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Argus, January 15, 1914 - Construction of an airport near Hillsboro as a federal civil works project...



Reid Cottrell, assistant secretary and manager of the Washington county branch of the Title and Trust Co., can watch a football contest with a little more than the average amount of savvy.



Reid Cottrell

While in high school at Worland, Wyo., he won the unique distinction of being named on the all-state prep football team...

Mrs. Turley Rites Conducted Monday: Last rites were held Monday at Portland (seminary) for Ida May Turley, 72, who died at the Mission home in Forest Grove Friday morning.

Table Top Photos To Be Demonstrated

Table top photographs will be demonstrated by the Hillsboro Camera club when they meet at the Hillsboro chamber of commerce...

Better Roads Cost Money

Good highways are important to every owner and driver of a motor vehicle for they decrease operating costs and at the same time make for greater comfort in driving...

History will doubtless record Secretary of State George C. Marshall and World War II leader of our armies as one of the great Americans of all time.

"Unusual" Weather in Southwest

The only really balmy day encountered on the Journal Cotton Bowl special trip was at historic San Antonio, which also proved to be one of the most interesting places visited.

The unusual weather that struck the southwest, a contrast to the balmy weather at San Antonio, caught up with us during the night with the result that El Paso and its Mexican neighbor of Juarez had six inches of snow to greet us.

Rolling westward toward Los Angeles in the before dawn hours (the early rising necessitated by the desire to take advantage of the good food aboard the diners before detouring) we saw miles and miles of burning record pots lighted in an effort to save the multi-million dollar citrus crop.

The papers in San Francisco continued the refrain as to unusual cold weather, reporting the lowest temperature in 12 years with 35.3 at the Civic Center recording station, 125 feet above street level.

Seldom does as congenial a group of people get together as was on this special train to the Cotton Bowl and there was a general feeling as "Goodbyes" were said along the line at San Francisco, Eugene, Salem and Portland that a repeat performance would be enjoyed.

30 Years Ago

Argus, January 15, 1915 - Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Laurs have their sons in service - James H. Ode, W. and Charles F. - all three in France.

Public Forum Sees Improvements

To the Editor: Now that the New Year has begun, and the city council has three new members on it, there could and should be several things straightened out in the manner in which the council has in the past conducted some of its and the people's affairs.

Relative to the recent McPherson, so-called public hearing, I have been stopped on the street, and informed, I quote: "It is definitely no one's business how and what the city council does in its administration of city affairs."

Sincerely, Bob Melquist

To Letter Writers

All letters to the editor should not only be signed, but the address should be included. If the person who wrote a letter to the Argus last week expressing approval of council action in the McPherson case will come to the office and give his address we will use as much of the letter as possible.

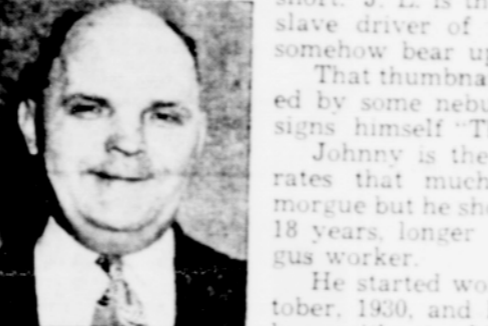


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Meet the Staff...

Editors Note: The Argus wants its readers to know the men and women who do the considerable work involved in producing a weekly newspaper.

The card in the Argus morgue on John L. Laurs, mechanical superintendent, bears this notation: "Roly-poly and just as good-natured. Has first name and middle initial of the great stiff-arm pugilist, but Johnny Laurs' arms are too short. J. L. is the shop foreman and slave driver of the Argus, but we somehow bear up with him."



John Laurs

He started work at the Argus October, 1930, and has been employed here without a hitch since that time. His trade mark is a visor without white wig. The front office is just beginning to recover from the shock of that experience.

Daughter Stalled On Eastern Trip

By Mrs. Lena Meyers: FOREST GROVE - Mr. and Mrs. Ray Voorhees received a telephone call from their daughter Helen stating she was bizzard-stalled on an east coast steamline at Ogden, Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tompkins and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tompkins and two children from Grand Island visited at the F. B. Tompkins and John Walker homes. J. H. Tompkins and F. B. Tompkins are brothers.

All local, social and fraternal news should be turned in at the Argus for publication in that week not later than Tuesday morning and earlier if possible.



MONUMENTS are the ties that bind one generation to another. A lasting and individual cemetery memorial has always been, and always will be, the most comforting, final, loving tribute.

After graduation from high school at Worland, Cottrell attended the University of Wyoming and received a law degree from the Laramie institution in 1927.

Twins Honored at Washington Grange

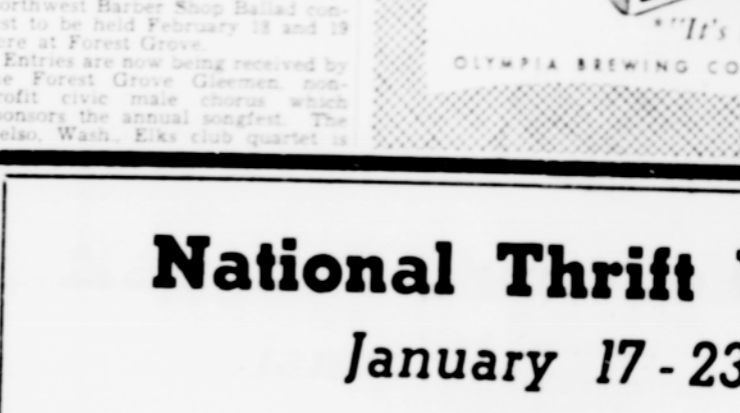
Leola and Leland Miller, twin brother and sister, of Hillsboro, were guests of honor at a large birthday party given for their eighteenth birthday at the Washington Grange hall Friday night.

Quartets Tune Up for Contest

FOREST GROVE, Ore., Jan. 12 - Male quartets of the Pacific Northwest are tuning up in preparation for entering the third annual All-Northwest Better Sound Quartet Contest to be held February 13 and 14 here at Forest Grove.

National Thrift Week

January 17 - 23



Benjamin Franklin wisely said, "It is hard for an empty sack to stand up." Yes, Savings give strength. Thrift Week, commemorating the statesman's birthday, is the ideal time to put his sage words to action.

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