

## Speakers Urge Passage of Basic School Support

Frank Bennett, superintendent of schools at Salem, a featured speaker at the Washington County School Board association meeting at Beaverton grade school auditorium Monday evening, asked for passage of the basic school support bill at the coming general election. U. A. Redner of Gaston presided over the meeting which attracted upwards of 200 teachers and others interested.

Mr. Bennett said the number of teachers is decreasing under present conditions but would increase under the bill as it would provide more security. Dr. C. L. Huffaker, University of Oregon school of education, spoke of administrative difficulties of House Bill 80.

Dr. Robert Griffin, associate editor, Readers Digest, spoke on the financial support of education. He said education increased the productivity of people, raises the standard of living, and improves the moral standards.

Mrs. Jean Young of Portland, manager for the basic school support bill program, urged backing of it and pledged support of the schools. A large delegation of Hillsboro elementary school teachers attended the meeting.

**Estate: Hulda Mary Emrick**  
NOTICE: The undersigned, executor of the estate of HULDA MARY EMRICK, deceased, has filed his Final Account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, and said Court has appointed Monday, November 4, 1946, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. in the Court Room of said Court as the time and place for hearing objections thereto and the settlement of said estate.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1946.  
M. B. BUMP, Executor.  
(1046, 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1946)



**LIFE ENDS FOR COUNTY HISTORIAN**—John Brown is shown in the County Historical museum in the Hillsboro library building where he served as curator for the past several years. He was a native son of Hillsboro, having been born here in 1869 to pioneers of 1852.

## Visit Farmington Homes

By Mrs. Edgar Rehe  
FARMINGTON—Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mimick of Portland visited at the home of her brother, E. W. Ford, last week. They left Friday to visit relatives in and near Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Elman Schulmerich and

Mrs. Alvin Schulmerich accompanied Mrs. Bill Wunderlich of Portland to the annual Italian dinner at St. Ignace church Sunday afternoon.

The John Liebenow family have moved from the Currin place to the house on the Withycombe farm.

Mrs. Charles Huran and Mrs. Fred Howard of Kelso, Wash., visited at the E. W. Ford home on Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Boge, Mrs. Lloyd Brown and Catherine Boge attended a bridal shower complimenting Miss Eunice Whelitz, at the home of Miss Margaret Weineke in Portland Thursday evening. Miss Whelitz will be married to Cecil Boge Saturday evening.

Mrs. Katie Stillwell of Portland spent the week-end at the Lloyd Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greener and daughters Juanita and Carol spent the week-end at Netarts.

Alvin Schulmerich, with a party of relatives, spent the week-end on a hunting trip in the Wolf creek country.

## CAPITAL PARADE

By Murray Wade

**State Debt Reduced**  
Monday of this week State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott deposited with the state's fiscal agency in New York City \$1,514,650 with which to pay \$404,000 in principal and \$76,879 in interest on Oregon state highway bonds and \$752,000 in principal and \$223,781 in interest on Oregon veterans' state aid bonds. During this month \$30,000 in principal and \$291,250 in interest on bonds issued by the state board of higher education will be paid. The state total general obligation bond debt after deducting assets and investments applying against the indebtedness is now approximately \$2,000,000.

**National Newspaper Week**  
Appreciation was given by Governor Earl Snell last Saturday to the generally accepted observation of this week as National Newspaper Week. In a public address, he said: "The newspapers of Oregon and the nation continue to serve the public as informants, as monitors of public opinion, and as the most important single means of communication of ideas. It is highly appropriate that the theme of the week is 'A Free Press—Voice of Freedom, Guardian of Liberty.' The public service rendered by our newspapers is one of the most vital upon which we, as citizens, can rely."

In other announcements the governor called attention to the observation of the week of October 6 to 12 for three worthy objectives: Of Fire Prevention Week he said: "Destruction of all kinds by fire—of badly needed housing, of food in desperate short supply in many parts of the world, of industrial plants and equipment so necessary to the attainment of full production—will reach the staggering sum of \$600,000,000 in 1946."

Endorsing the action of congress for creating Employ the Physically Handicapped Week, the governor said: "Much success has been achieved along these lines, particularly among war-disabled veterans, but much remains to be done."

In designating the same dates as Optimists Week the governor stated: "Continued faith and optimistic belief in ourselves, our country and our ability to find a progressive and helpful place for ourselves in these turbulent days, are going to be necessary before the establishment of world peace."

**Hershey Capital Guests**  
Distinguished guests at the capital this week were General and Mrs. Lewis B. Hershey of Washington, D. C. They were house

## Crisp Complements



Formal and informal accessories.

By VERA WINSTON

There are plenty of interesting hat and shoe styles for Fall wear, and the hat depicted here is a new version of that old favorite, the pork-pie casual. This one is of gray felt with a wide brown grosgrain band. Deep dark brown suede is used for the neat street shoe, with medium heel and welt sole. The covered suede buckle is detailed with bright green leather stitching. The dress-up pump, to wear with afternoon dresses or a "date" get-up, is of inky black suede with satin platforms.

guests of Colonel and Mrs. Elmer V. Wootton. The colonel is state selective service director. The general, who is national selective service director, is on a nation-wide inspection trip and arrived with Mrs. Hershey Thursday morning.

On Friday General Hershey and Colonel Wootton went fishing on the Siuslaw river at locations favored by the late General George White. The Hersheys left for San Francisco Friday night.

**Competition for Greyhound**  
More bus service is needed on the Pacific highway in Oregon, according to testimony given at a public utility hearing now being conducted at the capital. The hearing is on West Coast Trailways' application for an interstate bus permit, and is being fought by Pacific Greyhound lines, principal operator on the route sought by Trailways. Witnesses testified that Greyhound is unable to handle the business adequately and West Coast buses are needed for additional service because of rapid economic expansion of Western Oregon. A former Portland Traction company executive said Greyhound's profits are so large that West Coast could not lose them any money. These profits ranged from \$1,732,817 in 1938 to \$2,438,963 in 1943, after payment of income taxes. The vice-president of the Greyhound lines was called as a witness by Trailways and testified that Greyhound owns 40 per cent of Dollar Line and Standard Oil of California owns 60 per cent, but that Greyhound has an agreement whereby it could take over all stock in Dollar Lines.

**Road Program Admired**  
It looks like the state highway commission is set on running the highway department. On Wednesday former Governor Sprague headed a group from the Willamette valley to request a do-it-now policy by the commission toward the proposed Hubbard-Tigard highway and Willamette river bridge at Wilsonville. They, along with delegations with requests from Klamath, Portland, Hood River and Pendleton, were told other areas are in greater need of highway development.

Trip priority is being given to timber roads.

## Francis Plass Home On Terminal Leave

Francis Plass, AETM 2 c, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plass of Hillsboro, returned home Sunday on two months terminal leave after having served in the navy since February, 1944. For more than a year he had been stationed in the Hawaiian islands. He is a 1943 graduate of Hillsboro where he was active in athletics.

Some people live to make others great. Others just grate on people.



## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT  
Central Press Writer

A NEW SOCIAL distinction, says Grandpappy Jenkins, may soon appear: Those who stand in a line awaiting to buy a loaf of bread and those who line up in hope of nvions.

The dove of peace is having a tough time of it these days—the air is so full of international brckbats.

Maybe the dove figures life was easier during the war—it could always hear a B-29 or Messerschmitt approaching, and duck.

It's discouraging to the proud owner of a new car to hear a

neighbor's first remark (on seeing the wooden bumpers)—"You lucky guy! Where'd you get all that firewood?"

Scientists, we notice, are again studying cosmic rays. Maybe it's just to take their minds off the atom bomb.

Atomic heating promised. We can already hear the janitor's alibi: "Sorry, ma'am, but that new load of uranium hasn't arrived."

It would have taken a first-class prophet to predict that one day the bun would be more important than the hamburger.

## Berthold Luck Services Friday

Berthold Luck, 91, retired farmer of route 3, Hillsboro, died on Wednesday, October 2. Funeral services will be held at Donelson & Sewell chapel on Friday, October 4, at 2 p. m. with burial at Tualatin Plains cemetery.

Mr. Luck had been a resident of the United States and Washington county for the past 58 years. His wife, Mathilda, died in 1930. He was born in Germany, October 29, 1853. Surviving are two sons: Max of Woodland, Wash., and Herbert of Portland; six daughters, Mrs. Clara Helten, Mrs. Celia Muirhead and Mrs. Martha Vandias, all of Portland; Mrs. Ida Jackson of route 1, Cornelius; Mrs. Ella Koble, route 3, Hillsboro.

## MOS 213's Wanted For WAC Service

Former members of the women's army corps with MOS 213 may re-enlist for assignment to the Mediterranean theatre, according to Lt. Col. Cochran of the Oregon district, U. S. army recruiting office located at 614 S. W. 11th Avenue, Portland.

Any former WACs with a MOS of 213, who desire further information and instructions on submitting their application, may receive help at the local U. S. army recruiting office. She deadline for submitting this application is October 20, therefore, anyone interested is urged to submit application as soon as possible, because only a limited number of applications will be accepted by the war department.

## EXTRA COPIES

People wishing extra copies of the Argus should place their orders by Tuesday, to be sure of being able to get them—due to paper restrictions.

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HILLSBORO ARGUS—3

## Softball Group Elects Officers, Discusses Plans

Officers were elected and plans for the coming season discussed at a dinner meeting of managers, sponsors and officials of Hillsboro Softball association at Forest Hills Country club near Cornelius Tuesday night. Vic Fricke was re-elected president.

Frank Doane, commissioner for this district, was elected director, succeeding James Zupo, who was elected vice-president. Vern Hadley was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Fricke appointed a committee consisting of Bill Rorer, chairman; Herman Schen, Ken Rothlein and Martin Senko to start work toward securing a new field and lay plans for lighting it.

Chuck Ingram was appointed chairman in charge of publicity

and Herb Schulmerich was appointed umpire-in-chief. It was decided that the league will abide by National rules next year. The association will have two leagues of eight teams each next year, allowing an increase of two over the past season.

President Fricke announced awarding of 11-inch trophies to the league champion teams for 1946. They are: Blooming L.L.L. (Loyal Lutheran League), managed by Walter Ruecker; National League; Perfection Bakery, managed by Chuck Ingram, sponsored by Herman Schoen, American League.

Officials of the league were given a vote of thanks by the representatives of seven teams present at the dinner meeting.

## Discharge Scheduled

Pvt. Donald E. Johnston, son of Mrs. Ben Jackson of Hillsboro, arrived home Monday from Colorado Springs. He went to Ft. Lewis, Wash., for his discharge. In service 2 1/2 years, Johnston served in the air corps.

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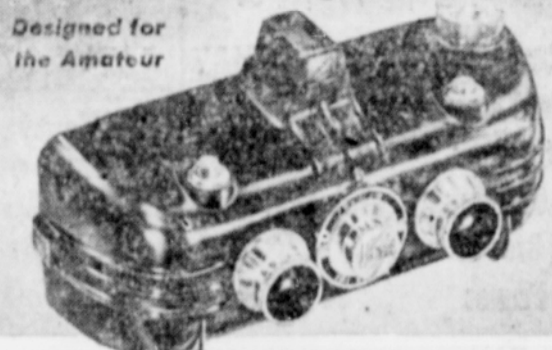
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