

Burglars Visit Several Places During Week

Burglars who visited the Farmers' Union warehouse on South Second avenue some time Friday night will be able to equip a whole set of houses if they continue trading farm machinery in on home supplies at the rate they established that night.

For the second time in as many visits, the thieves left a mower machine guard on the office counter. The guard was not used for anything in the prowling of the building, and was possibly left as a trademark, sheriff's reports stated. The swapping thieves gained a net haul of one automatic toaster, an electric waffle iron, an electric iron, one flashlight, and seven or eight half-gallon tins of honey.

Entrance to the warehouse was made through a back window after breaking in a pane of glass. The tool room and tire room were gone through, but nothing was missing there, the report stated.

Burial Box Stolen

Someone with unique tastes removed a wooden coffin box from the Middleton cemetery last week between the time of its delivery there Thursday afternoon and the time of a funeral held there Friday morning, according to a report received by Sheriff John W. Connell from Holman and Lutz, Portland undertakers.

Investigation disclosed that the cemetery is on the old highway near Sherwood and could be noticed only by those going to or from the town. The box had evidently been taken some time around midnight. The guess was hazarded that someone appropriated the box, which was equipped with heavy brass handles, with the idea that it could easily be converted into a first-class trunk.

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Burglarized Second Time

Just two weeks after having been broken into the first time, Smith's Gardens at Garden Home were burglarized last Sunday evening, according to a sheriff's office report and three cartons of assorted cigarettes and a box of those going to or from the town. The box had evidently been taken some time around midnight. The guess was hazarded that someone appropriated the box, which was equipped with heavy brass handles, with the idea that it could easily be converted into a first-class trunk.

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An automobile driven by Jesus Robago, section worker from Condon, crashed into a telephone pole west of the Beaverton city limits one morning last week, according to a sheriff's office report, and tore the pole from the ground. The car then continued along the roadside, tearing out 30 or 40 feet of wire fence before coming to a halt.

Arthur B. Gardner of Forest Grove was fined \$5 and costs in Justice A. W. Havens' court here Monday on a charge of using switched license plates. He had been arrested by State Policeman Walter Hatfield.

Extension Center Classes to Start

The winter term of the Portland extension center of the state system of higher education will open on Monday, January 2. Eighteen new courses will be offered and in addition many of the classes given during the past term will be available to new students. Students registered during the fall term totaled 2012 in the 150 different courses.

The classes will continue to meet in Lincoln high school from 7:15 p. m. to 9:15 p. m. and at the central library in the late afternoons at 4:15. Catalogues and information may be obtained from the Portland Center office, 814 Oregon building, Telephone ATwater 2919.

No more fags needed or wanted at this time.—Argus.

This Week's Patterns



A YOUTHFUL, informal dress that holds its own in chic at all occasions is found in Pattern 8071. As a tea-time or dinner frock this bow-trimmed girly model is tops. Comes in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20.

Of velvet or thin wool, the simply tailored dress of Pattern 8076 is especially adaptable for wear under winter furs. Comfortable and acceptable for afternoon wear, it is designed in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 40.

The apron of Pattern 8040 will make an excellent holiday gift and is a welcome addition to the kitchen wardrobe of a busy housewife. In sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48.

The pinafore dress with an exact duplicate for her doll of Pattern 8081 will delight any girl. Braided trim and puffed sleeves add chic to the simple dress. Designed for sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years with corresponding doll sizes 12, 16, 20, 22 and 24 inches tall.

To obtain a PATTERN and STEP-BY-STEP SEWING INSTRUCTIONS of any of the above, be sure to MENTION THE NAME OF THIS NEWSPAPER.

Address your envelope to Hillsboro Argus Fashion Bureau, 11-13 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., enclosing 15 cents IN COIN, your NAME, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER and SIZE.

Davis Guilty, Jury Decides Wednesday

Frank Davis was found guilty on a statutory charge by a circuit court jury in a verdict returned late Wednesday afternoon. Trial of Davis, 44, who was arrested in Hillsboro last October 7, was begun here Monday morning. He was given 24 hours in which to arrange for his bail, set at the original amount of \$2000 and is allowed until December 31 to file a motion for a new trial.

Trial of Paul Robert Bibb, accused of shooting Ed Grosz on the Martin Heerd farm near Quatama ten days ago, was postponed when he appeared in circuit court last Thursday. He was given time to decide on what course of action he wished to follow.

Ruth Lesser and Edwin Smith, arrested a week ago on a statutory charge, pleaded guilty Thursday in court. They were given their liberty until the date set for sentence, which will be February 19.

Suit for the recovery of miscellaneous equipment was filed last week by the Alaska Junk company against L. N. Tompkins Lumber company and the Vadis Lumber company.

Many Orders Given

Orders given in circuit court during the past week included Leslie E. Hopkins vs Harry F. Eliander, dismissal; Minter Burton vs Thomas Melvin Burtin, dismissal; liquidation of Shute Savings bank, order to make partial payment of taxes on assets; Louis T. and Mike J. Vischer vs C. Brington et al, order; A. H. Vincent, W. M. Evans and Fritz Elmer vs Josia V. and Pamela J. Edwards, et al, decree; Wilma E. Harshberger vs Fred Harshberger, order; State of Oregon, acting by the World War Veterans State aid commission vs Inez Ann Atkins et al, judgment, ordering sale of property; First National bank of Cottage Grove vs. W. E. Weise, order of sale of property; liquidation of Bank of Beaverton, order; E. J. Vogel vs H. W. Willson, default order and judgment.

County court orders of the last week included estates of E. Quackebush, John P. Smith, Joseph Werre, Philip Lorenz Schaefer, Alice Moore, Bishop Carl Gruber, Louise E. Bacon, Julia A. Vincent and Anna C. Walter, and in the guardianship of Alfred John and Margaret Isabelle Tannler, Charles Eugene Brandaw, John W. Smith and A. W. Steele.

Rebuilt Bridge Opened

The 375-foot pile trestle on the road between Dille and Spring Hill was re-opened Saturday according to County Engineer J. W. Barney. The bridge had been closed since the first of the month for rebuilding work.

Warrant's Are Called

Another call for warrants, including all those endorsed "not paid for want of funds" on or before October 5, 1937, was issued by Mrs. Maud Dossow this week. Interest on such warrants will cease tomorrow, it was announced.

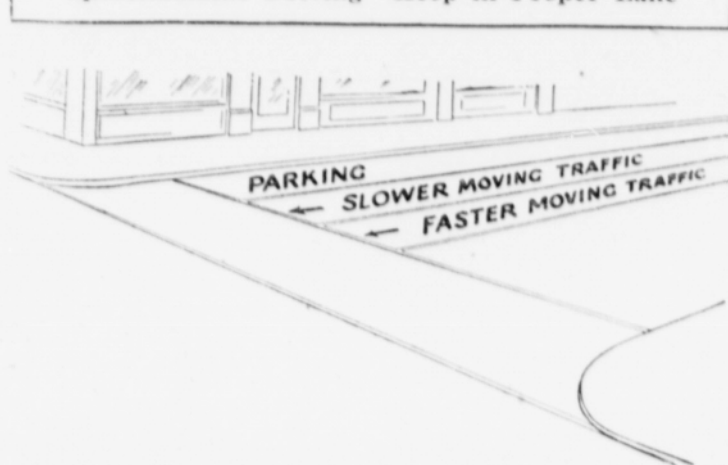
Births

Berger—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Berger of near Hillsboro, December 18, a boy.

Rumsey—To Mr. and Mrs. James Rumsey of Portland, December 21, a boy, at Jones hospital.

"The Great Market Place of Washington County"—the Argus classified page. List your wants in these columns.

Sportsmanlike Driving—Keep in Proper Lane



Moving in the proper lane of traffic expedites traffic and assures a greater degree of safety. Illustrated above are the proper lanes on a city street. Keep your car in the proper lane. Sportsmanlike Drivers do this.

Fourth Quarter Tax Collection Shows Increase

Tax collections for Washington county during the quarter ending December 15 amounted to \$107,790.49 for taxes on the 1937 roll, and \$36,486.61 for 1936 and prior taxes. It was revealed late yesterday afternoon by O. R. Hemsing, tax deputy in Sheriff J. W. Connell's office.

Total tax collections for the whole of 1937, including rebates, amounted to \$733,404.67, which leaves an uncollected balance of \$160,494.94 in the year's tax roll of \$893,899.61. This represents a percentage collection of 80 per cent for the whole year, with 14,204 tax receipts having been issued for current year's taxes.

This represents a 1.5 per cent increase over the 1936 tax collections, reckoned on the same date last year, when they amounted to \$817,094.52. The 1937 collections show a gain of \$10,178.33 over last year. Including the 1936 taxes collected this year, a grand total of \$817,094.52 has been collected of the 1936 roll, including rebates, Hemsing said.

News Highlights

Wednesday, December 22

President Roosevelt reaffirms his intention to cut federal expenditures and says that congress and party majority must accept responsibility.

Japanese admit boarding Panay, but deny machine-gunning.

Secretary of Labor Perkins announces that hearing will be held to get at truth of charge that Harry Bridges is a communist alien, subject to deportation.

Spanish rebels capture strategic Teruel.

Divorce Suits Filed

Rose Rithaler vs. Walter F. Rithaler.

Too Late to Classify

WANTED—Man to clear land—Roy E. Bierly, Kinton, on Scholls road. 43

NICELY furnished 3-room duplex apartment, furnace heat, private bath, and garage.—819 E. Main street. 43ff

Robb Building Offices Opened

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ranked as dean of the local medical profession, graduated from the University of Toronto with the now famous "country doctor." Dr. Alan Roy Dafeo, who gained world-wide renown through his famous charges, the Dionne quintuplets.

Union Strife Brought to Halt

Christmas will witness a peaceful labor front in Hillsboro, with pickets having been removed Wednesday from both the Fairway and Highway markets, clearing the labor scene here for the first time in ten weeks.

"A satisfactory agreement to both parties was reached," Huber Kim-

merle, official of the Fairway market, reported yesterday at the conclusion of conferences held here. Pickets were removed from the Fairway Wednesday morning when negotiations were begun.

Simultaneously with the removal of Fairway pickets, they were also taken from the Highway market on East Baseline, which had been picketed because Harley Cruse, proprietor there, was allegedly receiving goods which were delivered later to the Fairway.

Christmas STOLLEN

Don't overlook this for Christmas breakfast—rich and full of fruit. **15c** Each

Christmas Rolls, assorted. Doz. 20c
Order them early this year.

Mince and Pumpkin Pies. Each 25c
Perfection's own mince meat. None better.

Peppermint Candy Cake 29c, 34c, 49c
Our famous white cake with tasty marshmallow icing flavored with real peppermint candy.

PERFECTION BAKERY

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We Wish Everybody a **A MERRY XMAS**

For a Well Balanced Meal Make Your Selections from These MONEY-SAVING SPECIALS!

Produce Specials
We Have the FRESHEST Money Can Buy!

Sweet Spuds
4 lbs. 15c

Cranberries
2 lbs. 23c

Oranges
Sweet and Juicy
2 dozen -19c

We have the finest **LETUCE UTAH CELERY BANANAS** in town

COFFEE
GOLDEN WEST
1-lb. tin 27c
2-lb. tin 53c

OLIVES San Jaun Large, ripe. 2 tins 29c

Cranberry Sauce 17-oz. tin, Ocean Spray 2 tins 25c

Fruit for Cocktail No. 1 15c
DEL MONTE

Fruit for Salads Del Monte No. 1 tin 19c

PINEAPPLE 2 for 35c
Dundee, No. 2 1/2 tin, Broken Sliced.

OYSTERS OTTER COVE 2 tins 25c

PEAS H. & D. Tiny size No. 2 tins 35c

ASPARAGUS Golden West, No. 2 tin 22c

CORN H. & D. Bantam, No. 2 tins 25c

Tomato Juice Armour's, 10-oz. tin 5c
Vitamins A, B and C

Candied Peels Lemon, Orange, Pound 19c

XMAS CANDY
Old Fashioned CHOCOLATES 2 lbs. 25c
SATIN MIX 2 lbs. 23c
Assorted CHOCOLATES 2 1/2-lb. box 69c
Assorted CHOCOLATES 5-lb. box 89c

WINE
Tiffany Fortified Pt. 25c qt. 45c
1/2-gal. 85c Gal. \$1.40

BEER
Town Club Lager 12-oz. tins 3 cans 29c
(Case, 24 tins \$2.25)

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Season's Best Wishes

Another year rolls around and old friendships are riper, mellower. To all our old friends—and to the new—we wish the happiest Christmas of all, bright and snowy as a freshly-laundered shirt from the

Home Laundry & Dry Cleaners
Telephone 47 Hillsboro, Ore.

The Season's Greetings

May we wish you continued success and happiness at this joyous Christmas-tide and all through the coming year.

We thank you for past patronage and welcome an opportunity to serve you during 1938!

Roth Dairy
High Grade Milk and Cream
Box 342 Hillsboro

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Ducks - Geese - Chickens

For Your Christmas Dinner

THE finest birds in Washington county have been carefully selected for you—delicious, tender meat and tasty flavor. Your Christmas dinner is sure to be a success if you select the bird from the large, quality stock at the HILLSBORO MEAT CO.

For the Holidays

BAKED STAR HAM
Clarified with Cherries
ANNOUNCE DECEMBER MEAL OF THE MONTH

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY

LARD Pure and Sweet, 3 lbs. 35c

OYSTERS WILLAPAS, QUART 39c

HAMS LB. 25c
Flavor Tested. Half or Whole.

CHICKENS Fresh Killed, LB. 19c

LINK SAUSAGE Home Made, Lb. 20c

PORK ROAST Young and Tender, Lb. 17 1/2c

VEAL ROAST Meaty Cuts, Lb. 15c

Jewel Short'ng 4 lbs. 49c

Summer Sausage Thuringer Style, Lb. 19c

HILLSBORO MEAT CO.
EAT THE BEST - PAY THE LEAST
FREE DELIVERY

Parkay OLEO Pound 20c

Mince Meat None Such 2 pkgs. 23c

ZEE KITCHEN TOWELS 3 rolls 25c

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