additional Work for County Men

Assured with Projects

Additional work for 45 Washservice station at Beaverton and escaped with approximately \$100 in loot. The only clues were finger

wood area and one in the vicinity of Tigard. At Sherwood a crew of 13 men and a foreman will be emat Dairy Meeting ployed approximately two months leveling and grading the Sherwood Washington county dairymen will

be interested in the annual meet- park for baseball. A grove of pine

is scheduled to discuss the Oregon the county, where brush and stumps tion from May to September; sales tax for old age pensions and re-passed by the last regular session moved and ditches cleaned. Twenty-two men and a foreman will

be employed. In the Tigard vicinity 10 men and a foreman will complete road improvements on various county (Continued on page 4, column 6)



Recent Townsend club member-hip drive resulted in 100 new mem-ers to the local club according bers to the local club, according domineering as conquerors. He debers to the local club, according to President R. L. Putnam. The club was organized November 13, 1934, with a charter membership of 150 members and January 1, 1936, the club reported to national head-miles. The Chinese, he said, are content, peace lowing and said reported to the chinese of the said are miles. The chinese he said, are

were cast by members of Associate Boys' chapter of the council. Official recognition of Mr. Phelps'

services to the community will be made at a convocation of council January 27, when all chapters will gather at the Veterans' hall for the event. At the same time O. B. Gates and Judge R. Frank Peters, to whom the young people gave honorable mention, will be invited to receive the congratulations and thanks of the compatibility.

thanks of the council. This award is planned as a reg-ular New Year's feature of the marked through WPA for labor older members' activities, and aft-er this initial award, the title will union high school building in Sher-Additional work for 45 wash-ington county men was assured this week with three new projects opening Monday or Tuesday of the coming week, K. E. Tillotson, WPA resident engineer, reported. Her this initial award, the title will be given for services to the com-munity during the one year just passed. New year's award will be "Most Valuable Citizen During 1936."

Californian Talks

what may be expected there in the

trict governor of California and ex-president of Whittier college. It is He has just recently returned from a tour of the Orient and says that many predictions made to him when he first went over there have

come true. Belief that the Orient might be the turning point of the world for the next century was expressed by the speaker, who says that with the mixing and seething of so many

during the same period a year ago. elected.

Appointment of Tom Spates, well causes will be taken before the grand jury which is expected to go into early session, according to go int Abandon Use of Brick for Less tirement and benefit plans, safety

Expensive Methods

tual interest to B. E. Maling, Inc., and its employes, and to workers in other General Foods plants.

term. Commercial National bank college.

reports deposit gain of 40 per cent

Normal Student Serves in Jail Here for Break Vern E. Bronkey, 20, said to be a student at Monmouth Normal

school, is in the county jail serv-First plans considered were for ing a \$10 city fine for speeding, according to officers. Bronkey was brick construction, which were es-timated to cost more than \$50,000. About the Orient This, however, was abandoned in favor of a frame construction with brought to Hillsboro from Forest Grove when he attempted to escape Conditions in the far east and a cement block veneer, reducing from the city hall there, where he was confined, by jumping through costs to a bond issue of \$25,000 in a window. His escape was prevented way of changes were discussed at the Rotary club luncheon today by Herbert Harris, former Rotary disdistricts in the vicinity of Sher- when his fine will have been served Hillsboro last July and assignments

out. It is understood that the high school was promoted by WPA en-gineers for this district from Port-Former Illinois Man

Indiat the time the Portland of-land at the time the Portland of-fice was seeking projects offering long time employment to the large number of unemployed from the Sherwood section of the county.

## More Indications of Wealth Found

ton, according to Mayor A. E. will decreasing very rapidly. There are and a broad stress to torney, on whose property the ledge was found. Serve for the ledge has been very the ledge to be the two the two torney of the part of the pa

Exceed Year Ago All assistance available in the of-ce of John Connell, sheriff has

reports deposit gain of the first part year. January 17—Army air base near Hillsboro sought by local chamber of commerce. Milk war litigation (Continued on page 5, column 1) ern representative, which is according to F. J. Sewell, coroner. Appointment of Tom Spates, well house and its causes will be taken before the grand jury which is expected to go into early session, according to go into early session, according to

aviation. He was a member of the measures, medical service, working conditions and other matters of mu-Multnomah Athletic club. The young man was a graduate of the Hills-(Continued on page 4, column 7)

# State Employment Office Abandoned

## Hillsboro Branch Re-Absorbed by **Portland Headquarters**

Branch office of the Oregon state mployment service with quarters a Hillsboro city hall, was abandoned effective Thursday and all files moved to Portland, according Miss Grace Rucker, who has een in charge here.

The branch was established in to federal work of all kinds, in-cluding PWA and WPA projects, have been made from here as well as assignments to work in private

At present those interested are pastime pool room this week. Mr. grouped together for that purpose under an expert assignment officer taken from the staff of the Port-

parrons of the fine school district preliminary to an election to be January 11 at which time it is ex-pected that the bond issue will be carried. he served as chief of police. ministration of the two counties.

# Quota Plan to Solve Nation's

Search for the ledge has been that most laws of this type, tempor- work is sound. PWA projects, how-

All assistance available in the of-fice of John Connell, sheriff, has New Firm Takes Lease of the old year and the first days social security act. Whatever the a solution to the job problem.

social security act. Whatever the a solution to the post protect with cause, technological unemployment has become a vital issue. It is the president in his desire that re-

America's "volcano". Despite the bullish outlook for 1936, this prob-gton county unit, Farmers' ill meet Saturday at 10:30 the Legion hall in Hills- of Naples. icy seems to me a vital mistake. The government is selling its birth-"Poverty Sharing" Plans So far, nothing has been done to correct the jobless situation." Icy seems to me a vital mist The government is selling its bi right for a mess of pottage. (Continued on page 3, column 1)