

WPA Head Finds Park Real Asset

Government Spends \$12,000 for Betterment Here, Griffith Says

Relief Unit Helpful

Government Work Declared Act of Good Neighbor

Designating the WPA as a "good neighbor" to those in temporary need of neighborhood assistance, E. J. Griffith, state administrator of WPA, addressed a large crowd at the dedication ceremony held for Shute park in the park Friday afternoon.

Herb Staples, chairman of the chamber of commerce committee for the dedication, introduced the speaker, Mayor J. H. Garrett. Mrs. W. F. Cyrus, president of the Hillsboro Garden club, J. L. Anderson, chairman of the park committee of the city council, and S. W. Melhuus, chief of the fire department.

Mayor Speaks

Mayor Garrett said that although he had his part in promoting the park project, he had mostly been on the sidelines cheering. In turn, he introduced the councilmen, including Anderson, John Wismer, Dr. J. O. Robb, and George McGee, city manager. He designated McGee as probably the hardest worked man in town.

Mrs. Cyrus outlined some of the work of the Garden club in landscaping the park and declared that most of the work was by Mrs. Charles Lamkin, who not only had donated money and shrubs to the park, but also had spent considerable time working there.

Chief Melhuus presented the city with a flag, through Mayor Garrett, who in turn presented it to Councilman Anderson. Garrett said that he believed this was only the beginning of one of the most beautiful parks in America.

Anderson thanked the firemen for the opportunity to receive the flag in the name of the citizens of Hillsboro, and then, with the aid of Chief Melhuus, proceeded to attach the flag to the halyards.

As the flag was raised and unfurled to the south wind, the Betsy Spangler Banner.

E. J. Griffith then was introduced by Staples, and after a few remarks, entered upon his address which follows:

"It is entirely fitting that we should have this impressive flag

Parade Pleases Crowd; Carlson Gives Address

More than four blocks long and designated by the onlookers as well executed, the Fourth of July parade Saturday morning went off on schedule despite a threat of rain.

Crowds thronged the streets along the line of march early in the morning, while another crowd waited in the park. Larger crowds than usual, also were in attendance at the patriotic exercises in the auditorium immediately after the flag raising at the conclusion of the parade.

Committees interested in the parade and the exercises expressed themselves as pleased with the attendance at both events, and the Rotary club committee, headed by R. E. Wiley, expressed pleasure at the number of floats and the length of the parade.

Preceded by "Uncle Sam" in the person of Lew McKusker, who lives near Oregon and followed by the colors and Hillsboro National Guardsmen, the parade swung down Main street a few minutes after 9 a. m.

Following the soldiers came "Goddess" Bernice and her party in special automobiles with Mayor J. H. Garrett and other city officials close behind.

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Grand Jurors Begin Probe Six Charges

Two Investigations to Deal With Weapon Attacks

Six investigations await the grand jury when it convenes in the jury room, third floor of the court house, this morning (Thursday), according to G. Russell Morgan, district attorney. Subpoenas sent forward to witnesses through the sheriff early this week.

Among the cases to be investigated are two involving dangerous weapons. Maurice Knudston, arrested at Jergens park on the Tualatin near Tigard, is charged with pointing a revolver at another man. He is alleged to have entered into a family argument as mediator, using a pistol to quell the affair.

W. C. Smith, arrested at Westminister, is charged with attack with a dangerous weapon and is alleged to have used a butcher knife on one person and inflicted painful injuries on another man, who seized the knife.

Some cases involve minor matters. Morgan said, while others are secret investigations which may come to a head if the jurors find indictments.

In circuit court, two cases are on the agenda for trial. The first, July 14, is Glover vs. Carey, a hearing before Judge R. Frank Peters. The other is a criminal case in which Frank Grubb of near Durham, is charged with threatening to commit a felony. The threat is said to have involved a promised attack on another.

Arrested last week by a deputy from the office of John Connell, sheriff, J. R. Cherrill of Hillsboro pleaded guilty in circuit last Thursday, before Judge R. Frank Peters, and was fined \$100 and had his

Speaker Hits "Lack of Aid" to Destitute

Revolution in Sight Unless Pensions Win, Declares Mahoney Here

Congress Attacked

John Weir Derides Attempt Investigate Townsend

Declaring that he was for the Townsend plan because it would remove the bread lines of today, Willis Mahoney, Klamath Falls, democratic nominee for U. S. senator, delivered an address Friday afternoon in Shute park auditorium before an audience of 600 Townsend club members and others. His picnic dinner in the morning.

Mahoney was the second speaker. John Weir of California, delivering the first address before the picnic dinner in the morning. About 300 persons were gathered in the park for the dinner and to hear Weir.

Young Chairman

Rev. Young was chairman of the day introducing the speakers. At the afternoon address he introduced Mayor J. H. Garrett of Hillsboro, who welcomed the Townsend members to Hillsboro, and also introduced Weir.

Weir, after a few words to the audience, introduced Mahoney, declaring, first, that he was a republican and that it might seem strange that a republican should be introducing a democrat.

"But I am proud to say," he continued, "that thousands of both political parties are joining hands in carrying the message of Doctor Townsend. I expect this fall to vote for the first time in my life for a democrat, that man being Willis Mahoney." At this point applause swept the audience.

"We address you," he continued, "as a republican, first, on things patriotic, tracing the history of the United States and lauding Thomas Jefferson for his foresight in government."

He stated that the Townsend plan was against the constitution as charged by some, and inferred that "they" realized that it was the only plan which could save the American institutions.

In his address he turned, he said, are those who control the wealth of the nation. Such a man is William Randolph Hearst, he declared.

In his might compare the two elements of this country as the descendants of King George of England on the one hand and the others as the descendants of Patrick Henry. He inferred here that the Townsend plan could be likened to the descendants of Patrick Henry.

The wealth of the nation, he declared, is not well distributed, because

Pageant Marks Ceremony for New "Goddess"

Hillsboro Dealers Disclose Transactions Totalling \$85,000 in June

Many Seek Homes

Other States Contributing to Population

Young County Farmer Lost After Accident

John Epler, 34, Cornelius, Drops from Sight

Aged Man Hit in Car Crash

Section Hand Breaks Leg in Traffic Accident

Sewage Plant Suit Brought

Forrester Makes Experiment Basis for Damages

Visitor Gets Lost in "Happy Daze"

Park Pleases Throng; Fish Needed

Offer of Free Fuel is Made

Threats, An Offense

County Has Seven at Camp Hurlburt

Sales Climb Here Realty Men Report

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