

# HILL RECALLS PRICES OF '93

### When Corn Worth 13 Cents And Oats Nine; Sticking With Party

By BEULAH CRAVEN  
MONMOUTH, Nov. 7.—J. B. Hill of Monmouth celebrated his 67th birthday anniversary Friday, and related to friends some incidents of his earlier life in Illinois, where he was born near Bloomington in 1865, the final year of the civil war.

He says the depression of the '30s was not so different from our present situation, and referred to his daily diary for some facts and figures about that low barometer period. He found that in 1893 he sold corn at 13 cents per bushel, oats at 9 cents, hogs on foot at 2 1/2 cents a pound, and good milk cows at \$25 each.

Greediness Unchanged  
"Man's inhumanity to man," was just as apparent then as it is today, Mr. Hill avers. In the year 1893 he was living on a farm leased from a woman. August 7 she sent the sheriff to the farm with ejectment proceedings, and Mr. Hill says he was dispossessed of everything he had, even to a few chickens. With his wife and two children he faced poverty and hardship without a prop for the future except that peculiar faith or hope that springs eternal in the human breast.

Making a new start from such beginnings was not easy, but he succeeded, and later served his community as town clerk, deputy sheriff, constable and school director.

To Monmouth in 1919  
In 1910 he moved with his family to Oklahoma. In 1919 they came to Polk county, and in November of that year he opened a meat market in Monmouth which his son Fred has successfully operated for nearly 13 years.

Mr. Hill has been a member of the Christian church for 51 years and an elder for 34 years. He has always been a staunch republican and intends to vote a straight republican ticket again this year. However, he is frank in saying that the people of the nation are in the mood for a change, and he would not be surprised if the democratic candidate for president would win this election.

# NEWTON WOODWARD IS LAID TO REST

HAZEL GREEN, Nov. 7.—Sunday afternoon at Dallas another Oregon pioneer was laid to rest, Newton Woodward, who crossed the plains with his parents in 1858. Mr. Woodward was born in Iowa, June 22, 1849. The family settled near Dallas.

Here Mr. Woodward lived until 1905 when he moved his family to Salem. In 1924 he moved to Hazel Green with his daughter, Miss Ruby Woodward. September 28, 1926 he was married to Miss Ida Thompson. To this union four children were born, Sadie F., and Cora E. who died in childhood. Tedford T. of Oreno, Oregon and Ruby of Hazel Green.

He was a faithful member of the Methodist church until 1924 transferring to the church of this vicinity when coming to live with his daughter.

High School Straw Vote Gives Demos Lead of 7 Ballots  
HUBBARD, Nov. 7.—In the straw vote taken by the high school under the auspices of the civics class, Roosevelt won by a margin of seven votes.

In the constitutional amendments, the Zorn-Machpherson bill for moving the university, lost by a large majority. The bill to repeal the state prohibition law also lost.

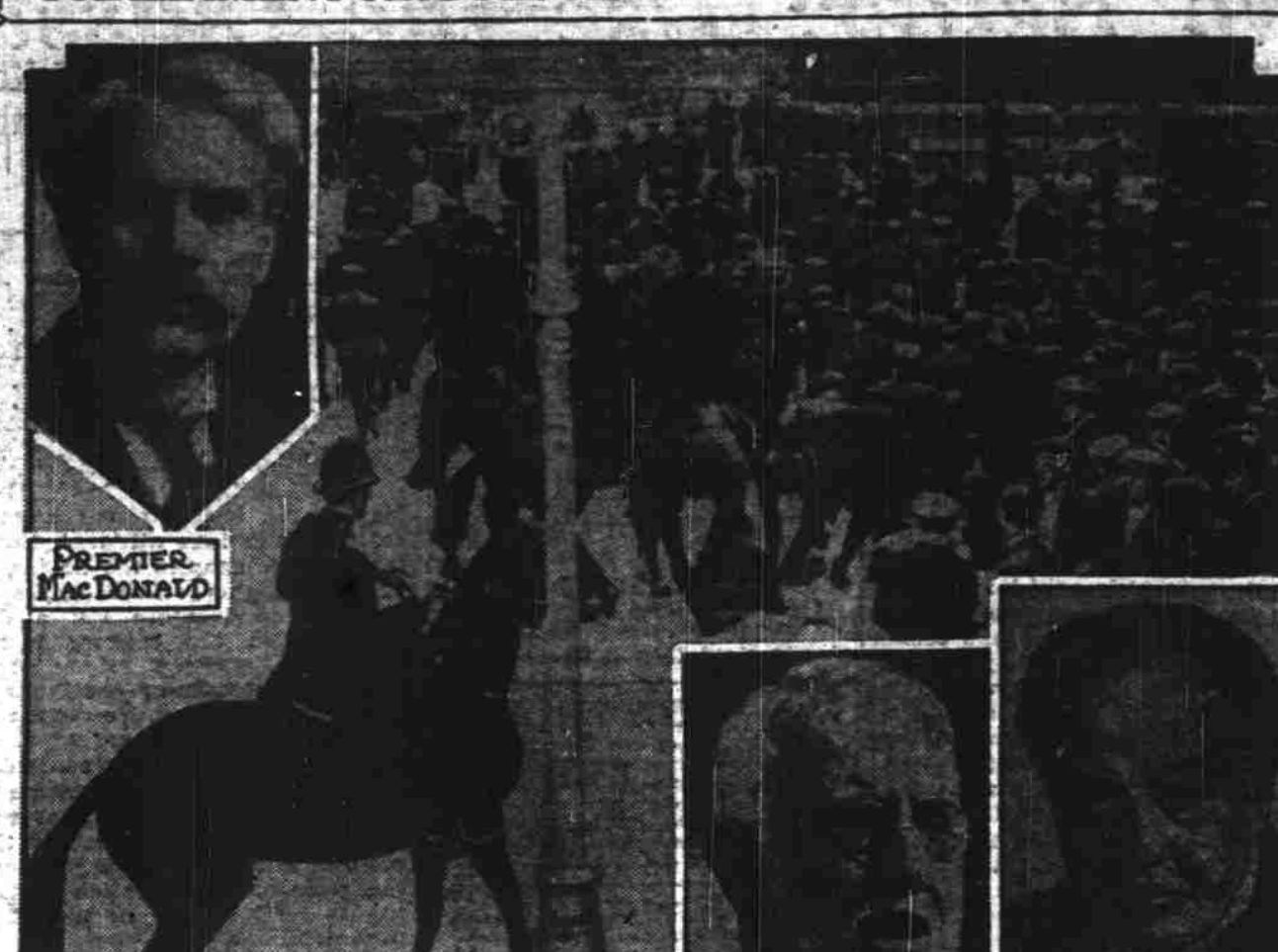
The losing side will serve the refreshments at an election party for the civics class Tuesday night at the home of Eugene Silke.

# ON LONDON'S JOBLESS FRONT



A pair of London Bobbies and a Communist demonstrator are shown walking in the general direction of the jail following the recent riots in the English capital when unemployed and Communist paraders clashed with the police. Many were injured and arrested when the demonstrators attempted to storm the forbidden area that surrounds the House of Parliament for a mile radius. The trouble arose through government requirements pertaining to the dole.

# PARLIAMENT ARGUES AS JOBLESS INVADE LONDON



LONDON BOBBIES DISPERSE RIOTERS  
GEORGE LANSBURY  
SIR JOHN GILMOUR

While contingents of hunger marchers from all the rural districts of England were invading London at many points under the watchful eye of 40,000 "Bobbies" and civilian volunteers, members of the British Cabinet, Laborites and Liberals were busy in the historic House of Parliament blaming each other for conditions that have made such a spectacle possible. Home Secretary Sir John Gilmour laid the blame for the entire affair on the shoulders of Communist propagandists, but was flatly contradicted by Labor Leader George Lansbury, who accused the government of being the direct cause of the present acute unemployment situation. Following Lansbury's tirade the Laborites introduced a motion of censure of the MacDonald Cabinet, but the motion was beaten by 462 to 55. The main cause of the present trouble seems to be the "means test," a feature of the dole system which provides that an applicant for government aid cannot own any property or be in receipt of any income, other than that given by the State. It is to demand the abolishment of this rule that the majority of jobless have invaded London. The authorities are handling the crisis in their usual manner, following the policy of allowing agitators to talk all they like anywhere in the city—outside of the restricted area that surrounds the House of Parliament for a mile radius. The recent jobless riot near Parliament started when demonstrators tried to crash into this area, and it is feared that another attempt may be made if something is not done to pacify the present hunger legion.

# CARNIVAL STAGED BY INDIAN GIRLS

CHEMAWA, Nov. 5.—The annual Halloween carnival by the Camp Fire and Girl Scout organizations of the Chemawaw Vocational school was held in the gymnasium early this week. Improvised booths for the various attractions were set up all around the walls with groups of girls in charge of each booth. The entire building was decorated as fitting to the occasion.

Miss Lillian Black was in charge of the arrangements for the three groups of Camp Fire Girls, while Miss Jasmine Lundquist had charge of the five groups of Girl Scouts. They were assisted by Miss Opal Mountjoy, Miss Mabel Richardson, Miss Orpha Morgan, Miss Mary Newell, Mrs. Florence Middleton and Mrs. M. L. Smith. Tickets were handled by Mrs. J. T. Ryan, Miss Marie Roddy, Miss Nina Trevett and Merritt Fisher.

# One Voting Place Changed; Constable Vote is Explained

SILVERTON, Nov. 7.—Election instructions for Silvertown are that voters living in the west precinct will cast their ballots at the Knights of Pythias hall, and those living in the east precinct will vote at the city hall. South Silvertown votes at the Silver Falls Timber company office this year, the latter being the only change of voting place in the four Silvertown precincts.

Some confusion and argument has arisen as to who has the right to vote for justice of the peace and constable for the Silvertown district. Those living in the four Silvertown precincts, in Woodard, Victor Point and North Howell precincts have the right to vote for these two offices.

# Blue-Haired Girl Is Official; But Police May Frown

FAIRVIEW, Nov. 7.—The blue snow of Paul Bunyon has been made famous by song and story, but it remained for Fairview to be officially designated as the residence of a blue-haired girl.

Miss Irene Turner, daughter of F. Turner, of route four, recently applied for an automobile driver's license. The license card arrived and bears this personal description: "Hair—Blue. Eyes—Gray." The description of Miss Turner's eyes is correct but as she has auburn hair she is wondering what luck she will have if some traffic officer should check her appearance with her driver's card.

# Spring Valley to Vote at School in Zena; Pupils Out

ZENA, Nov. 7.—One of the largest registrations in years has been noted here with 179 registering, only 19 more republicans than democrats, which is unusual.

The Zena school house will be used for the Spring Valley polling place instead of the hall at Zena corners as formerly. Wayne D. Henry is chairman of the election board, Frank Matthews, second judge, Roy E. Barker, E. E. Buckles and W. Frank Crawford, clerk.

# Official Welcome Extended All New Girls at Woodburn

WOODBURN, Nov. 7.—New girl students, as well as freshman girls, were officially welcomed to Woodburn high school life this weekend when the members of the Girls' League, an all-school organization gave a party and reception for them. Lois Seely had charge of arrangements for the party.

Speakers both for and against the proposed school consolidation law gave short talks to members of the civics classes at the high school Thursday and Friday. Avery Thompson spoke against the bill and John Ramage, Woodburn farmer who recently returned from an extended speaking tour in various parts of the state, spoke for it.

# MRS ABELS VERY ILL

LYONS, Nov. 7.—Mrs. D. Q. Abels was taken suddenly ill Friday forenoon. Mrs. Abels had gone to call on Mrs. Grace Holford at the local telephone office and only a short distance from the Abels' hotel a physician was called from Stayton. Until now she was in the best of health considering her advanced age. She returned last week from a 10 days' visit with Salem friends.

# TURNER PATIENTS BETTER

TURNER, Nov. 7.—Mrs. I. E. Putman is reported to be slightly improved from her serious illness of the first of last week when two physicians were called in consultation. Mrs. Arieta Steele who has been ill for two weeks, is slowly improving. Mrs. Mabel Martin who is in a Salem hospital is recovering satisfactorily from a major operation.

# WEDDED 50 YEARS

AURORA, Nov. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gooding and sons, Laurence and Charles, Mrs. William Jeskey and daughter Edith, were wedded by pastor for Aurora, Calif., where they will attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Buttery who are the parents of Mrs. Jeskey.

# W. U. HOMECOMING TWO WEEKS AWAY

Saturday, November 19, is to be homecoming day on the Willamette university campus with alumni of the school specially honored guests. The Whitman-Willamette football clash will be the main event, followed by the annual fall alumni banquet and at night by a play, "The Rivals," given by Theta Alpha Phi.

"Massacre the Missionaries" is the slogan adopted on the campus for the forthcoming crucial game. Featured on the alumni program will be short addresses by President Carl G. Doney, Roy S. Keene, Margaret Lewis, Esther Paroungian Barnes and Roy R. Hewitt. Josephine Albert and A. A. Schramm will sing, while group songs will be led by a number of former song queens.

# CHEMEKETANS HIKE EAST NEXT SUNDAY

### Social for old and new Officers is Planned for November 18

A half-day hike is being planned by the Chemeketans for Sunday, November 13, into the hills east of Salem. J. A. Burns will lead the group over a four-mile distance, and hope is expressed for a clear day so that visibility will be clear.

A farewell social to last year's officers serving also as greeting to those newly elected will be held at the home of Miss Cordie Wiser, 985 North Church street, November 18. Dr. Chester A. Downs was the unanimous choice of the Chemeketans during a recent meeting of the executive council for the position of president. Other persons elected to office included Ruby M. Hoffnall, vice-president; George N. Fako, secretary; Leah M. Suing, treasurer; Walter Robinson, membership secretary; Cora Randle, chairman publications committee; Flora Turnbull, assistant chairman publications committee; Dorothy M. Taylor, chairman entertainment committee; William M. Hamilton, chairman annual outing committee; J. A. Burns, chairman local walks committee.

Standing committees appointed for the year included: Auditing: J. W. Moore, Walter E. McCune and Isora Templeton. Publications: Cora Randle, Flora M. Turnbull and C. A. Sprague. Local walks: J. A. Burns, Gladys D. Miller, Edwin M. Hoffnall, Joseph A. Weber and Augusta Notdurft.

Entertainment: Dorothy M. Taylor, Esther Erickson, Cordie A. Wiper, Edna McElhaney, Constance Smart and Jessie M. Starr. Annual outing: U. M. Hamilton, Richard H. Uphohn, and C. A. Sprague.

Membership: Walter Robinson, J. Burton Cray, Otto W. Gronke, Bessie C. Smith and Letha Peiley.

# Library is Opened Two More Evenings A week to Reading

INDEPENDENCE, Nov. 7.—The Independence city library is to be opened two additional evenings a week for reading purposes only in order to provide a greater service to the public. This will be started during what is known as national book week, November 13-19, and will be continued during the winter months, says Mrs. F. G. Hewitt, librarian.

The two nights will be Monday and Thursday, and while no books will be loaned, books, magazines and newspapers are available to those who may want to use them in the library. The hours will be from 7:00 to 9:00 o'clock.

# REAL WINTER IN OCTOBER



It isn't often that the kiddies get an opportunity of making a snow man in October, but these North Dakota boys are enjoying that rare experience. The recent snow storm in the State, which was so heavy as to force the closing of several schools, was a welcome interlude for the scholars. The above scene was made at Killdeer, where the fall was exceptionally heavy. Many towns were without heat, light or telephone communication for sixty hours, owing to the collapse of power lines.

# West Salem News

WEST SALEM, Nov. 7.—A group of women met for an all day sewing bee at the home of Mrs. Emmett Dickson Friday, to make aprons for the sale they are planning to give in a fortnight. They each brought a covered dish and at the noon hour put the meal on the table and enjoyed a community luncheon. Those there for the sewing included Mesdames C. R. Brown, W. D. Phillips, Arthur Hathaway, E. Kelson, L. Dark, Roy Finster, Elmer Rierson, John Evans, Martha Rierson, J. G. Minton, D. H. Gilliland, Boring, J. R. Brown, F. M. Moore and the hostess, Mrs. Dickson and Miss Elveta Minton.

Mrs. Floyd De Lapp, assisted by Mrs. C. L. Dark entertained a group of young women from the town Friday night with a missionary rally and marshmallow roast. Those present were Misses Mona Vosburgh, Velma Kelson, Doris Reed, Violet Wallace, Josephine Tandy, Catharine Applewhite and Ruth Maers.

At the organization Mrs. De Lapp was to act as council; Mona Vosburgh, vice president; Violet Wallace, recording secretary; Josephine Tandy, corresponding secretary; Velma Kelson, blessing box secretary.

Demo Rally Success  
At the democratic rally held on

Wednesday evening at the community hall, Lynn Black of Dallas was chosen chairman of the meeting and addresses were given by William A. Boydston, Grove A. Peterson, Ed C. Dunn, Hugh G. Black, Anne G. Dashiell, Dean H. Walker, all Polk county candidates for election and Col. H. K. Weidenfeld of New York.

# Annual Exhibition Of Needle Guild is Slated on Thursday

DALLAS, Nov. 7.—The annual tea and display of garments by the Dallas branch of the Needlework Guild of America will be held on Thursday, November 10 at the Presbyterian church.

The program includes selections by the American Legion Auxiliary trio, consisting of Mrs. Virgil Bolton, Mrs. A. J. Cleveland, and Mrs. Rena Bush, accompanied by Miss Mabel Teal; vocal solo by Mrs. C. B. Goddion; vocal duet by Mrs. G. W. Bruce and Miss Roberta Elliott, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Elliott; vocal solo by Mrs. K. E. Burke; violin selections by Mrs. Russell Vashaw, accompanied by Miss Teal; vocal solo by Mrs. Howard Fleming; and a vocal solo by Miss Rachel Uglov.

# RALLY AND P. T. A. HELD AT W. SALEM

### Hendricks Addresses Republican; Teachers Hear Miss Gunnell

WEST SALEM, Nov. 7.—Because of the inclemency of the weather, not a very big crowd attended the republican rally held at the community hall Friday evening, but those present listened with keen interest to the address given by E. J. Hendricks of Salem. Rev. C. L. Dark gave the invocation and the Lena Dotson trio followed with a group of instrumental numbers.

Lyle Thomas, president of the Hoover-Curtis club introduced G. W. Curtis, Ernest A. Hamilton, Dean H. Walker, T. B. Hooker, Carl Graves, Fred J. Holmsen, Joseph W. Hill, Anne G. Dashiell, all candidates for Polk county offices, each of whom gave brief words of address.

Mr. Hendricks traced the tariff question from the presidency of George Washington down through the years to the present time.

P. T. A. Meets  
Miss Katherine Gunnell gave an illustrated address at the meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association held Friday afternoon. Her talk on photography was instructive and followed a recitation by a sextette of pupils from Miss Trula Grant's room.

At the brief business meeting, conducted by Mrs. Karl P. Mabley discussion was heard in regard to serving a hot drink, cocoa or soup to the children who have to take cold lunches to school during the coldest winter days, and the teachers agreed to determine the number and to investigate the proposition. Pupils of Mrs. Ray Ferguson gave a piano concert, with numbers presented by Alice Gotfrison, Allen Darrrell, and Eloise Ferguson and a duet by Clifford Hill and Zeral Brown. Mrs. Charles Wurtm and T. E. Kelson were committeewomen in charge of the program.

# Dolores Buchanan Is President of New 4-H Stitches

QUINABY, Nov. 7.—The older girls of Buena Vista who met at their leader's home and organized a 4-H sewing club Friday afternoon. Dolores Buchanan was elected president; Rosie Franke, vice president, and Helen Diem, secretary. It is hoped that the outline of work will be held at their next meeting which will be held at the school house next Friday afternoon.

Those present were: Dolores Buchanan, Rosie Franke, Helen Diem, Marjorie Bressler, Marie Penny, Bobby Beckner, Elsie Diem, Edith Neilson, Lola Weese, Betty Furtell, Catharine Diem and their leader, Mrs. Albert Girod.



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