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# Big Christmas Celebration Set for Saturday

# CCC Boy Dies, Several Hurt in Car Wrecks

Carl Price Killed Near Timber; E. B. Tongue Jr. Injured in Aloha Wreck; Smashups Dot County

Carl Price, 23-year-old CCC youth, was killed and three of his four companions injured late Saturday hight when the car in which they were riding hurtled over a bank on the Timber Hill road and plunged yearly, 100 feet over stumps and nearly 100 feet over stumps at logs before stopping against clump of second-growth trees.

Joe Higgenbottom, 17. driv-Round Top Logging company, was seriously injured. He was taken to the general hospital in Forest Grove and later to St. Vincent's in Portland, where he was treated for a fractured left leg and head injuries. C. Angle, 18, of Mississippi, and Ralph Colburn, 18, of Alabama, sustained minor injuries. Angle suffertained minor injuries. Angle suffered facial abrasions and an injured

### Tennesseean Escapes

bottom were members of the Camp Reeher CCC. Colburn and Angle were later removed to the Van-couver Barracks post hospital in

Price was crushed to death in the plunge of the car, it was reported His body was found flung across a log. It was taken first to Prickett' Funeral Home in Forest Grove and

sedan, failed to make a turn on the Forest Grove-Timber road and assert the sovereign rights of the

reported.

Tongue Suffers Injuries

E. B. Tongue Jr., 24, son of E. B. Tongue, prominent Hillsboro attorney, received serious head, face and leg injuries from broken glass when he was thrown through the windshield of his car in a Saturday night collision involving three cars.

Henry Jacobson, West Union, Julius Christenson, Laurel-Scholls, and Leonard Lepschat, Kansas City, were named to the Washington county committee of the "Seed Growers' Association," a new group formed last Saturday at the December meeting of the county unit of the Farmers' Union.

Organization of the seed growers group was the principal activity of the meeting last week, with Henry Zorn of Aurora, chairman of the Marion and Linn counties seed

## Invitation----

The Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce cor-

will attend and enjoy this Christmas party.

President of Chamber of Commerce

## Valuable Information to Farmers Given by State College Experts at Soils Resources Meeting Here

(By W. F. Cyrus, County Agent)

"Recommending the kind of fertilizer to apply is similar to prescribing medicine for a sick patient," C. V. Ruzek The fifth occupant of the car. Virgil Travis, 18, of Temessee, escaped without injuries. All except Higgen ence at the chamber of commerce. It is necessary, he without injuries and the chamber of commerce with the particular to know the commerce. said, to know what is the matter with the patient to know said, to know what is the matter with the patient to know what kind of medicine to give him. The same thing decoration and lighting program is

## Martin Moves in Settlement of Mill Strife

twisted end-over-end down the steep bank, striking two stumps and going over several-logs before coming to a stop. One of the youths was independent of the stop of the youth striking two stumps and going over several-logs before coming to a stop. One of the youths was a stop of the youth was a sovereign rights of the Stone per acre are not adivable. Some experimental data would seem to indicate that in seeding some of our legume crops where it moves the province of the stop of the hrown clear to a lower turn of the a special election among idle em-forseshoe curve in the road, it was ployes of the Inman-Poulsen Lum-

night collision involving three cars just east of the Aloha city limits.

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ounced this week.

# Oriental War Explained, Boycott Urged at Monday Chamber Meet

Undeclared war between China of their fear of being accused of and Japan raging in the Far East at treason, which is punishable by present is seen as the battle of democracy against militarism to avert "I th international chaos, in the view of S. C. Soo, Chinese consul in Portland, who addressed chamber of commerce members at their Monday

"I think that the Japanese militarists hope to conquer all of Asia. After that it is questionable as to what their aims might be."

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Speaking on the Japanese invasion of China, Soo declared that the undeclared war there was of vital importance, not only to China but also to the world at large. Japan's cur-rent military activities in China may be but a step in a gigantic militar-istic scheme. Soo said, quoting a Japanese memorial document drawn up in 1927 which said "In order to conquer China we must first con-quer Manchuria and Mongolia, and in order to conquer the world we must first conquer China."
Admiration Lost

"Chinese admiration for the Jap-anese has been shattered by this inrasion," the speaker asserted. Formerly China held great esteem for the progressive spirit of the Japanese. Now the aggression directed by the Japanese, militarists threatens to destroy all this co-operative feeling in the Far East. These militarists control the government of Japan, and the Japanese people are held in silence because Trouble United Chinese

Japan also made an attempt to have northern Chinese armies set up their own autonomous government, but aside from a few renegade (Continued on page 7, column 3)

"I think that the Japanese militar-When the Japanese first attacked

China in 1931, the Chinese government felt poorly prepared to offer any resistance, so yielded the territory which became the puppet state of Manchukuo, he said. This peaceful attitude of the Chinese, however, led to more and bolder encreachments on the part of the Nip-ponese. Soo explained. A treaty Reid Connell, S. W. Melhuish, pressigned in 1933 gave the Japanese an upper hand in the northern part of Asia, and without the aid of troops, which were withdrawn by terms of the treaty. China was unable to suppress much of the lawlessness.

This equipment has been used there for several years at the Fourth of July celebration and high school football games. Fire-led to a false alarm for Hillsboro'

To the Girls and Boys of Washington County:

dially invites all of you to its Christmas party to be held December 11, 1937. We have arranged for a lot of fine pictures for you to see at the Venetian theatre, and after each show Santa Claus will be at the theatre to distribute Christmas candy to all of you.

We hope that all of you, with your parents,

P. L. PATTERSON.

Mills Closed 117 Days "I anounce my program for settl-(Continued on page 5, column 2)

## December 15 Final Tax Payment Date

Deadline for payment of fourth quarter 1937 taxes is Wednesday, December 15, Sheriff John Connell

# growers' organization, explain in g the objects of the association. "It is not true." Zorn said, "that you always get a better price or find a ready market for your seed through the association, but in the through the association, but in the year, due to the fact that many taxpayers finish their tax bill in one or through the association, but in the long run the gain is very satisfactory. The Marion county unit has been functioning for more than three years." Henry Bastian, consulting engi (Continued on page 5, column 5) Hand a ready market for your seed than during other periods of the year, due to the fact that many taxpayers finish their tax bill in one or two payments earlier in the year. Those who still have tax bills outstanding are urged to make their payments this week or early next week if possible. Sunday after a brief illness. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Bethany Presbyterian church of which he was a faithful member as well as an elder. He was born in Canton, Bern, Switzerland, February 24, 1862, and came to America at the age of 21. He lived the remainder of his life in Washington county near well be \$30 per month.

He lived the remainder of his life in Washington county near Bethany with the exception of six years in Wisconsin. In 1890 he was married to Magdalena Grossen, who died in April, 1930. To this union were born 11 children of which the following survive: John F. of Portland; Albert Meier, Mrs. Ida Hansen, Mrs. Marie Berger and Werner, all of Bethany; Edward of Helvetia, and Mrs. Louise Tuller of Portland. He is also survived by 12 grandchildren, and one sister. Mrs. Rosalie Zahler in Wisconsin. In 1932 he married Lydia Gerber, who with two children Willard and Verna Gerber also survived to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H activities in the country and according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader.

## Public Address System Purchased

John Meier of

Bethany Dies

Hillsboro firemen have purchas ident of the firemen's organization.

# by Rotarians Scouts Here

Annual Christmas Event Planned for Sixth Time; All Urged to Co-operate in Beautifying City

of the past two years will be inelig-ible for prizes this year, but are urg-was announced. ded to take part in the contest by the committee in charge. Rotarians are also eligible for prizes this year. Committee includes Robert Burling-

applies in the use of fertilizer for farm products. Functions of the various plant foods in the plant vary, and a fertilizer supplying the material needed for a specific purpose is necessary if desirable and decoration and lights are to be up by Sunday, December 19, with the judging taking place on Monday night, December 20. It is intended that the lights and decorations are lights and decorations are lights and decorations. lights and decorations remain in place throughout the two weeks of

can now be bought is the most New Year's day. Co-operation of all residents of the community is sought by the Rotarians, who declared that this Christmas lighting plan is an opportunity to make Hillsboro an attractive Yuletide center. Efforts of residents along these lines is a boost to dente along the service of the association meeting.

Of the exhibits, and E. S. Surdice, also of Newberg, has been named in charge of all local arrangements for the association meeting.

Officers of the association meeting.

Officers of the association this expected to participate in the raise of the service of the association meeting.

## Relief Head Here Resigns

Alice Maxwell, county relief ad-

Affice Maxwell, country relief administrator, has turned in her resignation, effective January 1, it was announced here yesterday.

Seed Growers

Organize Here

Henry Jacobson, West Union, The Police of the Multinomal county and the place.

Henry Jacobson, West Union, The Police of the Multinomal county court in their right to vote and will prevent loitering in the vicinity of the Multinomal county court in thouse, where the voting will take place.

Inman-Poulsen authorities have given assurance that they will abide by the decision of the election and will open and operate their plant immediately after determination of vote results.

Mills Closed 117 Days

"Approximately 80 per cent of the soils of Washington county are of the better type," R. E. Stephenson of the soils department, stated. This means that they are soils of the loam or clay loam type and are considerably easier to handle by the decision of the election and will open and operate their plant immediately after determination of vote results.

Mills Closed 117 Days

than in some other types. Putting more organic matter into the soil increases its moisture holding capacity, makes it more mellow and actually adds some plant food and creates a more favorable condiplan adopted by the state relie ommittee recently. If approved, the 65 individuals will be transferred off the relief rolls to the pension

lists on January I, it was announced Seventy - five non - relief people also applied for listing on the old-age pension rolls under the new BETHANY—John Meier, 75, resident of this section for more than 50 years, died at his home here Sunday after a brief illness. Fu-

leader, is one of the outstanding 4-H

activities in the entire state.
W. F. Cyrus, county agent, was the principal speaker of the evening and for his topic he discussed The Potato Situation in Washington County and Prospects for Its

# Firemen Have Two

200 Boy Scouts Plan Celebration Tonight in Hillsboro Union High School Gymnasium

three divisions are offered this year by the sponsor. The best decorated home in the community will comthe Hillsboro Cubs and the Se Scoat Ship Rainbow troop, we make up the participating group Included on the list of activiti will be inspection of uniforms as

the Christmas season, until after Chairman Ralph R. Easter and P. New Year's day.

evening's rally.

Hillsboro's fire department first aid squad, headed by Paul Ringle, will judge the first aid contest, while sea scouts will act as judges in all Resident Here

colors, 7:35; Cub demonstration, Hillsboro pack, 7:40, directed by R. P. Rasmussen; troop inspection, 7:43; demonstration by SSS Rainbow, 8; ignalling contest and troop demonstration, 8:10; tug-of-war, 8:15; troop lemonstration, 8:25; first aid contest, 8:35; troop demonstration, 8:45; chariot race, 8:55, and troop demonstration, 9:10. Presentation of wards, couts prayer, taps.

## Christmas Mail Regulations Given by Postmaster

and parcels was stressed this week in a statement made by L. T. Mc-Pheeters, Hillsboro postmaster. "During the holidays the volume

of mail increases approximately 200 per cent," he said. "We do our best. out it is a physical impossibility to handle this huge bulk of mail efhandle this huge bulk of mail efficiently and promptly within a few days. To assure delivery of your at the monthly poultry meeting which will be held in the Powerful of assorted aircreate which will be held in the Powerful of assorted aircreate. cards and packages, get them in

decorative seals and stickers off the address side of the packages and Theatre Building cards. The lone exception to this is the permission of "Do Not Open-until Christmas" seals. Printed greeting cards mailed un-

der cover of unsealed envelopes are chargeable with postage at the third class rate of one and one half cents for each two ounces or fraction, so

Persons sending out large num-bers of cards can co-operate with the post office and assure themselves of delivery. McPheeters said. by putting all their cards in one bundle or box and bringing them in to the office early. They will be sent out at any date the sender de-

# Yule Lighting Annual Rally Party Day Plans Ready Contest Set Scheduled by for Week-end Crowds

City Merchants Complete Preparations for Annual Christmas buying "Kickoff" Celebration; "Idol of the Crowds" Picked as Feature Show for Children's Party

School children from Hillsboro and rural districts will flock into Hillsboro Saturday for the annual Christmas Hillsoro Rotarians announced by Scouts of Hillsplans for their sixth Christmas lightboro and surrounding towns are expected to turn out this evening committee of the chamber of commerce, with an all-day committee of the chamber of commerce, with an all-day in show at the Venetian theatre, Santa Claus' arrival in Hillsboro, and distribution of free gifts as attractions.

A group of local merchants are joining forces with the retail trades committee this year to insure success of

city, the Yuletide street lighting has been on for nearly a week,

December 11 this year marks a slightly later start than previously

but the "party day" is generally considered as the "kickoff" when

shoppers settle down in earnest to the business of Christmas prepara-

Bronson Given

Year Sentence

in Penitentiary

lishment, according to a sheriff's re-

and a target machine were also jimmied, but the amount of cash taken from them was only small, it was reported. The \$30 was in a drawer behind one of the counters. Evidences

of considerable other prowling about the place were found, but nothing

else was declared missing. Money containers were afterwards found on

away. Some small change dropped from the containers was also found

on the tracks.

pinball machines, a music machi-

## **Nut Growers** Open Meeting at Newberg

Growers' association will gather in Newberg today and tomorrow for convention and nut exhibit planned

The convention gets under way at coming speeches and the president's address by W. G. Fellows, of Gaston. Five Competitions Planned

The nut exhibit will be handled in five sections, with premiums be-ing given in walnuts, filberts, almonds, chestnuts and the use of numeats in recipes scheduled. The Fo bis cup will go to the best general exhibit. Closing time on entries nuts has been set for noon today John Trunk of Newberg is in charge

Springer, Vancouver, Wash., vice-president for Washington, and C. E.

& Sewell and services will be at the North Plains church with interport. Four mechanical devices, two

ment in Helvetia cemetery.

Mrs. Schmidt was born in Switzcrland June 15. 1845, and came to
the United States 61 years ago. Mr.

Schmidt died in 1894. Schmidt died in 1924.
Deceased is survived by the following sons and daughters: Julius, Joseph, Jasper and Columbus, Hillsboro route 1; Louis, Hillsboro route 4: Mrs. Caroline Leitzel, Curtain;

Mrs. Bertha Peterson, Beaverton, and Mrs. Lillie Hutchison, Corne-

## Egg Storage Topic at Poultry Meet

lius route 1.

cards and packages, get them in early and take the proper precau-

other precautions which should taken, he listed secure packing will find this information of particube taken, he listed secure packing of fragile articles, marking of parcels containing perishable articles as "Perishable," full prepaying of all postage charges, and keeping of all postage charges, and keeping of all postage charges, and keeping of all postage charges are taken as the present time.

# Being Rushed

Work is being rushed on the new Hill theatre building with the possibility of opening Christmas day, according to O. Phelps, theatre for each two ounces or fraction, so long as personal messages are not contained. tion and redecoration of the Vene-tian theatre is planned.

# Janitors Attend

# Federal Grant Boosted for Local Sewer

Increase of \$9090 in Allotment Announced at Council Meet by McGee; Bond Re-issue Needed

Industrial sewer appropriations for Hillsboro from the federal government were raised last week, it was announced at the city council meeting Tuesday night by George McGee, city manager.

An additional sum of \$9090 party day." Tickets for the show its planned work of installing the have been distributed during this week to all schools of Hillsboro and surrounding territory by visiting delegations of business men.

Merchants Make Ready

Christmas shoppers' displays are already in place throughout the Christmas shoppers' displays are already in place throughout the jects docket Oregon 1108 Hillsboro sewage system amended to read \$107,000 loan, \$87,545 grant, subject to approval comptroller general and all firms have been preparing for the onrush of Christmas buyers.

Notify applicant. Bond Reissue Necessary The \$9090 sum represents an ad-\$102,000 originally allotted, and an outright grant of \$4090, which is in addition to the \$83,455 alloted Hillsboro when the new sewage system and disposal plant were begun in 1936, McGee said.

Gift displays this year contain unusual values, it was noted on an inspection tour this week, with a large number of unique and at-(Continued on page 6, column 3) Bond issue of \$102,000 covering the amount loaned by the govern-ment, will be called in, it was stated at the council meeting, and a new issue of \$107,000 will be made to cover the additional \$5000 loan. Routine business made up most of the rest of Tuesday night's session, with approval of November bills, discussion of library finances refunding of another bond issue presentation of the auditor's monthly report, a plea for new Lincoln street sidewalks, granting of beer dispensers' licenses and recodifica-tion of ordinances coming up for guilty to the charge of taking a sum of money from a Forest Grove bak- discussion at the two-and-a-half hour meeting, which

ery and was sentenced to a year in ed by all members of the co the state penitentiary by Judge R. Frank Peters in circuit court Friday. New Sidewalks Sought Bronson had been brought back to Morris Weil, represe Bronson had been brought back to Hillsboro two weeks ago from Los erty owners on Lincoln street. mitted the suggestion that side-walks be constructed on the north Bernard Lee Sellers and Gilbert D. Mathews, arrested Sunday on a

D. Mathews. arrested Sunday on a charge of hunting without a license, were found not guilty in a jury trial in Justice A. W. Kavens' court here Tuesday. Both men entered a plea of not guilty to the thereof a plea of not guilty to the charge.

Time of the funeral had not been set late Wednesday. Arrangements are in charge of Donelson & Sewell and services will be at the North Plains church with inter-

en window and entered the estabfoot when laid with WPA supplied (Continued on page 5, column 1)

## **Power Chief** to Talk Here

Preparations for the mass-meeting of Hillsboro citizens with J. D. Ross, new Bonneville power administrator, continued apace this week with the naming of a fourman committee to handle final arthe Oregon Electric railroad track by Deputy Sheriff Hallie Ireland, where they had evidently been tossed as the burglars made their get-

group, which includes L. C. Kramien, J. E. Lewton, and Frank Schulmerich. Ross will discuss problems of Bonneville power distribution in general and the set-up as he sees it for Hillsboro when he comes of assorted cigarettes, according to a here on his first visit Monday eve-

cards and packages, get them in early and take the proper precautions in mailing them."

Addresses should be complete in all cases, with house number and street name, post-office box, or rural route number plainly written or printed. Return addresses should be placed in the upper left hand corner, McPheeters said. It is preferred that the address be placed on only one side of the package. Among the other precautions which should is not provided in the package. Among the other precautions which should is not provided in the proper precautions and take the proper precautions in mailing them."

Which will be held in the Beaverton high school next Tuesday, it was announced by L. E. Francis, assistant county agent, yesterday.

R. H. Rohe, assistant manager of the Pacific Poultry Producers' Cooperative association, will discoperative association and about \$65 taken, it was also made to open the humidore trials which have been conducted in this county and its ferror discoperative.

There pin-ball machines were jimmied and about \$65 taken, it was also made to open the during the package. The doubt provided by breaking and opening a win-her of by breaking and opening a

## Schick Diphtheria Immunity Test Scheduled for Hillsboro

diphtheria immunity test scheduled or send their children Saturday for this Saturday at the county the test if they wish to assure themhealth office in the court house was selves of safety with regard to the

medith office in the court house was selves of safety with regard to the pointed out this week by Dr. D. C. McDonald, county health officer.

"Diphtheria cases in the city of Portland are on the increase," Dr. McDonald and the two county nurses visited the Portland isolations of the court house was selves of safety with regard to the dangerous disease. A charge of 10 materials used in the Schick test.

Dr. McDonald and the two county nurses visited the Portland isolations.

Toxin-antitoxin vaccinations are protections against diphtheria, the county health officer pointed out, Supports much of the lawlessness. Dope running and smuggling ran rampant during that time, with an estimated customs revenue of over \$30,000,000 being lost at the port of Tseinetsin during the period from August, 1934, to May, 1935, Sos add. Trouble United Chinese

Japan also made an attempt have northern Chinese armies set up their own autonomous government, but asside from a few renegade to thave northern Chinese armies at unternormal to the properties of the county and the properties of the county bealth officer pointed out, but there is no assurance that every vaccination will produce the desired immunity. The Schick test to be diangerous a diangerous at this protection of the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone connections and touched off the circuit while repairing telephone co

Phelps and Harry Hill, owners, have long felt that another theatre run in conjunction with the Venetian would enable them to present to Hillsboro and vicinity the finest pictures being produced.

Mathematics is planned.

And there is some to number of severe cases of diphemasures are taken. Despite the fact that this disease can be prevented, there new cases were reported in Portland last week.

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Toxin, antitoxin, vaccinations are to number of severe cases of diphemasures are taken. Despite the fact there is some to number of severe cases of diphemasures are taken. Despite the fact the finest pictures being produced. not diphtheria, it was reported.

Scarlet fever is also among the