Special Meeting to Decide School Site; Annual Picnic Slated

BANKS—A special school meeting will be held Friday evening in the grade school gymnasium for the purpose of selecting a site for the new school house. Voters must be on the tax rolls.

Annual Picnic Slated

The annual Sunday school and church picnic will be held Sunday at Shearer park. No church services will be held in the church but afternoon services will be held in the park. Sunday school will convene at 10:30 and after the opening service and the class reports are taken, the group will leave for the park at 11 a. m. All members of the Sunday school, parents and friends are invited.

Former Resident Married

Mrs. Mary Pindell and Robert Leffick, both of Forest Grove, were married Thursday last week. Mrs. Pindell formerly lived near Banks.

Class of 1941 Has Reunion Sunday

BANKS—Members of the high school graduating class of 1941 with their husbands, wives and friends held a reunion Sunday at Balm Grove. This was the first reunion since the war started, at which most of the men in the class participated.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whitcomb, at Forest Grove hospital, August 9, a boy, Robert Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carver daughter Rachel, and grandson, David Dennis, of Arlington, spent the week-end at Banks with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Shipley, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shipley. The Conner family came here from Neturts, where they had spent a week.

Banks High School Principal Resigns

BANKS—Ed Cox, principal of Banks high school the past two years, resigned his position. His successor has not been named.

Rosy and Phyllis Sheeley are spending this week in Seattle with Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Engen and family.

Bill Mabee entered the veterans hospital Monday for treatment and care for tuberculosis.

George Moss and daughter, Mrs. Verne Prunkett, drove to Newport Sunday to visit Glen Moss, who had an emergency appendicitis operation Thursday in the Newport hospital. Glen is the son of George Moss, and formerly lived in Banks.

Sylvia Eddy spent the week-end with relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Purmler are spending a few weeks at Tillamook for the benefit of Mrs. Purmler's health.

Wounded Boy Still in Critical Condition

BANKS—Francis Cop, who was injured August 2 by an accidental gun shot, is in a critical condition in the Emanuel hospital where he was moved Friday from the Forest Grove hospital. He is being given blood transfusions and Monday his temperature was 105. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cop of Banks.

Occupy New Home

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Engen, Mrs. Lois Sheely and two children, have moved into their new home in the Allen store building which they recently purchased and remodeled.

Shower Honors Recent Bride

BANKS—Mrs. Leroy Miller (Fern Johnson of Elgin) was honored with a wedding shower Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ira Johnson in Banks. Mrs. William Cox, Mrs. Harry Miller and Mrs. Claud Williams were hostesses for the affair, which was held on the lawn with 25 guests present. Refreshments were served on tables placed on the lawn. Mrs. Miller received many lovely gifts. The couple are living in Elgin where they were married Mar. 1.

Mrs. Merlin Orloff and daughter, Mrs. George Eaton, and children of Longview, Wash., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson and children a few days last week.

Mrs. Henry McDonald and son, Howard, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald and son at Medford.

Attend Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morgan, Mrs. Lydia Morgan, Ervin and Chandler Morgan, were guests of the wedding of Miss Roberta Moss and Kenneth Willis Sunday afternoon in the Forest Grove Christian church. The bride is a former Banks girl, attended together and the groom is the grandson of Mrs. Lydia Morgan, and the nephew of Claud, Lester, Clarence, and Ervin Morgan.

Mrs. R. B. Wardlaw of Cottage was a guest of her father, Mrs. Paul Northington, Friday.

El Hopkins of Medford came Monday to spend a few days visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hopkins, and Minnehaha beach.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Powne of Banks at Wilcox Memorial hospital, August 8, a son, Thomas Clark. The Pownes have two other children, both girls.

Mrs. Behrman Hostess At Group Meeting

BANKS—Mrs. Ernest Behrman was hostess for the Women's Society of Christian Service Thursday evening at her home east of Banks. Mrs. Irwin Sonnegard led the lesson study. During the business meeting plans were discussed and made to earn money for the support of the society and church. They voted to sell Christmas cards later on. Refreshments were served to the 13 women present. Mrs. Behrman is president of the society.

Mrs. Melvin Scroen (Juanita Wolford) arrived home Tuesday last week from Long Beach, Cal. Her husband, who is in the navy, has sailed for New Orleans, La., where she expects to join him later. She returned to her work Wednesday in the Perfection bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cyright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vandehey and family at Yamhill.

Mrs. William Kidney of Clatskanie visited Mrs. Nell Widdows at the Amos Cyright home Tuesday last week. Mrs. Widdows, who has been ill for several months, is improving.

Former Pastor Speaks at Services

BETHANY—Dr. K. J. Strailemaier of Dubuque, Iowa, preached at the Sunday morning service of the Presbyterian church and will preach again in two weeks. Dr. Strailemaier was minister here 20 years ago and is now a teacher of New Testament at the Dubuque university. This Sunday Donald Meier will have charge of the service.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Guild of the Baptist church was held Thursday at the church.

Missionaries Speak

Mr. and Mrs. Schneider spoke at the evening service of the Baptist church Sunday. They will soon go for the African mission field.

Returns to West Point

Robert Graf returned to West Point Tuesday after spending a month visiting his parents and friends.

Scouts Go To Yellowstone

George Franzen, Richard Berger and Darrel Mason were among the 41 Hillsboro district Boy Scouts who left for a two weeks' Yellowstone park trip, and will also visit at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. Carl Norris was the honored guest and the recipient of many useful gifts at a pink and blue shower given her at her home Thursday afternoon. Games and refreshments were directed and served by Mrs. Perry Pewowics and her sisters. The afternoon was enjoyed by 12 women and several children.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dickman, a girl, Constance Margaret, July 24. Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Dickman.

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Farm Labor Demand Up; Bean Harvest Nearing Peak

With bean harvest nearing the peak, and hop picking of the early cluster variety due to start August 15, the farm labor demand is picking up sharply, reports Ray L. Dunlavey, farm labor assistant. All yards of early cluster hops will be in operation by August 19 and picking will continue through the late varieties until the middle of September.

Hop growers will furnish transportation from Hillsboro, Cornelius, and Forest Grove. Pickers should contact the farm labor office for time and place of pick-ups.

Early varieties of peaches are now being picked, and regular canning varieties are starting during the next few days. There is some demand for pickers. Prune picking of early canning varieties will start around August 20.

The county farm labor camp at Hillsboro is now practically completed with all inside plumbing, laundry rooms, hot showers, and wash rooms installed in the central utility building. The tents are equipped with cook stove, table and cots with mattresses. These tents are 12 by 14 feet and rent for $5 per week, with wood and water furnished free.

Occupants of the camp will have almost steady work, beginning with hops and carrying through berries, prunes, onions, filberts, and walnuts, Davidson said. Walnut harvest is not finished until early November.

Living facilities may be had in the Hillsboro camp by contacting the farm labor office, courthouse, Hillsboro, Phone 2171, or the camp itself, Hillsboro, Phone 2321.

School District Merger Vote Set

Re-vote on county elementary school district consolidation will be held for Shady Brook No. 41, Meacham No. 51, Mountaindale No. 41 and Pleasant View No. 68 districts, Friday, August 16, at the school houses at 8 p. m., it was announced at the county school superintendent's office.

The four districts were originally involved in a seven-area merger plan. One of the districts, Academy, voted against consolidation, and another, North Plains, was eliminated by the boundary board because it was not high enough to the new districts. Remonstrances were filed by the four districts. Arcade district, No. 59, did not file a remonstrance.

Voters of Watts elementary school district No. 27 Monday night voted against proposed consolidation with Forest Grove district No. 15. The unofficial tally was reported as 41 against and 21 for.

Library Shows Book Increase

City of Hillsboro library had an increase in number of books owned from 9,719 to 9,969 for the year ending June 30, according to the annual report of the library board. Total circulation for the year was 25,854.

An increase of 348 was registered in the summer reading contest, with a high of 1,736 book reports filed for last year, according to Mrs. Georgia Smith, librarian.

Of the total number of volumes owned, 6,551 are for adults and 1,445 for children. Adults had 14,067 of the total circulation, and children 11,787. Total number of borrowers noted was 3,222. A total of $631.65 was spent for books last year, it was reported.

The library board consists of M. H. Stevenson, Richard Willey, Mrs. Frank Peters, J. M. Person and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Searcy.

Smith's Grocery In New Location

Smith's Grocery, operated by H. H. Smith, opened for business Monday in new quarters with the Hillsboro Meat company, at 119 South Second avenue. The store had been at 125 South Second avenue since its opening nearly 14 years ago.

The interior of the new location has been painted, and indirect lighting and new show cases installed.

The store plans to feature the self-service offer and will continue offer daily delivery service. Official opening has been set for Saturday when the public is invited to look over the store.

Morse to Speak At Church Meet

U. S. Senator Wayne L. Morse of Oregon will head the speaking program for the fifth annual Northwest Conference of Congregational Christian churches which opens at Forest Grove on August 28 for five days.

Other speakers listed are Dr. Henry David Gray, Pasadena, Cal., who last fall made an inspection tour of war-torn England; Miss Pattie Lee Cogill, recently returned from India; Mrs. Leslie Anderson, director of religious education in South Dakota, who has worked in the field of audio-visual instruction in rural parishes.

Magazine Features Cedar Hills Project

New 2,000 home Cedar Hills development north of Beaverton in Washington county is featured in a four-page spread in the July issue of National Real Estate and Building Journal.

Cedar Hills is described as a model of planning and "expresses practically all of the best concepts of modern subdividing," the magazine states. Ralph H. Clement, editor, in his article states that the project is "believed to be the largest in the northwest and one of the largest in the United States."

Carl Smith Rites Held on Monday

CEDAR MILL—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Bruing & Lundberg Chapel in Portland for Carl Smith. He is the father of Willis C. Smith of Santa Barbara, Calif., and Theo Henning of Seattle, Wash. Also surviving are brothers Marshall and Lindsay of Portland, and sisters Seatta Steele of Portland and Maggie Stark of Cedar Mill.

Interment was at Union cemetery at Cedar Mill.

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WINNER — Leland Johnson, of Hillsboro recently won second in the Oregon Fisher Body Craftsman guild contest.

Automobile Model Fashioned by Hand

Leland Johnson, who won second place in the state of Oregon Fisher Body Craftsman guild contest, made his model automobile entirely by hand without the aid of machinery or workshop.

The model contains several new and novel features. It is being shipped to Detroit this week to be placed on exhibition and will be on display locally later. Leland is son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Nesse of Hillsboro. Mr. Nesse is employed as parts manager at the Swank Motor company.

Street Project Starts Monday

Cascade Construction Company of Portland started work Monday on its contract for placing 1,895 tons of asphaltic concrete surfacing material on city of Hillsboro streets.

Streets being re-surfaced: South Third, Washington to Baseline, 130 tons; South Third, Oak to Baseline, 110 tons; North Third, Lincoln to Jackson, 110 tons; North Second, Lincoln to Jackson, 145 tons; South Second, Oak to Baseline, 115 tons; East Main, First to Second, 125 tons; East Main, Third to Fourth, 25 tons; East Main, Tenth east, 65 tons; West Main, Dennis to Cornell, 175 tons; East Washington, Third to Sixth, 290 tons; South Dennis, Baseline to Main, 440 tons; West Lincoln, First to railroad, 190 tons.

GOOD NEWS . . . NOW THEY CAN BE SOLD! The warehoused shortages of repair and replacement parts are gradually being wiped out. Radiator grilles, fenders, floor mats, batteries and many other hard to get items available for Chevrolet cars and trucks—Hamby Motors, First and Washington, Hillsboro, Oregon. Adv. 33

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Instructor for Vets Opens Hillsboro Office

Gart S. Dennis, new veterans' agricultural instructor for Washington county under the Smith-Hughes training program, has established an office in the Hillsboro high school building. Veterans may contact Mr. Dennis by telephone at 81, or in person during the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 and 1 to 4 p. m. He is a former county agent of Wasco county.

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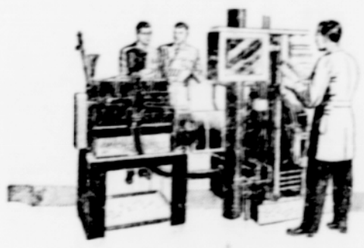
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