

Nimrods Desert City As Deer Season Opens

License, Tag Sales in Local Checking Station Indicate Extensive Following

Donning red hats and shirts, Hillsboro nimrods staged their annual mass exodus into the hills this week and were on the trail of fleet-footed deer as hunting season opened Wednesday morning. Brisk sales of resident hunters' licenses and special antlerless deer tags at Corwin's hardware, local checking station, indicated large numbers from this county were answering the woods call.

A checkup at the tag station Tuesday revealed that 43 hunting licenses and 31 special tags had been sold here since September 2. Most of the parties leaving Monday and Tuesday were bound for eastern Oregon counties, where killing of antlerless deer is being licensed.

Leave Early

One of the earliest departures from Hillsboro was a party composed of O. Russell, Aragon, Al Gottman, Al and Bob Busca, W. K. Darnley, John Gardner, Bill Irig, John, and E. W. Lewis of Portland. They steered their course for 12000 acres in the John Day country.

Sheriff J. W. Conner and Al Janssen of Heedville were with another party which left early and Deputy Sheriff Halie Ireland was off to Eastern Oregon with a party including Henry Chapman, Arny Schoenbacher, Jake Kemmer, Otto Leopold and a few others from the Cooper Mountain district.

Head for Burns

A party of eight including George Harris, Jim Wiley, Dr. W. H. Pasley, W. H. Bennett, Nye Bryant and four others grabbed their shooting irons and left over the week-end for Crow's creek near Burns. On Wilbur Dillon's arm as he left for the buck country was his wife, Theresa, who is an eager hunt fan.

Other hunters from this city who left to get in on the early shooting were Ben Faber, Bill Ziegler, Bob Corrier, Tom Shuck, Ross Tupper, Howard Hailey, Bill Jenkins, Ralph Wilson, Ross Hall, Bill Freeman, Clifford Metzger, W. L. Eason, W. J. Hoag, Walter Jones, A. J. Spiller, and Steven Lauck.

Get Licenses

In addition, other Washington county names found on hunting and tagging license stubs at Corwin's checking station here were as follows: Ruben Kurati, Robert Smith, Hillsboro, Sam Strubb, Buxton star route, W. J. O'Neil, Calvin O'Connor, L. B. Howell, Edith Howell, all of Hillsboro route 2; Jake Ruffer, Hillsboro route 1; Frank Johnston, Clay Dorland, Hillsboro route 3; Cecil Boge, Glenn Faxon, Hillsboro route 4; A. J. Tupper, Ernest Brunswick, Francis Keaton, Robert Brunswick, Frank Kiltson, J. E. Willis, Cornelius route 1; David Strubb, Buxton, Floyd H. Karns, Orenco, Louie Madden, Beaverton; H. Candaver, Beaverton route 2; Earl Tupper, Eugene; James Hunter, Forest Grove route 1; Theodore Vanderzand, Banks route 1; H. W. and Vernon Westcott, Gaston; George Behrman, Cornelius; Lance Brown, Timber, and W. H. Hattorn, Gates Creek.

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Business Class Series to Be Resumed Here

Evening education classes for Hillsboro business people such as those held in the chamber of commerce rooms here this spring will again be available this fall, according to word received Monday by J. W. Poynter, local supervisor, from Ariel E. V. Dunn, state supervisor of distributive education.

"The same sort of organization as was used for the spring classes will be used for the fall series," Poynter said. "When a sufficient number of persons profess interest in the same available subject, they will be organized into a class and a professor secured for them."

Eight lessons of two hours each with two lessons per week constitute the usual class schedule, Poynter said, but class arrangements may be altered according to circumstances.

It has been suggested that classes in Hillsboro might be organized around the following subjects: card writing, window display, book-keeping and speech problems. It is advised that there be fifteen persons in a class so that the tuition charge can be held to a minimum. Part of the cost is paid by the state. The tuition charge in most cases is held to a maximum of two dollars a person for the full eight lessons. Fees are collected at the beginning of the class schedule.

Carried on under the auspices of school district No. 7, these classes offer an opportunity for Hillsboro businessmen to bring themselves or their employees to a higher degree of efficiency by learning better business methods, last year's supporters said. Anyone interested may get further information by calling or writing to J. W. Poynter, superintendent of schools, Hillsboro.

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No Fish Story



When Sammy Inkley, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. D. Meek of North Plains and S. C. Inkley of Banks, displayed a new wrist watch this week and explained that it was his reward for catching the biggest salmon in the recent Astoria fish derby, he was also able to prove that he was no "fish story." The salmon, largest to be caught by a boy of 14 years or under, tipped the scales at 45 pounds.

Caravan Tour Officials See New Highway

Joining with public officials from Forest Grove, Vernonia, Rainier and Longview, Wash., the Washington county court were among the 50 or more road-booster who made out a caravan travel party Tuesday over the \$2,000,000 highway from Vernonia to Rainier.

Uncompleted as yet although open to public travel, the 28-mile piece of gravel road will make it possible for traffic from Eugene and other points south to travel due north through Forest Grove, Vernonia and over the Longview bridge to Seattle.

Forming in Rainier at 10 a. m. Tuesday, the caravan party stopped at Vernonia for lunch and concluded its trip with an enthusiastic "road-booster" meeting in the Grove chamber of commerce.

Expressions of hope that the new shortcut road will be completed soon were heard from an array of speakers including Judge H. D. Kerkman and Commissioners J. W. Hughes and James Lewis of Washington county. Forest Grove road boosters, Loyal Graham, John Thornburgh and Fred Gardner, Charles Roe, secretary of the Forest Grove chamber of commerce, Fred W. Herman and Mayor Wilbur J. Smith of Rainier; Judge J. B. Wilkerson and Commissioners William Pringle and J. N. Miller of Columbia county, and a number of Longview officials.

Burglar Gets \$233 in Night Store Prowl

Marauder Enters Through Warehouse Window; Ole Nielson Investigates

Prowlers Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning forced entrance into the Fairway market on the corner of Main and Second avenue here and escaped with a deposit box containing \$233 in cash and checks, it was reported by City Officer Ole Nielson, who is conducting an investigation.

Entry was made by breaking a window in the south warehouse door and bending a steel bar fastened on the inside of the door. After a hasty checkup, Huber Kimberlie, manager, stated that nothing else is believed to be missing. About \$115 was in cash.

Two Boys Sought

Two boys, both 15 years of age, missing from the St. Mary's home for boys at Huber since Saturday night, were being sought by Washington county authorities this week.

According to school officials who reported the juvenile hezira, the boys robbed their schoolmates of small change and a suitcase before leaving Authorities in neighboring counties are being notified.

Mrs. C. Rosewarne of near Tualatin reported to the sheriff's office Monday that someone entered her house, located across from the Red Rock dairy, between August 7 and September 5 while she was away and stole an expensive rug and other items. Entrance was made by jimmying a window.

Ten sacks of barley were reportedly stolen sometime within the past week from the George Fisher place at Buxton.

Reedville First Over Top in Junior Red Cross Work

Reedville is the first school in Washington county to claim 100 per cent membership in the Junior Red Cross movement, it was announced Monday by O. B. Kraus, chairman of the campaign in Washington county. Four rooms with a total enrollment of about 100 pupils turned in their annual dues here Monday, Kraus said.

Enrollment in the county this year is expected to exceed the top figure of the 1933-34 campaign when 112 school rooms embracing about 2700 pupils joined up, it was said.

For annual dues of 50 cents per room, each group of Junior Red Cross members receives a monthly magazine of news from chapters all over the world, a banner and badge for the members. The movement has been organized to promote good will between nations.

Giant Horned Owl Killed in Raid On Chicken Yard

A big horned owl measuring 25 inches from wing tip to tip was reported killed early Wednesday morning by Carl Seiffert at his home just south of Scholls. The giant bird, only rarely seen in this vicinity, was brought to earth with a shotgun blast when it made a raid on Seiffert's chicken yard.

Mrs. Seiffert, who reported the kill, said she was awakened at day-break Wednesday by the loud cackling of her chickens. On investigating, Mr. Seiffert was surprised to see the nocturnal invader in his yard.

Red foxes, also a rarity in Washington county wild life, have been reported seen around the Scholls-Laurel area by neighbors in the vicinity of Seiffert's place.

Annual Report Shows County School Costs

The total cost of maintaining Washington county's grade schools during the year 1933-34 was \$805,898.22, it was disclosed this week in the annual school report of Superintendent O. B. Kraus. Cash on hand as of June, 1933, the start of the fiscal year, was \$45,101.68, the report showed.

Receipts during the fiscal period were \$749,823.25, of which the following are the principal items: special taxes of districts, \$312,423.12; county school fund, \$89,173.61; elementary school fund, \$53,253.42; county school fund, \$11,951.76; Smith-Hughes fund, \$3,707.16; short term loans, \$30,982.61; sale of bonds, \$51,808.37; warrants issued and outstanding, \$24,251.92.

Largest item listed among disbursements was salaries for superintendents, principals and teachers, \$314,225.87; next largest, new buildings, \$184,828.07; other principal items, transportation, \$47,433; janitors, \$29,780.11; fuel and heat, \$10,335.41; light and power, \$5,625.21; water, \$2,941.99; materials for cafeterias, manual training and domestic science departments, \$2,672.96; new furniture and equipment, \$14,274.16; bonds paid off, \$34,000; interest on bonds, \$14,051.89; warrants paid off, \$34,000; interest on warrants, \$4,641.33.

Cash on hand as of June, 1934, ending the school year, was \$45,101.68, according to the fiscal report.

High School Budget Meeting is Set

The initial budget meeting for union high school district No. 3 has been called for Tuesday, September 25, it was announced this week by M. P. Cady, chairman of the high school board. Other members of the board, each of whom will bring one taxpayer-member of the budget committee are Tom Goodman, John Kamms, W. G. McNay and John Gates Jr.

The Hillsboro grade school budget meeting has been set for Monday night, November 25. Both boards have enough drafts of their anticipated expenditures and receipts for the 1933-34 year already outlined.

Ex-County Assessor Here Dies

William F. Boley Passing Closes Book on Long Public Service Record

William Franklin Boley, 80, Washington county assessor for 19 years and a resident of Hillsboro for the past 28 years, died suddenly Friday, apparently of a heart attack. He had been in ill health for a number of years.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Donelson and Sewell chapel, Rev. Andrew Carrick officiating with interment in the Hillsboro cemetery. Graveyard services were conducted by the A. F. & A. M. in which lodge Mr. Boley was a member. He was also a member of the Hillsboro I. O. O. F. chapter.

One Survivor

Mr. Boley's only survivor is a niece, Mrs. Ada Traux of Sycamore, Ohio, his wife, Nellie having preceded him in death September 1, 1925. Mr. Boley was born on August 29, 1859, in Ohio, the son of Catherine Etchen, a native of Germany, and Joseph Boley, a native of France. Many county officers attended the former county assessor's funeral.

Honorary pallbearers were M. H. Stevenson, Ed Bowman, B. M. Goodman, C. D. Williams, William N. Kent and Jack Murton. Don Meagher acted as worshipful master and B. M. Goodman as secretary at the graveside service.

Came from Ohio

Before coming to North Plains in the year 1911, Mr. Boley had been a resident of Seattle for one year. Prior to that he was one of the leading citizens of Fostoria, Ohio, having served as mayor of that city for six years. He also served as principal of the Fostoria high school for a time, was clerk of the board of education for a number of years and served on the teachers' examination board.

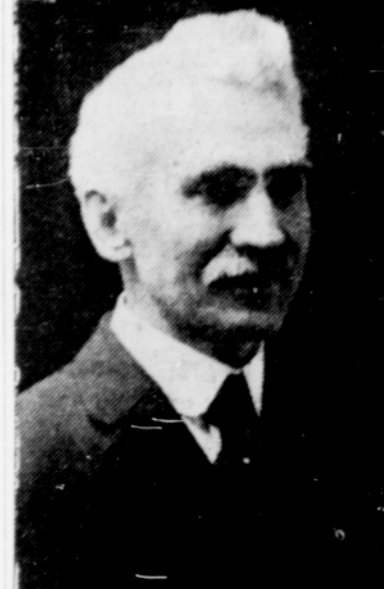
He was married to Nellie C. Beckwith in Peoria, Ill. June 21, 1905. At North Plains he was a justice of the peace from 1911 to 1914, and in Washington county served as deputy county assessor from 1914 to 1916 and as county assessor from 1916 to 1933.

Council Drafts Rough Budget

Hillsboro's city council in special session Thursday night tackled its annual job of whipping another year's budget into shape. State law requires that the budget be drafted and adopted by November 1.

The regular budget meeting at which time the budget committee will submit its recommendations based on the council's original rough draft, has been set for September 27. A public hearing date will then be set and 20 days allowed for public notice.

Record Closed



William Franklin Boley, former Washington county assessor, who died suddenly Friday.

Three Loggers Injured in Woods Mishaps

Woods accidents accounted for serious injuries to three Washington county mill and logging camp workers this week. The last two mishaps were strangely parallel, having occurred in camps about one mile apart within a few hours of each other. The victims, both of whom were brought to the Jones hospital Monday are aged 19 and 20 and both are residents of Cornelius route 1.

They are Melvin Erdman, 19, who suffered serious cuts and abrasions on his face when the top of a falling tree struck him and threw him into another tree, and Eddie Wilkinson, 20, who sustained a fractured leg when a peavy broke and cast him to the ground.

Erdman was employed by the Alder Creek Timber company in holding two miles above Dixon's mill and Wilkinson on the Carl Lets operations about three miles above Dixon's mill. A previous woods accident had taken three fingers and an eye from Erdman.

The third accident victim is Oliver Westcott of Hillsboro, who fractured two ribs in a fall at the Murphy mill north of Mountaineer. He was brought to his home here and at last reports was resting comfortably. Pat Murphy, operator of the mill, was taken to a Portland hospital last week with injuries suffered in a fall.

County Court Appoints 1940 Budget Board

With its initial budget session tentatively set for Thursday, October 5, the Washington county court Wednesday announced that Al Amacher, Hillsboro; Charles Herb, Forest Grove route 2, and Elmer Guerber, Hillsboro route 1, have been appointed as a committee to work with the court in preparing the county budget for the coming year.

Department heads and officials in the various branches of county government will be notified of the initial meeting date, Judge H. D. Kerkman said. A second meeting at which time the final draft of a tentative budget will be completed will be held later in October.

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Volunteer Army to Sell D. A. V. Forget-Me-Nots on Streets of Hillsboro Friday and Saturday

A small army of volunteer workers stocked with a plentiful supply of blue "Forget-Me-Not" boutonniere will be stationed on Hillsboro street corners Friday and Saturday to sell the "flowers of remembrance" for the benefit of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

Another corps of volunteer workers will contact all stores and business offices in the city in the annual two-day campaign to raise funds for the organization to carry on its worthwhile work through the next year.

Issues Statement

For the benefit of any who might not be acquainted with the public service being rendered by the Disabled Veterans' organization, R. L. Kirkpatrick, county chapter commander, Tuesday made the following statement:

"It is the wish of the Washington county chapter of disabled American Veterans of the World War that the people of this city should know the aims and purposes of this organization, how the money it receives is spent and what its accomplishments are."

Grand Jury Returns Two Indictments

Weaver Pleads Not Guilty Assault Charge; Hudson To Plead Saturday

Two true bills of indictment were returned by the Washington county grand jury which adjourned its regular monthly session Friday. Calvin Hudson former resident of this county, was charged with larceny in the first bill and Harry Weaver, 38, Aloha, was called into court in the second bill on a charge of assault while armed with a dangerous weapon.

Hudson was arrested by federal G-men in Seattle and brought here in August on a warrant issued about three years ago. He is accused of stealing a 75-foot rubber belt and a double set of horse harness from the Edwin and George Burkhalter place south of Hillsboro where he was once employed.

Counsel Appointed

Arraigned in circuit court Saturday, Hudson was given until Saturday, September 23, to enter a plea and Neal Bush was appointed as his attorney.

Weaver was jailed last Thursday after he allegedly threw a clod of dirt weighing about four pounds through a window at Fulton B. Bowman, Aloha. Appearing in circuit court Saturday with his attorney, Paul Patterson, he entered a plea of not guilty to the indictment charge and was released after posting bond. No date was set for the trial.

Sentences Postponed

Three other men appeared before Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters on Saturday. James Bean, 28, who had pleaded guilty to a larceny charge was given his liberty with sentence postponed until some time in the future. He was represented by his attorney, Thomas H. Tongue Jr.

A postponed sentence was also the fare of Robert Callison, 26, Forest Grove route 1, who was arrested August 10 by Deputy Sheriff Dick Busch on a charge of stealing logging equipment from a camp on Wilson river. Bean was arrested with him.

Donald R. Gentry, 29, Vancouver Barracks, recurred, who admitted stealing a truck belonging to the Imperial Feed & Grain company here, will appear for sentencing on Saturday, September 23, the court declared.

VFW Sponsors Play Thursday, Friday Nights

"Coast to Coast," a three-act home talent musical comedy sponsored by the Washington county post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be presented at the Hillsboro Grange hall tonight (Thursday) and tomorrow night (Friday). Performance each night will begin at 8 o'clock.

Receipts from the play are to be used in helping disabled veterans, according to Lester Alber, post commander, who urges attendance of the public.

An outstanding cast has been selected as follows: "Madam Hycocina, Daisy Plapp," "Don Palmer," Roy Kerkman said. A second meeting at which time the final draft of a tentative budget will be completed will be held later in October.

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Hillsboro Sees Building Activity on Three Fronts



Representing building activity on three fronts, the above houses are just a few of the many new residences under construction or recently completed here. In the top row, left, is the low, rambling five-room house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bush. Next on the right is the eight-room Boston colonial residence being built on East Lincoln at Cornell road for Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Campbell. On the right is the attractive six-room modern bungalow on Fifth and Edison just completed for Howard Hillis. Middle row, left, is the five-room residence being built by Bob Beattie on Ninth avenue between Main and Lincoln. A broken roof line adds to the beauty of the six-room Cape Cod colonial, now in final stages of construction on North Fifth avenue for Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davidson (second from left, middle row.) Simplicity will be the keynote, on the other hand, of the six-room Cape Cod residence (right) being constructed for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglas at 149 North Ninth avenue. In the bottom row, left, is the five-room residence recently finished and now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hibbard on North Third. Second at bottom is the seven-room all-modern residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cox now being built on North Fifth. A party room in the basement features the Cape Cod plan on which the seven-room house of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bates (extreme right) is being built. Two more houses are due to start in the Anderson addition within ten days. In the Hills addition, preliminary construction work has begun on houses for T. M. Spencer and I. N. Kirk and work is to begin soon on houses for G. W. Spencer, George Erickson, and J. E. West. More home pictures later.