SPRINGFIELD, LANE COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY. MAY 18-1933

# MEN HEAR SALES TAX PLAN TOLD

Legislators Hesitate to Enact Law Until Other Sources Exhausted Says Speaker

LIMITED TO TWO YEARS

Brotherhood Sets June 14 as Tentative Date for Annual Picnic and Outing

cossary evils, E. A. McCornack, rep any more. resentative from Lane county at the last session of the legislature, ex- has had undue reason for such wor- tor in a non-high school district. plained to an audience of 125 listeners at the Methodist church been one of his minor problems as required 30 names was filed on Monday night that the sales tax administrator at the school and Monday. plan for Oregon was adopted the legislature only after find some other means of b the budget had failed and complishing that end. He addressed it offered an apparent means the monthly meeting of the Men's

Brotherhood and their wives. "Fully ninety per cent of th legislators were in mental opposisible solution and the final two structor. weeks were spent in framing what we considered the best sales tax." declared Mr. McCornack.

Considered Last

measures were presented to our be all right for the boys to smoke. committee but none of them were adequate alone and many of them were useless on close investigation, said the legislator.

Four means of meeting governmental expenses were outlined by

the speaker. They were: First, cut expenses. This, he explained, had been done to the extent of reducing the total expenditures by 30 per cent. A greater cut could not have been made at that time without endangering the struc ture although such reduction could be effected now. Such a large part of the expense of the state is fixed that any cutting done must be ap-

plied to a relatively small number. taxes. This plan was held to be on the rearing of children were the contest from the territory adjaimpractical as most people would given by the boys as their reasons cent to Springfield which comprises will be asked to approve or reject were made Friday evening at the two sisters as follows: Leslie To- by a male quartet and by soloists. pay their taxes if they could and for not approving of smoking by zone 3. when the people are unable to pay taxes the property reverts to the county which in turn makes it necessary to levy a higher assessment against the privately owned property. The delinquency peak was first reached in 1930 and has climbed steadily since that time, the speaker declared.

Large Incomes Gone

rich. This would be brought about by income and other class taxation. The income tax offered a means of considerable revenue some years ago, but does not do so new county unit law will be the today as only a few have large principal items of discussion to be which the legislature passed pro- persons are expected to attend the held in Washington, D. C. on a group whose entity has almost dinner. disappeared.

tax seeks to do.

This measure, which will be votwith certain exceptions, these including items which are already taxed. Manufacturers will usually pay about 3-10 of one per cent. Most manufactured articles pass through several hands and the tax would usually amount to from one to two per cent for the manufac-

**Anticipated Revenue** 

Anticipated receipts from the sales tax for the first year have been set at six million dollars. If KENSINGTON CLUB TO approved, the tax will become effective for two years with collections being made monthly. Retail business where the gross volume does not exceed \$50 monthly will

one mill for the soldiers bonus has 2:30. The afternoon program will heart attack caused his death. already been levied for the year, and the first half of the amount is being paid at the present time. If year, Wright Miss Mary Alice Bar. the tax is approved, the state millage will not be collected for the last half of the year.

McCornack declared that he and the meeting. the majority of the legislators felt Dr. Pollard reported that his that the law had its flaws but felt committee had planted four more that something had to be done and Norway maples along the highway they wanted the people to know east of Springfield where some had LINCOLN BALL TEAMS that they had done the best they died.

intention to attend. A delegation committee to be named later.

# H.S. Boys Frown NEW HIGH SCHOOL On Girl Smoker

Advanced Students Express Attitude in Secret Vote; Reasons Are Stated

Tobacco smoking may or may not be developing into a serious menace among young people, especially FIVE ZONES ARE CREATED high school students, and young women, as is the frequent assertion in arguments which we hear on this subject, but W. E. Buell, Springfield high school principal, is not Recognizing all taxation as ne- worrying much about this problem

ry, for smoking by students has His petition bearing more than the by judging from the attitude of the ad- Under the provisions of the non to vanced students at the school the high school district law which is smoking habit will not become a now operative within Lane county serious problem among these young there have been formed five zones

The habit of smoking and its efts have been the subject of disroblems classes for several days, and last week the classes which went to Salem last winter, and I seniors voted on the question, did not get away from it until the "Would You Want Your Friend to district school board is to act as close of the seventh week of the Smoke?" The balloting was done judge, and the other directors to session when the taxation commit secretly and the votes counted by tee, of which I was chairman, real the class members themselves withized that this was the only pos- out any assistance from their in-

The outstanding feature of the results which were later tabulated for the two classes under the headings of yes, no, and no preference, was We did not even consider the var- that not one boy in either class apious forms of tax on sales which proved of smoking by girls or young had been offered us until we were women. The girls were a bit more convinced that it was necessary to lenient, however, with the boys. create some tax equalization plan. Six of the senior girls and four from A large bushel basket of revenue the junior class agreed that it would

Under the heading, no preference,

smoked. The tables as compiled by the two classes are as follows:

	Yes	No	No Preferen
	Boys0	12	3
	Girls6	13	
ı	Junior class:		
	Воув0	17	2
	Girls4	17	3
			Control of the Contro

Second, force in all delinquent the ill effects which smoking has No candidates have openly entered

Third, put heavy taxes on the New Forest Program and Co. Unit Law to Be Presented at Springfield Meeting

Forest conservation work and the TO EUGENE CLUBS FRIDAY

Annual election of officers for LOCAL PEOPLE TAKE Fourth, equalization or shifting the next year is also slated for the of taxes from real estate to other meeting tonight. A nominating sources. This is what the sales committee which was named at the

Cottage Grove meeting will report. The Civilian Conservation corps ed or rejected on July 21 provides which is now holding the focal for a 2 per cent tax on retail sales point of interest in Lane county will ers of the automobiles are Dr. W. be described by Perry Thompson, C. Rebhan and Dallas Murphy. supervisor of the Cascade and Santiam forests.

Laurence Moffitt, county school superintendent, will discuss one side of the county unit plan for high school education. Senator H. C. Wheeler has been invited to present weather since the opening of the date and county lovy is 21.0 mills and the school redemption would have been 3.2 week. The picnic will be held at ASCENSION OF THE LORD according to E. G. Harlan, Chamber the Wright and Sons hardware com- 23.2 mills. secretary.

# **ENTERTAIN CHILDREN**

Mrs. W. E. Buell and her daughter, Evelyn, will entertain for mem-

of ten or more is sought. Dr. Mat-In concluding his address Mr. thews and Dr. Marcy will speak at

June 14 was set as the tentative Announcement of the district date for the next meeting which grade baseball teams at the Lin-mills. What is here added to the conclusion that any reduction in Eugene this week. Delegates day. Those taking part were Helen Brotherhood meeting to be held at is to be the annual Brotherhood coln junior high school won their school and city should be taken taxes must come from local bodies from the Springfield church are Lyons, Nellie Prindel, Maxine Val-Junction City Friday evening was picnic. The place and other degames with Marcola teams Friday, from the state and county. This is well founded. made and several indicated their tails were left in the hands of a The girls won with a score of 35-4 reduces the amount of the state and

One Board of Directors to Govern High School Education for Non-Union Area

Candidates Must File Petitions and Acceptance: Elections to Be Held June 19

Arthur Beebe, River Road, is the first person to have filed his peti-Not that the Springfield principal tion as candidate for school direc-

embracing all non-organized high high school districts, each of which is to elect one director for the board of education of the non-high school district. The vote shall be taken in each

act as clerks and count the ballots. Election Explained

Nominations for the various dis-County School Superintendent at resident came late Tuesday eveleast 15 days prior to the election. ning at Roseburg near the close of The candidate must also file an act the district convention. ceptance with the County School Superintendent at least 10 days before the election.

The purpose of the Board of Edfor tuition and to arrange for and furnish transportation. They shall levy a tax on non-high school disonly two junior and three senior tricts for tuition and transportation boys were listed, while five senior if necessary, and to have general

They shall deposit all funds with the County Treasurer and shall the meeting. make all payments to standard high schools for their tuition. If there cle at the district meeting were Mr. is not sufficient funds the County Court will make a special levy.

zones have announced their inten- cher. tion to become candidates for directors, according to Laurence Moffitt, Lack of respect for their girl county school superintendent, but friends who indulge in smoking, and only the one has filed and accepted.

Springfield Zone Listed districts:

Donna; 153, Upper Mabel; 5, Upper been invited to speak. 85, Maple; 62, Jasper; 117. West- are on the program committee. fir; 176, High Prairie; 20, Cruzatte; 68, McKenzie Bridge; 11, Stafford; 162, Bear Creek; 2, Cloverdale.

## MRS. WILSON HOSTESS

incomes. The present income tax brought up at the monthly meeting and Clark chapter D. A. R. were which the legislature passed pro- of the Lane County Chamber of guests of Mrs. Gertrude Wilson at vides for a small tax on nearly all Commerce to be held at Taylor half her home here Friday afternoon. incomes and will provide more in Springfield this evening starting Mrs. S. E. Stevens, regent, reported revenue than some of the bills with a dinner at 6:30. Nearly 50 on the recent Continental Congress

# DELIVERY ON NEW CARS

Two new model Ford automobiles have been delivered to Springfield residents recently by John Anderson, local Ford dealer. New own-

## FISH CONTEST AGAIN **EXTENDED TO MAY 31**

Due to the continual poor fishing pany will be extended until the last day of May.

## SPRINGFIELD MAN'S

high school will held separate picnics at Swimmer's Delight park on Saturday. This will be an all-day affair with sports and a picnic din-

while the boys won 9-7.

# Roosevelr's German Guest



Dr. Hjalmar Schaedt, President of man envoy sent to confer with President Roosevelt on financial and economic problems and present his country's views on world readjust-

Mrs. Marion Adams to Represent District at Grand Lodge Meeting in Portland

Mrs. Ida Adams, Springfield mem-Woodcraft, was named one of three grand representatives from District 12, to attend the Grand Lodge sestricts shall be made by petition sions to be held in Portland in only and must be filed with the June. Election of the Springfield lican; Ben, Ennis Yarnell; Kate

Mrs. Adams has just completed a term as district guardian and is succeeded in that office by a resident of Junction City. As a deleucation shall be to enter into congate to the Grand Lodge sessions, tracts with standard high schools Mrs. Adams will meet with representatives from nine western states.

The Springfield delegation returned early Wednesday morning from the district meeting at Roseand three junior girls were not par- supervision over the high school burg where they have been since ticular whether or not the boys education work within non-union Sunday. A large number of resolutions and changes n procedure olulu Tomboys, the high school orwere considered and acted on at chestra under the direction of Bu-

Those who represented Pine cirand Mrs. Marion Adams, Mrs. Myr-

## LIONS TO HEAR TALK ON STATE SALES TAX

The state sales tax which voters on July 21 will be the subject of regular social meeting of the Pro-This zone includes the following meeting of the Springfield Lions ber who can sew quilt blocks is Asa Tobias, Ashtabula, Ohio; Harclub Friday noon. E. A. McCornack, asked to do so and leave them with ry Tobias, Garrettsville, Ohio; Mrs. for their work next winter. 87. Norkenzie; 129. Willagilles- Lane county legislator and chair- Mrs. Minnie Girard who will sew Clinton Smith, Spartesburg, Pennple; 6. Willakenzie; 160, Garden man of the taxation committee of the blocks together. Mrs. Riley sylvania; and Mrs. A. Williams of Way; 49, Deadmond's Ferry; 144, the House of Representatives has Snodgrass, Miss Maxine Snodgrass Waterfork, Pennsylvania.

# SENIOR CLASS TO OFFER PLAY

High School to Offer 'Kempy Friday as Final Big **Production for Season** 

stage production of the present ing held here Tuesday evening. The Public Invited to Program and Miss Marguerite Milhollen presents week. the rollicking comedy, "Kempy."

Indications are that the house have them reserved at Flanery's drug store immediately. Tickets a one-act skit by the junior high portant events. have been reduced considerably for school, and tumbling acts by Helen. The first of these is an open

weeks as a legitimate attraction.

It is the story of an unsettled forts, incidentally writing a book, arrangements. ber of Pine circle Neighbors of before she settles down. All but stage experience. The cast is as ments. follows: Dad, Jay Paulson: Ma, Eva Louk; Jane Wade, Lucille Mil-Bence, Virginia Christie; Ruth Bence, Beth Jennings; Kempy James, George Mark; Duke Merill, Arlan Schantol.

Harold Geiger is business manager for the show. Other assistants are Murl Carr, advertising; Ever- Widow and 2 Sons Survive; er, secretary; Mrs. H. H. Schaffenett LaJoie and John Dale Adams, stage managers; Melba Harris and Jewel Helterbrand, costumes and property. Miss Gretchen Wintermeier of the university will direct the make-up.

Interlude numbers will be provided by Walter Lee and his Honford Roach, and the Tartman trio.

named as follows: Ann Wagner, mained for the next 27 years. Bernadine McFarland, Doris Gerber, tle Eggiman, Mrs. Juetta Taylor, Marjorie Prochnow, Marceline Sea-Several persons in the different Mrs. Edith Laxton and Mrs. That- vey, Mildred Devine, Nathalie Edmiston and Theda Rhodes.

# PROGRESSIVE DRILL

and Mrs. Bertha Rouse will be at the next meeting.

# 84c Out of Tax Dollar Returns to Springfield by Rev. Edgar B. Luther of The Dalles. Interment was made in bearer.

Eigty-four cents out of every tax dollar paid in Springfield is for local purposes and if there is to be any substantial tax reduction it must be done at home points out County Clerk W. B. Dillard in a letter to this newspaper commenting on our editorial last week.

Mr. Dillard analyzes the total property tax levy and ing service at the Methodist church beth Boyles, Yvonne Sneed. shows that both city and school district actually get more this evening at 7:30. His subject than their millagecalls for due to participating in the county Gizeh." The Christian and Meth-Gabriel, Francis Martin, Annabelle levy for schools and roads.

His letter follows:

I was much interested in your purposes, to 13.77 mills. editorial on "Springfield's Prob- The state tax this year amounts ing of their church in Eugene. lem," and the conclusion drawn mills from 13.77 mills, you have PLANS STARTED FOR therein to the effect that most tax left only 10.53 mills for county purburdens are local and have been poses. voted by the people themselves.

Wheeler has been invited to present weather since the opening of the state and county levy is 21.5 mills, of the county. The levy for bond for June 3, it was announced this

shows that the county and state are merely collection agencies for the When you take the 2.2 mills levy is sponsoring the gathering. BROTHER DIES IN EAST mills there is included a county mills, you have left only 8.13 William Whitney, brother of Har- should be added to your school levy this 8.13 mills the county must carry Whitney, Springfield barber, as it is money collected by the ry on the various departments of bers of the Kensington club and died at his home at East Aurora, county for the local school district, county government which are reby your local school board. When SCHEDULE PICNICS you add a 3.63 mills and the 2.4 mills to your 23.2 mills you will see is divided as follows: that the levy for local school pur-

> poses is 29.23. In your editorial you state that the levy for city purposes is 40.9 mills. To this should be added 1.7 mills levied by the county court for county levy, for state and county

Of this 13.77 mills, 2.2 mills is to In the editorial you state that the retire bonds voted by the people held at Pleasant Hill has been set McNett. mills had not the county court bud- the W. O. W. grove and will be

local municipality. In this 21.5 for bond purposes from the 10.33 school levy of 3.63 mills, which mills for county purposes, and, with

> Fond Redemption 2.8 cents State Tax 4.2 County ..... Schools ..34.

From the above figures it appears

# Cascade O.E.S. Honors Visitors

Creswell and Cottage Grove Chapters Come Tuesday; **Grand Patron Guest** 

Members of Creswell and Cottage Springfield high school students Grove O. E. S. chapters were guests LUNCH FUND BENEFITS will present their final three-act of Cascade chapter at a social meetschool year Friday night when the usual potluck dinner preceding the senior class, under the direction of Star meeting was omitted this

A surprise visitor was Worthy Grand Patron Baldwin. Entertainwill again be packed for this pro- ment was provided by the girls' duction and those who wish to be glee club of the high school led by the Springfield Parent-Tteacher asassured of seats are advised to Miss Ruth Morrison, duets by Misses sociation is now winding up its Wilma Lewis and Blanche Bates, year's activities with two more im-Lyone and Wyetta Spriggs.

students will do Friday evening is tron and Mrs. Pearl Schantol, wor. bers, an operetta, and other feathe same show which has just recently broken all recent records for ter led a grand march into the din- high school. The grade school or popularity on the theatre row in ing room where Miss Margaret Gor- chestra under the direction of Bu-Portland where it ran for three full rie and Miss Edna Platt poured the ford Roach will also play several secoffee.

Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, Miss Thelyoung lady in a small New Jersey ma Sweeney and Mrs. Opal Rob-clubs and the art classes of the town who dabbles with many ef- erts were in charge of the program Lincoln school will be held.

Mrs. Levi Neet and Mrs. W. C. two of the cast have had previous Wright were in charge of refresh- T. A. will be publically installed

Funeral Services Held in Springfield Wednesday

A sudden heart attack which struck Lucius A. Tobias at his home hot lunch committee to purchase Monday evening caused his death a supplies during the summer for use short time later.

Mr. Tobias was born at Andover, Ashtabula county, Ohio, on January 20, 1867. He lived there until he was 15 years old and then moved sentation of the Tom Thmb wedding Ushers for the evening have been to Alda, Nebraska, where he re- at the high school Tuesday evening

He was married to Miss Nettie Jobe at Hastings, Nebraska, on Aug-dress suits or evening dresses. moved to Oregon and have resided in Springfield for the past 11 years. ing directed by Mr. and Mrs. Hau-

sons, Kenneth A. Tobias, Spring. lasting nearly two hours in which TEAM TO MAKE QUILT field; and Merle L. Tobias of Port- many local personages will be imland, survive. He also leaves three personated. Plans for the sewing of a quilt grandchildren and four brothers and Special music will be provided

Friends church.

Rest Haven Memorial park.

# ATTORNEY TO ADDRESS

H. F. Irvin, Los Angeles attorney, will speak at the union prayer meet-Schaffenberg, Betty Jarrett, Elizaodist churches will unite for this service. Most of the Baptist members are attending the annual meet-

Further analysis of the 21.5 mills geted \$45,000 of the expected O. directed by Senator H. C. Wheeler. The Pleasant Hill Christian church

## LODGE DELEGATES AT STATE CONVENTION

their small children at their home, New York, Monday according to and is spent by the school district. Quired by law, must take care of bekah lodge and the Springfield I. of his stories in which he endeavors A state tax levy of 3 mills and 223 B street, Friday, May 26, at word received here this week. A In the state levy there is a 2.4 its many thousand miles of road, O. O. F. are at Pendleton this week to characterize the chief personalmills levy to raise the elementary must take care of its poor, and must attending Grand Lodge. Miss Doris ities of the New Testament. His millage tax, which is levied for the take care of its courts and other Girard and Mrs. Stella Eaton are subject this week will be "Through local schools benefit, and is spent activities too numerous to mention, representing the Rebekah lodge, the Eyes of Judas." The Sunday From the above figures will be and Elmer Pyne and Oswald Olson, school meets at 9:45. The Epworth seen that Springfield's tax dollar the Oddfellows. W. F. Walker, past League is planning to present a picgrand master, is also attending ture of its work here since it was the sessions.

## BAPTIST DELEGATES ATTENDING CONVENTION

the benefit of the city, and the mon- that 84 cents of every tax dollar Springfield Baptist church are at- was presented by a group of girls WIN MARCOLA GAMES ey is sent to and spent by the city, paid by Springfield's residents, is tending the annual convention be- at the weekly assembly period of Both the boys and girls eighth hence your city levy should be 42.6 levied for local purposes, and your ing held at the First Baptist church the Lincoln junior high school Fri-Vernice Hawke, Mrs. Wilfred ler, Teddy Wright and Wyetta W. B. DILLARD, Cooke, P. H. Emery, Mrs. Mel Rice Spriggs. Miss Spriggs and Miss County Clerk, and Rev. William G. Taylor.

# MOCK WEDDING ENDS P.T.A. YEAR

Mrs. W. C. Wright Elected President of Association for Year on Wednesday

Demonstration of 4-H Work at Lincoln Tonight

Starting with the election of officers Wednesday for the next year,

meeting of the local unit at the Preceding the serving of the re- Lincoln school tonight at 7:30. A The "Kempy" which the senior freshments the Worthy Grand Pa- program consisting of musical numlections.

An exhibit of work by the Four-H

Install Officers Tonight Newly elected officers of the P. at this meeting to which the public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission says Mrs. W. O. Burch, president.

Mrs. W. C. Wright will be the new leader of the Springfield P. T. A. it was decided at the business meeting held Wednesday. Other officers elected are Roy Quiney, vice-president; Mrs. William Moyberg, treasurer; and Mrs. L. K. Page, historian. It was voted to turn the balance

now in the treasury over to the in the hot lunch work next fall and winter. Climaxing the activities of the local association will be the pre-

at 7:30. More than 50 small boys and girls will take part and all will be smartly attired in full This mock wedding which is be-His widow, Nettie Tobias; two ser will provide a complete program

Many in Wedding Dorothy Ward will be the bride and head of the wedding party. Her Camp Creek; 174, Hayden Bridge; H. E. Maxey and D. B. Murphy chairmen of the program committee dren and was a member of the members of the party are Joe He was the oldest of twelve chil- groom will be Dallas Schiewe. Other Chace, best man; Aleta Burch, maid Funeral services were held from of honor; Joan Ward and Diane the Poole-Gray-Bartholomew chapel Beeson, bridesmaids; John Shearer in Springfield Wednesday afternoon and Rex Stratton, ushers; Albert at 2:30. Rev. William G. Taylor, Shearer, preacher; Nadine Neet pastor of the Springfield Baptist and Jackie Bill Vaughn, the bride's church, officiated and was assisted parents; Donna Jean Gabriel, flowby Rev. Edgar B. Luther of The er girl; and Dickie Moffitt, ring

Guests at the wedding party will include LaVonne Johnson Oma Mae McNeet, Claire Toomb, Catherine Alice Thompson, Betty Qui-UNION PRAYER SERVICE ney, Helen Severson, Joy Rebhan, Yvonne Nott, Margie Whally, Ruth Thompson, Luella Snyder, Phyllis

Ruby Thompson, Anna Marie Pyle, Graydon Lewis, Dickie Bartholomew, Richard Larson, Bobby Larson, Donald Thompson, Robert Moffitt, Richard Bennett, Jackie Barber, Delores Keeler, Charles Poindexter, Jimmy Shearer, Joe ANNUAL PIONEER PICNIC Chace, Tommy Putnam, Arthur Mc-Pherson, Freddy Mitchell, Bobby Thomas, Rex Stratton and Herbert

# SUNDAY SERMON THEME

"The Ascension of the Lord" will be the theme of the eleven o'clock service at the Methodist church Sunday, Rev. Dean C. Poindexter will preach the sermon. At the evening service at 7:30 Mr. Fred-Delegates from both Juanita Re- erick K. Davis will give the second first organized.

## LINCOLN STUDENTS IN PROGRAM ON FRIDAY