

Sunset Squad Has Workout

New Men Showing Good Form; C. Hoag Signed

The Hillsboro "Smoke-Eaters" held their initial work-out Sunday and although the grounds were rather soft, a fairly good limbering-up was accomplished. Batting and fielding practice was held, but the ground was too wet for a good in-field practice.

Several new men were on hand to try for places and Manager Bill Joss predicts that when the final selection of players is made several new faces will be found in the lineup. Competition is unusually keen this year as the league is composed of stronger teams and it will be quite a task to pick out the best men as lack of practice time will prevent many men from showing up to their best advantage.

Another hitting and fielding practice will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. on the old field and all new and old men are asked to attend as the men showing up best in the next two weeks will be signed up to play for the season.

An opening lineup will be selected after a practice session on March 29. If rain interferes with a work-out March 29 the team will necessarily have to be picked on the basis of the showings made next Sunday. It is therefore essential that all men, wishing to play, be present. No men were signed last week as it was too cold and damp to get a good line on new players, however four or five new men looked certain of places.

Hillsboro's team was greatly strengthened last week by the signing of "Chuck" Hoag, who has made a great name for himself as a catcher with the Blitz-Weinard and Union Oil teams, which were recognized as state champions two years ago. Chuck attended the local high school, where he was a star in baseball, football and basketball and his addition to the club will strengthen it immensely.

It was also first string catcher for the University of Oregon's championship team and later played with the Portland Beavers in the Coast League.

The "Smoke-Eaters" will practice every Sunday afternoon from now on until the season opens. Hillsboro opens here against Tualatin April 5.

Olympic Game Friday

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove—Pacific university varsity basketball squad will play Oregon City Eagles at eight o'clock Friday evening on the Pacific floor. Proceeds of the game will be used to help send the American basketball team to the Olympic games.

Lights Turned on at Mountindale

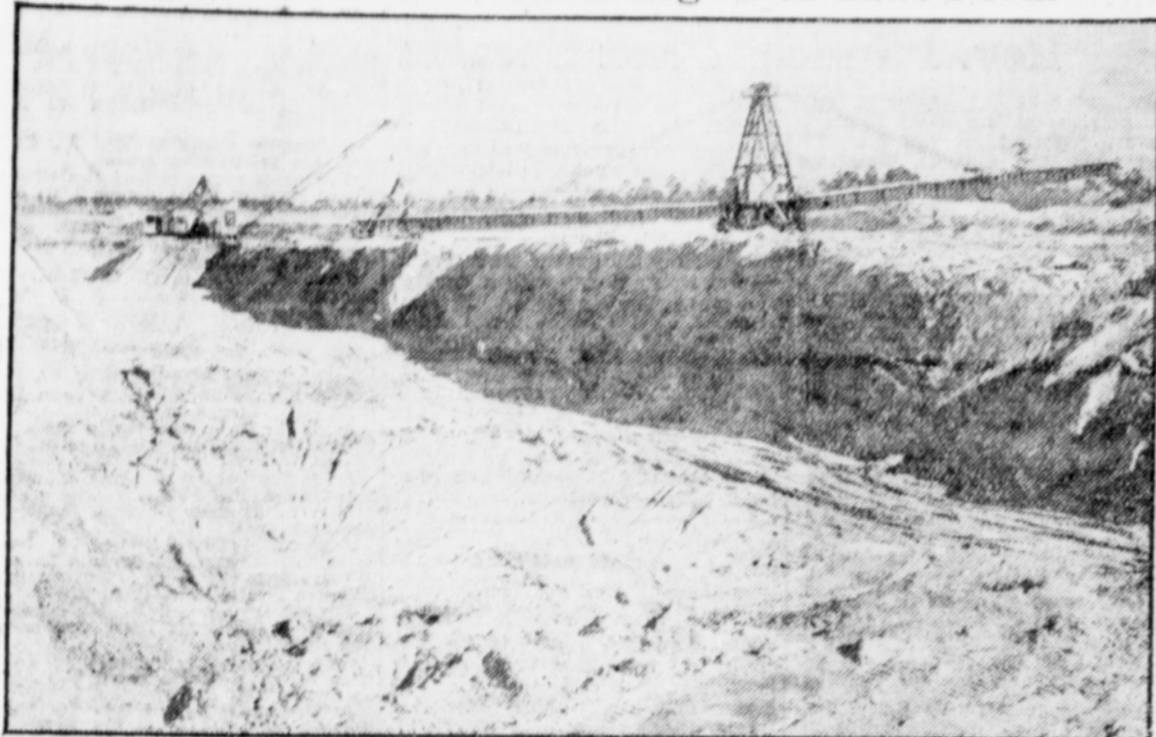
MOUNTAINDALE—The electric light extension from the Mountindale school house to the Meacham school has been completed. The lights were turned on Monday.

Mrs. J. N. Wilson Jr. of Los Angeles, Cal., is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Harold Reynolds Monday. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Reynolds visited their aunt, Mrs. Lou Anderson of Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reynolds gave a dinner party Sunday evening for Mrs. Wilson. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garrigus and daughter of Banks.

Firdale-Iowa Hill

Mrs. William Borgelt of Laurel has been with her mother, Mrs. R. Wilson, for the past week. Mrs. Wilson has been ill.

Big Ditch Across Florida Begins to Take Form



Much work has been done on the government's \$116,000,000 canal project across northern Florida. But this construction is just a starter on the six-year job. The big ditch, when completed, will be about 200 miles long, twice the length of the famed Suez Canal. One of the cuts is shown here with a huge dragline and bridge conveyor in the background. Various groups have been fighting the canal and, unless more funds are appropriated soon in Washington, construction may be halted.

Laurel School Opens; Krause Honored at Farm Union Meet

(By Mrs. F. L. Brown)
LAUREL—Laurel school re-opened Monday after a week's vacation on account of scarlet fever. Mary Harleman, the teacher, resumed her duties after an illness of three weeks. Mrs. Peppard substituting during that time.

Krause Honored
G. Krause, ex-president of the Laurel-Scholls Farmers' union, was presented with a silver loving cup in recognition of his four years of faithful service, from 1932 to 1935 inclusive. Walter Orr, president, made the presentation speech at the regular business meeting held Thursday evening County President John Plass was speaker. Charlie Robinson was elected manager of the unit baseball team.

Friday was "clean-up and repair" day at the community hall. The board members and their wives with several other helpers spent the day at the work and enjoyed a pot-luck dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John McFee received word Monday morning of the birth of a grandson, the third child of Mr. and Mrs. William Kerr of Portland.

Broadcasters Meet Friday
The Broadcasters' class of the Sunday school will meet with Billy McNay Friday evening.

Mrs. Marie Stonefield and Orvis Sankle of Roosevelt Beach were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. John McFee, last Monday and Tuesday. They were here to attend the Murrow funeral.

Mrs. E. C. Mulloy, who has been bedfast with a broken hip since a fall at her home last August, is slowly improving. Among Sunday visitors at her home were Mrs. Mabel Wilson of Los Angeles, daughter of the late Eli Mulloy, and Isaac Sharp, his son and daughter and daughter-in-law of Vernonia.

Celebrate Birthday
Sunday dinner party guests at the F. L. Brown home, celebrating Patricia McNay's third birthday anniversary, which occurs Tuesday, were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. McNay, and sister, Barbara, of Forest Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and son Dickie and C. W. Brown of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown. C. W. Brown had been a guest since Thursday.

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Kelso Loses to Local Bowlers

Perfection Team Winner on Portland Alleys

Perfection bakery bowlers of the Hillsboro commercial league, won 2594 to 2576 from the Kelso, Wash. team on the Portland alleys in match play Sunday. Bowling for Hillsboro were Dillon, Rood, Coe, Ireland and Goetter. Ireland and Dillon were high scorers with 556 and 548, respectively.

High scores for the week in league play were Kurati, 201, in the American; Ireland, 234; City; J. Smith, 233, Commercial; Patterson, 244, National; B. VanDuyck, 194, Cannery, and F. Corn, 202, in the Automatic. V. Hines was high with 152 in the women's league.

Baker was in the lead for the G. Wick tire with a score of 692; J. Smith for Well's hat with 118 and for the Royal Soda beer prize, with the same score. Ray Mann with 328, was leading for the sweaters offered by Cleary's place. J. Smith and Patterson with 259 won the Perfection cake.

In league play, Oakes won 2 of 3 from Finit Shop in the American and Ray Mann 3 straight from Royal Soda.

Fastime won 3 straight from Lentz in City league and C. C. Store 2 of 3 from Stormy's while Fairway won 3 from Men's Shop.

In the National, Bristol's won 2 of 3 from Pharmacy and Headquarters took 3 from Union 76. In the Cannery league, J. Smith won 3 from Shipping while B. E. Maling took 2 of 3 from Ray-Maling.

Chevrolet took 2 of 3 from Dodge and Ford 2 from Hudson.

League Standings
American League—W L Pct.
Royal Soda Works 16 14 .533
Finit Shop 16 14 .533
Ray Mann 15 15 .500
Oakes' Grocery 13 17 .467
City League—W L Pct.
C. C. Store 17 13 .567
Lentz Auto Paris 16 14 .533
Fastime 16 14 .533
Hornback's 11 19 .367
Commercial League—W L Pct.
Fairway Market 20 19 .667
Men's Shop 15 15 .500
Perfection Bakery 15 15 .500
Stormy's 10 20 .333
National League—W L Pct.
Hillsboro Pharmacy 18 12 .600
Union 76 15 15 .500
Headquarters Co. 15 15 .500
Bristol Hardware 12 18 .400
Cannery League—W L Pct.
Plant 22 8 .730
Shipping 15 15 .500
B. E. Maling 15 15 .500
Ray-Maling 8 22 .270
Automotive League—W L Pct.
Lentz 14 14 .500
Chevrolet 16 14 .533
Hudson-Terraplane 14 16 .467
Ford V-8 12 18 .400

sell mushrooms at less than the cost of production.

Publishers on mushroom growing are available for distribution to anyone contemplating experimenting with the production of this specialized crop, and may be obtained from the Bureau of Plant Industry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

The Portland Better Business Bureau advises anyone contemplating entering this business to thoroughly investigate before making an investment.

Thatcher
(By Mrs. Lou Wright)
Mrs. Charles Sears gave a quilting Thursday afternoon for a few friends and relatives. Present were Mesdames Arnold Goff and daughter Shirley, Ed Goff, Lou Wright, Cummings, Walter Wright, Will Haney, Victor Greip, Ted Haney, Ervin Bailey, Charles Kerns, Sarah

Company Lifting Water from Lake

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and another group about one mile south on higher ground along the lake near the highways, according to reports.

Floods in January carried away portions of the dikes erected last summer and fall, allowing the back waters of the Tualatin to flow unhindered into the lake, delaying the farming operations planned for this spring.

The company expects to repair the dikes and increase their height this summer to a point beyond the flood stage.

MUSHROOM GROWING EXPLOITED BY UNPRINCIPLED PROMOTERS
(By Portland Better Business Bureau, Inc.)
The Portland Better Business Bureau has received a number of inquiries the past few months regarding the sale and growing of mushrooms. The unemployment situation has proved a boon to unprincipled promoters selling mushroom spawn. The authority for this statement is the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. Promoters describe mushroom growing as a new and unexploited business, requiring only a small capital investment and comparatively little experience, with almost certain prospects for large profits because of the alleged scarcity and high price of mushrooms. Those claims are for the most part misleading, says the bureau, advising anyone who proposed to grow mushrooms to thoroughly investigate market conditions and the risks of the business.

Mushroom growing is not a new unexploited industry. As a matter of fact, the Bureau of Plant Industry points out, more than 15,000,000 pounds of mushrooms are grown in the United States annually. In many localities the restricted demand the past year has compelled experienced growers to

Mr. and Mrs. John McFee, this week, while convalescing from measles.
Ladies' Social club meeting was postponed last week on account of scarlet fever and will be held next Wednesday with Mrs. Lee Brown as hostess at her home.
Mrs. Kate Brown of Portland spent last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Flora Baker.
Adam Launer of Tanasit, Wash., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Calvin Whitmore, and other relatives for an indefinite time.
Mrs. Fred Schmidt and son Charlie visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider, of Helvetia Sunday. Mrs. Schneider has been ill for the past two weeks.
Miss Helen Rutschman wishes to thank her many friends who supported her with votes in the popularity contest recently held.
J. W. Grimes of San Francisco, a former resident here and of Scholls, writes friends that he is seeing the sights of New York City. Mr. Grimes taught school here in the nineties.
Mr. and Mrs. Teon Lovegren have moved from Cathlamet, Wash., to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Whitmore. Mr. Lovegren has been employed in the logging camp of the Washington town but moved out on account of the recent strike.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Kleier of Laurel, March 13, a boy, "Silas Smudge of Turnip Ridge," a comedy-drama in three acts, will be given by the young people of this community Saturday evening, April 4, at the hall.
The Laurelvue 4-H calf club is planning a trip next Saturday to view the Battleship Oregon and while on board will form its organization for the coming year. Anyone interested is cordially invited and should call Amos Watkins for arrangements.

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Haney, Louis Junker, R. McRae, Allen Hayden, and Nellie Haney. Clifford Rutan visited. Mr. and Mrs. George Heaton of Vancouver, Wash., Wednesday.

Walter Haney has been ill with the flu and has not been able to haul milk.
Mrs. Bessie Morris of LaCenter, Wash., who was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Lucy LaSalle, returned home Saturday.
Mrs. Sarah Haney of Strassel spent the week here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Bessie Taylor of Winlock, Wash., who was called here by her sister's death, Mrs. Lucy LaSalle, returned home Monday.

Remodeling Store Room Started Here on Monday
Work of remodeling the old Piggly Wiggly store room in the McGlynn building, next to the Venetian theatre, was started Monday morning by Mohr Brothers. No statement as to prospective tenants could be obtained, but it is expected that announcement will be made next week.

FRANK PIETSCH
Frank Pietsch, 75 died Thursday at the county hospital. He was born December 4, 1860.

Early Records Reveal Naming Hillsboro 1850

An 86-year-old record of the establishment, surveying and naming of Hillsboro as the county seat of Washington county, has been uncovered in the archives which Mrs. Marie F. Pollock and Verne Bright, field workers for the Historical Records Survey, the new nationwide project of the Federal Writers' program of the WPA, have been examining at the Washington county court house.

Dated February 5 to 7, the handwritten item tells of a session of the county court at "Columbia," Washington county, February 4, 1850, when Oregon was a territory. It states that the court had located a quarter section of land for the county seat and ordered that the town plot be surveyed and named "Hillsborough." It also refers to purchasing from David Hill, for whom the town was named, a double log-cabin, to be used as a court house and to be paid for from the first proceeds of a sale of town lots of the town plot of the county seat of Washington county. Among the men who bought lots, a record of March 6, 1850,

mentions George W. Ebberts (Squire Ebberts), David T. Lenox and Alvin T. Smith.
The name Columbia, referring to the old county seat of Washington county, does not occur, so far as is known, in Oregon histories. The settlement, according to historians, was called Columbus, also East Tualatin, before 1849. In 1849 the Oregon Spectator mentioned the county seat as Hillsborough, which, according to the above record, became the official name in 1850, although even as late as 1850 the post office address of the county seat was East Tualatin Plains.
One purpose of the historical records survey is to uncover neglected but interesting historical facts, of which this is an example.

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TOMATO JUICE No. 1 tall, Each	3 for 25c
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TOMATO JUICE 5's Can	25c
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TOMATO SAUCE 3 for	10c
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Columbia Best Coffee More cups per pound, Lb.	23c