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## County Offices To Be Filled by Republicans

### Bennett Defeats Storla In Contest for District Attorney

With the exception of the county court, which remains democratic, offices in the court house at St. Helens will be filled next January by republicans. D. O. Bennett, republican, defeated John L. Storla, democrat, for district attorney, M. R. Calhoun, present deputy sheriff, republican, defeated Wm. D. Cody, democrat, and Glenn F. Barnett, independent, in a three cornered race and J. W. Hunt, Fred Watkins, Gladys E. Peterson and John E. Eilertson, republicans were reelected to the offices they now hold, county clerk, assessor, treasurer and surveyor respectively. Wm. Pringle, Sr., democrat, was reelected as county commissioner.

Bennett held a three to one lead throughout the county except in Vernonia, where two of the precincts gave a majority to Storla. Calhoun obtained twice as many votes as his nearest opponent, Cody. The closest race was that of Eilertson and White, Eilertson winning by 328 votes. Although Vernonia gave Bert Mills a plurality of 61 over Pringle for county commissioner, Mills lost in the county as a whole by a considerable margin.

O. Henry Oleen, democrat, defeated Fred W. Herman, republican, for state representative from the second district, and Mrs. Grace Kent Magruder, democrat, defeated A. C. Fulton, republic-

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## MISS HAZEL LEMONS DIES FRIDAY IN MT. VERNON

Miss Hazel N. Lemons, a sister of Pauline Lemons, stenographer in the O.-A. office, died at her home in Mt. Vernon, Oregon, Friday evening. Services were held there Sunday.

Miss Hazel Lemons lived with her sister in House 16 on O.-A. hill, Vernonia, during the summer, and in August underwent a major operation in Portland from which she never recovered.

About six weeks ago she was taken from Portland to her home in Mt. Vernon.

## Auxiliary Plans For Armistice Day Dinner

Vernonia Unit No. 119 of the American Legion Auxiliary held one of their most interesting meetings of the year Tuesday evening in the Legion hall when plans were completed for the coming Armistice Day celebration on Wednesday, November 11th. It was announced that a "pot luck" dinner will be served at 6:30, to be followed by a program and dance. The program will include dance numbers, a vocal duet, instrumental selections and community singing of war songs, with perhaps reminiscences of the war from several veterans.

The affair will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall and an invitation is extended to all ex-service men and their families to attend the dinner. The dance to follow will be opened to the public.

Arrangements for the dinner are being made by Mrs. E. S. Thompson and her committee;

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## Vining Speaks To Sportsmen on Conservation

Conservation of wild life by preservation of the forests of the Pacific Northwest was urged by Dr. F. V. Vining of Ashland, former member of the state game commission, in an address at the banquet of the Nehalem Hunters and Anglers club in the I.O.O.F. hall Friday night. "We are the custodians of the last great forest lands that the pioneers took," he declared, and it is only by careful planning and foresight that they can be kept from destruction. It is up to sportsmen's organizations to see that public opinion demands their preservation, he declared.

Musical numbers were provided by Joe McNutt and Leo Ludwig on the guitar, and Elsie Duncan sang a solo. The banquet featured venison killed for the occasion by Ross Duncan, president of the club, who served as toastmaster. Ladies of the Nehalem club cooked the dinner, and members of the Order of Rainbow waited on table.

## According to the Vernonia Vote . . .

The most popular candidate on the ballot was Franklin D. Roosevelt, who received 917 votes.

The next in popularity was O. Henry Oleen, with 777 votes.

The least popular was John W. Aiken, socialist-labor candidate for president, who got no votes at all.

The republican candidate most successful in dodging the democratic landslide was J. W. Hunt, who polled 665 votes. Second was Mrs. Gladys Peterson, with 615 votes.

Landon trailed behind his own ticket, getting only 228 votes, while A. C. Fulton, next lowest republican, had 286.

All of the republicans now holding county offices were favored for reelection except J. E. Eilertson, county surveyor. So were the democrats, except that Wm. Pringle, Sr., county commissioner, was 61 votes behind Bert Mills, republican who held the office several years ago.

Precinct 1, the Thomas garage, and Precinct 3, the O.-A. cook shack, were the democratic strongholds. In both places, however, a few republicans got by.

Townsend clubs fared well as to their endorsements for state and county offices, except that Mott barely nosed out 3 votes ahead of Kirkpatrick, an anti-Townsendite.

Mrs. Ernest East is recovering from an injury to her foot in an auto accident Oct. 25.

## City Hall and Bank Heating Units Come

The heating units of the central heating plant for the city hall and the bank building reached here yesterday, and work of installation began immediately. The system used will be similar to that in the Miller Mercantile store and the Washington grade school. The boiler, purchased from the high school district, has already been installed in the basement of the city hall.

## City Budget Is Formally Adopted

Formal adoption of the city budget approved at the special election October 26 was voted at the meeting of the city council Monday night.

\$48 remaining in the park fund was appropriated for work on the swimming pool dam at the request of Lester Sheeley.

## HIGH SCHOOL TO HOLD CARNIVAL NOV. 13

A carnival will be held Friday, Nov. 13, in the high school for benefit of the athletic fund. There will be a program and concessions with many entertainment features.

## HIGH SCHOOL TO PLAY BANKS IN VERNONIA TODAY

Vernonia high school will play Banks here today at 2:15 on the local field.

## Vernonia Goes Democratic by Huge Majority

### Several Republicans Are Favored, However, for County Offices

Vernonia went democratic by a huge majority in the election Tuesday, except that a few republican candidates for county offices, J. W. Hunt, Fred Watkins, Mrs. Gladys Peterson, M. R. Calhoun and Bert Mills each received a plurality in the local polls. A very large number of straight democratic tickets were voted, and it was only where the republican candidates were widely and favorably known that they were given a plurality. In all instances except the choice of Calhoun, present deputy sheriff, and Bert Mills, for county commissioner, the republican candidates favored were up for reelection.

### No Contest for City Jobs

There was no contest for positions of mayor, councilmen and treasurer of the city of Vernonia. Accordingly Ben S. Owens, mayor, Roy Raymond and E. A. Stacey, councilmen for term of two years, K. A. McNeill and George Schaber, councilmen for term of four years, and J. W. Brown, city treasurer, were elected virtually without opposition. There were a few scattering write-ins. All are serving at present except McNeill and Schaber.

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## Loggers Continue Wins In Washington County

The Vernonia Loggers continued their victory march through Washington county teams last Friday by adding the scalp of Hillsboro to that of Forest Grove and Beaverton.

The Loggers playing their best ball game of the season emerged with a 7 to 6 victory after four bitter quarters. Hillsboro was by far the best team faced by Vernonia this season.

The game started with a bang with the Loggers kicking to Hillsboro. Holding Hill Hi for down the Loggers with Henderson and Meeker, following the good blocking by the line, drove to the Hillsboro eight before losing the ball on a penalty. Receiving the kick in midfield the scoring drive was started. Hard running by Meeker and Jarvis interspersed with a twenty yard lateral, placed the ball on the two yard line where Henderson went over on a buck. Meeker converted off tackle making the score Vernonia 7, Hillsboro 0.

Vernonia continued its drive a-

gain to the eight yard line where the big Hillsboro line turned them back. Hill Hi scored a touchdown in the dying minutes of the half on a long pass and a series of bucks to end the scoring for the game. The score at the half stood Vernonia 7, Hillsboro 6.

The second half was a bitter offensive battle all the way with the Loggers penetrating deep into Hillsboro territory in the third quarter, while the final gun found the Loggers battling in their own territory to hold off a determined Hillsboro drive.

Spectacular offensive drives by both teams made this easily the outstanding game of the season for the Loggers. Every type of offensive play was used. Even the gray bearded "Statue of Liberty" was called out by Hillsboro, and worked perfectly.

Standing out individually for Hillsboro was Schulmerick, a giant 220 pound tackle; Zeigler, a fast stepping end and Hendi, a

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## Armistice Day

Eighteen years ago November 11, 1918, a great hush fell over the whole world. It had finally ended, the greatest of all wars.

Tears of joy flowed that day, where drops of blood had flown the day before. Then, after a slight pause people of all nations went mad with joy. Both sides were glad to say, "Finis La Guerre."

Twenty three nations, with 42 million men under arms, declared war on the Central Powers, with 23 million under arms. 65 million men engaged in a death struggle. If they had all joined hands it would have reached nearly three times around the earth. One-third of these men were killed or wounded.

Eighteen years have passed. Nature has in a large measure covered up the scars of battle to shell torn Flanders Field, but the broken bodies of what was once the youth of the nation still lingers on, a living sacrifice to democracy, that it may live forever for posterity to enjoy. It was an enormous price to pay, but now that it has been paid in full with the blood of the nation, let us enjoy the freedom that is ours in this, the greatest country in the world. They gave their lives, that the nation might be free. So you should be PROUD when you see Old Glory Floating in the breeze, from the flagstaff or passing in parade. Be PROUD to live in a country of free people. Be PROUD you are an American.

Pause for a few minutes in your busy life in memory of those who died that the Nation might live and give thanks to God that you are a citizen of the United States of America, the greatest nation on the face of the globe.

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