

# Sports

## Hilhi Hoopers Drop Close Tilt To Astoria Five

Astoria nosed out Hillsboro 27 to 25 Saturday night at Astoria in the opening tilt of the season for the Spartan hoopers. The score was tied at 25-25 with only seconds to go when Astoria caged the winning basket from a scramble under the Hilhi goal. Bob Amacher, Spartan center, was high point man with 10 counters.

Lineup:  
Hillsboro (25) (27) Astoria  
Stark 3 F 1 Thander  
Doyle 5 F 9 Husving  
Amacher 10 C 7 Lovvold  
MacKenzie 7 G 4 Grimberg  
Morrison 2 G 4 Gertula  
Hillsboro subs: Laird 3, Sigrist, Rasmussen, Campbell, Astoria sub: Bumala 6.

## Newberg Site Of Annual TYV Hoop Jamboree

Annual TYV league basketball jamboree with all eight member teams represented is slated for Friday night at the Newberg high school gymnasium. Hillsboro is matched against Tigard in the first game, scheduled to get under way at 8 p. m.

No individual jamboree winner will be named as in past years, it was announced. League teams will be divided into East and West squads, with Hillsboro, Forest Grove, Beaverton and Tillamook representing the West and Newberg, McMinnville, Tigard and West Linn the East.  
Four 15-minute games are planned. Three minutes will be given between the eight-minute halves.  
Schedule:  
8:00 to 8:30—Hillsboro vs. Tigard  
8:30 to 9:00—West Linn vs. Tillamook  
9:00 to 9:30—Beaverton vs. McMinnville  
9:30 to 10:00—Forest Grove vs. Newberg.



**CYO GRADE GRID CHAMPS**—St. Mary's Home for Boys won the C. Y. O. city parochial grade school championship recently by blanking Holy Rosary of Portland, 21-0. Members of the championship squad are, front row, left to right: Werner, Hansen, K. Tanner, G. Crocker, G. Washington, L. Mitchell, back row: C. Boatright, R. Bennett, A. Timson, F. Ryser, E. Jaha, A. Scott, T. Graham, D. Quinlivan and H. McCauley.—(Cut courtesy Oregonian)

## Hilhi Gridders Win Spots on All Star Eleven

Four Hillsboro Spartan gridders were named on an all-star team selected by players attending the TYV banquet at Newberg recently. Five others were selected on the second team.

All-star teams as announced last week were:  
All-star team: Miller, Newberg, right end (62); Faber, Hillsboro, right tackle (38); Hall, Hillsboro, right guard (51); McKinney, Hillsboro, center (50); Ryan, West Linn, left guard (26); Brown, Forest Grove, left tackle (33); Holden, McMinnville, left end (52); Olson, Newberg, quarterback (33); Twenge, Newberg, halfback (88); Doyle, Hillsboro, fullback (50); Twenge, Beaverton, fullback (50); Twenge, Newberg, captain (45).

All-star second team: Amacher, Hillsboro, right end (7); VanVynning, Beaverton, right tackle (31); Schwank, Hillsboro, right guard (18); Waters, Forest Grove, center (20); Heinrich, Hillsboro, left guard (17); Young, Beaverton, left tackle (20); Watt, Tillamook, left end (24); Allison, McMinnville, quarterback (18); Biggs, Beaverton, halfback (25); Harris, Hillsboro, halfback (14); Chapman, Hillsboro, fullback (30); Doyle, Hillsboro, captain (26).

## Traffic Deaths Show Increase

Oregon traffic fatalities during the first 10 months of 1944 totaled 209, which is an increase of about 10 per cent over the toll of 189 deaths for the same period of 1943. Secretary of State Bob Farrell reported this week.

The month of October saw a slight increase in fatalities with 21 this year, compared to 19 for October of 1943.  
The dark spot in the traffic accident picture this year is motor vehicle-train accidents at grade crossings, Farrell said. To date, there have been 22 persons killed in these accidents, four of them during the month of October. This far exceeds the toll of six killed during the year 1943 and is 37 per cent greater than the toll for the year with the highest number of grade crossing deaths previously, 1940 with 16 killed.  
Of the 21 persons killed in October, 11 were pedestrians, four died in grade crossing accidents, one in a bicycle accident, two in fixed object collisions, and five in non-collision accidents.

## Survey of County Schools Released

Throughout our attention should be focused on a plan for junior high schools, the report says. This should come at a time 100 when the consolidated elementary and high schools are becoming overcrowded. Then instead of enlarging these units remove the pupils of junior high school age to these junior high schools. Such a move would ease overcrowded conditions in our high schools as well as the elementary schools as the 9th grade pupils would be a part of the junior high school then.  
"The proposed program for the non-high school districts is to include all of the present districts in the non-high school district in the several union high school districts. During the past year much data has been made in this program. In 1943-44, 32 non-high school districts comprising a valuation of \$9,429,999.55. Recently 15 districts joined with Beaverton to form a new union high school district to be known as Beaverton union high school No. 101. The 1944-45 valuation is \$5,995,380.21. Two other elementary districts, Mountaineer and Meacham, joined the Hillsboro union high district. To date there are 13 non-high school districts with a valuation totaling \$2,159,818.05."  
Recommendations given in the report relative to non-high districts:  
To Banks union high add Roy, Bacon, Scofield, Buxton, Mead, Green Mountain, making a total valuation of \$1,823,807.87.  
To Tigard union high school add Garden Home making total valuation \$2,027,731.91.  
To Hillsboro U. H. S. add Centerville and Buck Mountain, making total valuation of \$9,344,377.56.  
Centerville now petitioning to join Hillsboro union district.  
To Forest Grove U. H. S. add Cornelius, Strassel and Wheeler, making total valuation of \$5,109,455.69.  
To Sherwood U. H. S. add Kruse, making valuation \$1,370,633.32.  
To Newberg U. H. S. Jt., add Elk Head, making a total valuation of \$1,370,633.32.  
To Vernonia U. H. S. Jt. add Woodland.  
Divide Tualatin between Sherwood and Tigard union high schools.

## Spartans Lose To Oregon City

Oregon City downed the Hillsboro Spartan hoopers 57 to 23 Tuesday night at Oregon City in a pre-season practice game. The winners held a 31 to 11 lead at half-time. Jack Doyle, Hilhi forward, was high point man for the locals with nine counters.

The B squad defeated the Oregon City reserves 30 to 26 in the preliminary tilt.  
Lineups:  
Hillsboro (23) (37) Oregon City  
Doyle 9 F 6 Thomas  
Stark 3 F 8 Sonderen  
Amacher 6 C 10 Rinsar on  
Morrison 4 G 9 Bakhum  
MacKenzie 1 G 4 Jones  
Substitutes: Oregon City—Holman 4, Mills 3, Larson 4, Peckover 3, Albee 6.

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## Grove Loses Opener

Vernonia defeated Forest Grove 28 to 25 last Wednesday night on the Grove floor. The winners led all the way, holding a 19 to 8 halftime score.  
Battle Equipment Safely Delivered  
Our armed forces in August received \$2,000,000 worth of battle equipment, the Ninth Service Command ordnance officer declared at Fort Douglas, Utah.  
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## Mail Service To Switzerland, France Resumed

Word has been received through the National Red Cross headquarters that mail to Switzerland and France has been resumed. Restrictions according to Mrs. A. F. Kroeger, executive secretary for Red Cross.

The following excerpts are from a bulletin sent to Mrs. Kroeger:  
Letters to France  
In addition to non-illustrated post cards, letters not exceeding 1 oz. in weight may be sent to whole of continental France, excluding the territory of Belfort and the departments of Doubs, Meurthe-et-Moselle, Meuse, Moselle, Bas-Rhin, Haut-Rhin, Haute-Saone, and Vosges. The postage rates applicable to these articles shall be those in effect prior to the suspension of service. Checks, drafts, or securities are prohibited.  
Communications  
Business communications with liberated France. The treasury department announced that restrictions on commercial and business communications with liberated France were lifted on November 4, 1944.  
Service to Switzerland Resumed  
The post office department has announced that letters, weighing not in excess of 1 ounce, and post cards may now be sent to civilians in Switzerland. The postage rates are as follows: five cents for letters and three cents for post cards. Registration, money order, air mail and parcel post services are not available at this time.  
This does not affect prisoner of war mail.  
Limited service resumed to certain areas. In a recent announcement the post office department stated that non-illustrated post cards on personal or family matters may be mailed to civilians in Greece, exclusive of Crete, Macedonia, and Thrace.  
The postage rate applicable for these cards is three cents each, the same as was in effect prior to suspension of service to the country.  
The above service is limited to persons exclusively.  
For further information see Mrs. Kroeger, Red Cross headquarters in Hill theatre building.

## Local Boy in Training

AVALON, Cal.—Now in apprentice seaman training at U. S. Maritime Service Training Station, Avalon, Catalina Island, Cal., Lyle Harrison, route 5, Hillsboro, will upon completion of the prescribed course, take his place among the thousands of others who are manning the vessels of our ever increasing merchant fleet.

## Examiner for Drivers Due Here Dec. 28

Traveling examiner of operators and chauffeurs will be in Hillsboro Thursday, December 28, at the courthouse from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with the examiner during these hours.  
Do your trading with Hillsboro merchants. Money spent at home remains to circulate locally and may eventually get back to you.

## Hollywood Hold-up Of Local Interest Dramatized Friday

The hold-up at Hollywood, Cal., last March in which Mrs. Jack Himmelright was one of the victims, will be dramatized by the "Gang Busters" Friday night at 8 o'clock over KFX.  
The hold-up man had just fatally wounded a state highway patrolman while attempting to rob a liquor store, and in making his getaway commandeered the auto in which Mrs. Himmelright and a friend were riding. He robbed them of \$11 and then forced the ladies to abandon the car, in which he fled. Mrs. Himmelright is the former Eva Peppard.  
A radio will be installed at the K. P. hall Friday night for the benefit of those attending the Christmas party given by the Pythian Sisters, of which Mrs. Himmelright is a member.

## Sgt. Braithwait Receives Medal

Sgt. Donald E. Braithwait has received a medal for expert infantry, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Braithwait, who is with the 5th army, is now in a hospital in Italy suffering from jaundice. His wife, the former Eva Klineman, and his seven-month-old son, Lee Joseph, whom he has never seen, make their home in Hillsboro.

## M Sgt. Peschka Visits

M Sgt. Leonard Peschka, who has been enjoying a 30-day furlough with his wife and little daughter Gerre, his mother, Mrs. Flora Peschka, and other relatives, left Monday night for Santa Barbara, Cal., for reassignment. He was accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Peschka has been in New Guinea for several years and in a number of engagements.

## Hillsboro Boy Hurt

Pfc. Garth W. Ross, son of Charles C. Ross of Hillsboro, has been wounded in action in the Mediterranean area, according to word released this week from the war department.

## Rice in Hospital

Pvt. Robert Rice is in Fitzsimons hospital in Denver, Colo., where his mother, Mrs. E. E. Rice of Mountaineer, is visiting him. Young Rice has been confined to a hospital for about seven months.

## Ted Gardner Home

Ted Gardner, 2 1/2, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Gardner of Hillsboro, arrived home today for a short leave after serving eight months in active combat. Gardner had been in active combat prior to this engagement in the Marshalls and other points. A member of the crew of Kalinin Bay, Gardner was in the recent Leyte battles.

## Trussell Wounded

Staff Sgt. Joseph F. Trussell, son of Mrs. Lou A. Trussell of Cornelius, has been wounded in action in the Mediterranean area, the war department disclosed.  
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FRUIT COCKTAIL	No. 2 1/2 Can	36c
MIXED NUTS	FANCY, No Peanuts, Pound	49c
PEANUTS	No. 1 Large, Fresh, Shipment, Lb.	29c
ORANGES	Sunkist Navels, 176 Size, Dozen	45c
ONIONS	HOME GROWN, 50-lb. bag	\$1.09
CURRENTS	Fancy Pack, 1-lb. cello pkg.	33c
SWEET SPUDS	Prof. Stock, No. 2 1/2 can	29c
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