

"Happy Days" Firemen Greet Sprague



Four members of the Hillsboro Volunteer Firemen's association, sponsors of the annual "Happy Days" celebration here, were on hand Monday to greet Governor Charles A. Sprague when the state executive visited Hillsboro and delivered a patriotic address in Shute park. They are (left to right): Vernon Hadley, A. L. Brock, (Governor Sprague), Andrew Young, and Jay Phillips. (Cut courtesy The Oregonian)

Rotary Installs New Officers; President Amacher Tells of Trip to National Convention

A. L. Amacher, local certified public accountant and new president of the Hillsboro Rotary club, officially took over his duties at the Rotary luncheon in the chamber of commerce rooms at noon today (Thursday). He succeeds Tom Bronkewicz as president. Other officers are: Tom Bailey, vice-president; J. L. Anderson, secretary; and W. C. Christensen, O. B. Gates, Percy Hillis, and T. G. Bronkewicz, directors.

Amacher returned Friday from attendance at the Rotary International convention in Cleveland, Ohio, and he made his report at the luncheon today. The trip, he said, involved three new experiences, a long trip by plane, a "serious" convention and an introduction to Nebraska mud.

"Regarding the long plane trip," reports Amacher, "I can heartily recommend air travel to anyone who has any distance to travel and to whom time is an item. It took six days of driving to cover the same distance that plane covered in ten hours of flying time. Air travel in one of the 'Mainliners' is smooth, quiet, and relaxing. One can read or write in comfort, and the steady drone of the motors is conducive to dozing if one is sleepy. Meals are served on the plane (included in the price of the ticket). Lavatories are provided, and the stewardess will even loan you an electric razor if you wish to shave en route. Every thought is given to the comfort of the passenger; the planes are heated and air-conditioned. There is an outside ventilator at each seat which the passenger may open or close to suit his own desire. Except when taking off or landing, passengers may move about at will. The stewardess and the captain make it a point to talk to each passenger, requiring as to his comfort and answering his questions about the operation and location of the plane.

"The city of Cleveland was a perfect host to the Rotarians. The men, taxi-drivers, and hotel employees were the height of courtesy. Women and children were given special consideration and I have never attended another convention at which so many entertainment features were provided for them. Apparently this is characteristic of Rotary conventions for there were many women and children present. The men were kept busy with special meetings and general sessions from morning to night. It was evident from the serious and efficient conduct of the convention, that Rotary plays more than an incidental part in the lives of leading Rotarians.

"It was on my return trip by auto that I met Nebraska mud. My route, as mapped by the A. A. A., included a 17-mile stretch of "gravel" road near Lincoln, Nebraska. I had just started on this road when I was greeted by heavy showers, which rapidly turned the gravel into a slippery, gummy, yellow mud. After 10 or 12 miles of this, the wheels and body of the car were so covered with this 'yellow gumbo' I could not longer get traction, and had to halt a tow-car and be towed to the nearest paved road.

"My cross-country trip took me through ten states, including Oregon. My strongest impression is of the abundance and variety of natural resources enjoyed by our country. Factories, farms, mines, oil wells, dairies, ranches, scenery, climate. Surely, there is nothing man needs that is not available here. And when I got back to Oregon I could not think of a single one of these resources that is not available within the boundaries of our own state."

President Amacher said a talk by

German People Satisfied, Fischer Says After Trip

"The German people are satisfied with the dictatorship of Adolf Hitler. They believe he has pulled them out of it," it was declared here Wednesday by George Fischer, Hillsboro Meat company proprietor, on his return from a trip to Germany.

Fischer said his parents, who live at Stuttgart, are living in a new home since his last visit 13 years ago and that a sister also has a new house. They are supporting the Hitler regime and think kindly of him personally.

Including a day's stopover in New York to see the world's fair, Fischer's trip from Germany to Hillsboro required but eight days. He embarked on the German liner Bremen on a Friday night, arrived in New York harbor the following Thursday, spent a day at the world's fair, left by plane for Portland at 11:45 p. m. Friday and arrived in Hillsboro at 3:30 p. m. Saturday.

While in Germany, Fischer said, he toured many cities and talked with a great many people, all of whom expressed their loyalty for the German leader. Fischer speaks German fluently.

Glenns of Der Fuehrer were had by the Hillsboro resident on two occasions during his stay, both times in street parades.

Happy Days Crowds Ignore Rain Threat

(Continued from page 1) together for an All-States picnic, which was sponsored and supervised by the Hillsboro Lions club. Games and contests with \$35 in prizes were participated in after the lunch. The Knights of Columbus lodge was in charge.

Dairy Creek Beaten
Baseball fans drifted across the Tualatin highway during the afternoon to Hillsboro's ball diamond, where they witnessed a powerful Day Creek nine get beaten by Forest Grove's hard-hitting squad. (See story on sports page.)

Governor Charles A. Sprague was a "Happy Days" visitor on Monday. Arriving here at about 11:30 a. m., the governor was greeted by a reception committee composed of Young Republicans and members of the Washington county executive committee of the Republican central committee. Because of threatening rain, the Republican picnic and rally originally scheduled for Shute park was held at the Hillsboro chamber of commerce. About 80 party workers and guests attended.

Speaks at Auditorium
Following lunch, the governor was escorted by Republican friends and Hillsboro officials to the Shute park pavilion, where a large audience heard him speak on the meaning of "Independence." (Story on this page.)

The baseball diamond became the center of interest for sports fans again on Monday afternoon, when Hillsboro's American Legion Juniors won their first district playoff battle, nosing out the Salem Junior Legion team, 5 to 4. (Story on sports page.)

Free acts on the midway twice daily and evening dances attracted their share of attention on each of the three days, with carnival concessions amusing holiday throngs from morning until night.

Events on the Fourth opened with a gala parade through Hillsboro's downtown section and thence down

Critical Injuries Are Suffered In Collision

Mrs. George E. Fisk, 29, Hillsboro, route 4, was critically injured in Portland on July Fourth when an automobile in which she was riding turned over after colliding with a vehicle driven by John Conner, 24, of Portland.

Suffering from fractures of the right shoulder and cheek bone and multiple face lacerations, she was taken to the Portland sanitarium, where her condition was reported "not good." Charges of reckless driving and failure to have a driver's license were filed against Conner, who was jailed with bail set at \$250.

The accident occurred at the intersection of 79th avenue and Burnside street. Conner's machine was reported to have skidded 36 feet.

Teachers Must Get Health Certificates

In accordance with a new state law passed by the last legislature, both grade and high school teachers in Washington county must file health certificates with the county superintendent's office before starting 1939-40 classes. It was declared Wednesday by Supt. O. B. Kraus.

Health examinations checking on tuberculosis and other communicable diseases must be conducted by licensed medical doctors, he said. Blank certificates are now available in the superintendent's office.

Hospital News

Smith's Hospital—
Robert Meyers of Hillsboro was treated on June 30 for a lacerated finger.

J. L. Snyder entered the hospital June 29 for medical treatment of injuries sustained when he fell out of a cherry tree.

John Lichenow was at the hospital June 29 for treatment of broken wrists having broken both wrists when he fell from a hay wagon.

Buster Stansell entered the hospital June 29 for treatment of injuries received in a motorcycle accident.

William H. McClary receiving medical treatment at the hospital. Mrs. D. Olinger underwent a major operation July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. May had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Halstead of Los Angeles. The Mays included a trip to Mt. Rainier, Wash., in the plans for the entertainment of their guests.

Jones Hospital—
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Medford Persons of Orenco, a girl, July 1.

Laveta Jackson, son of Ashley Jackson of Cornelius, received treatment the Fourth for a broken arm.

Oak street to the park, where patriotic exercises in the auditorium were witnessed by more than 500 persons. (See story on page 2)

A mass band concert of the Bethany, Helvetia and Forest Grove bands followed immediately after the Shute pavilion events.

One of the most bitterly fought baseball conflicts ever witnessed in Hillsboro was waged on the local diamond the afternoon of the Fourth when Dairy Creek conquered the powerful Verboort nine 1-0. (Story on sports page.)

Probably no larger crowd has ever jammed Shute park than that which witnessed the fireworks display the night of the Fourth. Cars overflowed the large parking spaces available and were to be found lined solidly along the curbs for many blocks distant from the park.

Traffic on the Tualatin highway already burdened by thousands of motorists returning from coast resorts via the new Wolf Creek route, crawled at a snail's pace through the congested area from Baseline street past the park.

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