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## ROSEBURG SCHOOLS OPEN TODAY WITH ENROLLMENT LARGER THAN LAST YEAR

Indications Are That City Schools Are Starting One of Most Successful Terms In History of City—Congestion Exists In Lower Grades

Roseburg schools got under way today with a smoothness and precision that augurs well for the season's work, and speaks highly of the efficient organization that has been built up by City Superintendent M. S. Hamm with the backing and assistance of the local board of directors.

new features introduced in the high school this year, particularly in the line of athletics. For the first time in history Roseburg has an athletic coach who will supervise athletics in all of the schools.

The schools opened auspiciously and with a lack of confusion which caused those witnessing the preliminary work to feel very optimistic regarding the coming months.

Congestion in the third and fourth grades is reported from both the Benson and Rose schools. In other grades there is now severe overcrowding although the rooms are well filled and the teachers have all they can handle.

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## Roy Gardner Leads Officers on Merry Chase

TACOMA, Sept. 12.—Roy Gardner furnished considerable excitement on McNeil's island over Sunday, when he was reported seen by several guards, all of whom took pot shots at the skulking figure without success.

All of the officials at the prison agree that Gardner is a fool not to have reached the mainland long ago, if he has not done so. Pitt's Passage is a very swammy and a man can wade most of the way.

## Texas Flood Death Toll Still Rising

TALOR, Texas, Sept. 12.—The bodies of twenty victims of Friday and Saturday's storm and resultant floods have been recovered so far today. Many more victims are estimated to have lost their lives.

## Aviators Here on Fishing Trip

Colonel Arnold and Captain Lowell H. Smith arrived yesterday by airplane from Eugene on a pleasure trip. They are the guests of S. B. Crouch, who is showing the aviators some excellent hunting and fishing on the Douglas county streams and forests.

## Income Tax Law Changes Approved

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The senate finance committee today voted to retain the 32 per cent maximum income surtax rates, fixed in the house bill.

## CAR GOES IN DITCH

The Ford car owned by F. A. was badly damaged when it was crowded off the highway near Shady Point yesterday by a heavy truck belonging to Portland people.

## SUSTAINS BROKEN LIMB

E. F. Koble, a well known resident of Roseburg, was brought to this city Saturday evening, following an accident which resulted in a broken limb. Mr. Koble's horse became entangled in a harness and began kicking furiously.

## continued until Friday at the request of the district attorney.

## Case Continued.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Arbuckle appeared in court for arraignment amid a battery of flashlights. The case was continued until Friday at the request of the district attorney.

## Rev. Jones Given High Appointment

PORTLAND, Sept. 12.—(Special to News-Review.)—Rev. J. C. Jones, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, of Roseburg, was named presiding elder of the Portland district at the Pacific Northwest Conference of the church which closed last night.

## TELEGRAPH FLASHES

COURIER LEAVES IRELAND. (By Associated Press.) DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—A courier left this morning for Inverness, Scotland, with the Daily Freeman's reply to Lloyd George's latest communication.

SAWMILL TO REBUILD. (By Associated Press.) TUMBLER, Ore., Sept. 12.—The J. A. Prouty timber company sawmill, which was destroyed yesterday with a loss of \$125,000, will be rebuilt, the owners announce.

ROUTING CHANGED. (By Associated Press.) HOOD RIVER, Sept. 12.—The Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company trains are being routed over the Spokane, Portland & Seattle line owing to a fire in the tunnel near Mosier, Oregon.

FIFTY BODIES RECOVERED. (By United Press.) SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 12.—Fifty bodies have been recovered and thirty-six persons are known to be injured and twenty missing as a result of Friday night's flood which swept the city.

MOTHER THOUGHT ASSISTANT. (By United Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Authorities today expressed the belief that Mrs. C. E. Church, aged mother of Harvey Church, confessed murderer of Bernard Daugherty and Carl Ausmus, automobile salesmen, aided her son to bury the bodies of his victims, although they express the belief that she took no part in the actual murders.

NO TRACE OF BANDITS. (By United Press.) TACOMA, Sept. 12.—Police today found no trace of the bandits who late yesterday brutally attacked E. M. Watson and left him unconscious after robbing him of \$600. Watson had the money in his coat lining.

## Hangman's Tree Destroyed By Fire

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 12.—"Hangman's Tree," declared to have been employed by Vigilantes of the '60s as a gallows for the execution of their edicts, recently was destroyed by a fire which swept the grove on the old Singleton homestead, on Second street in this city.

The tree, a big cottonwood, is reported to have served in the capacity of gibbet on numerous occasions during the time when Walla Walla was the outfitting post for gold seekers of Alaska in 1862 and in later years.

Among the Looking Glass people in town today were Mrs. R. L. Chamberlain and Mrs. George Bacon.

WHEAT PRICES. PORTLAND, Sept. 12.—Wheat prices were \$1.07 and \$1.12 today.

## DAILY MARKET REPORT.

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Sept. 12.—Cattle reported steady, hogs 25 cents higher, prime light selling at \$12 and \$12.50; sheep steady; eggs steady; butter firm.

## Cold Snap Hits Points In Oregon and Washington

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 12.—Baker, Oregon, was the coldest spot on the weather map with a temperature of 22 degrees reported at 8 o'clock this morning. A killing frost is reported from the district surrounding Baker. Umatilla reports a temperature of 32 degrees. From the Willamette valley come reports of nippy weather, with a temperature of 32 degrees reported at Salem.

WALLA WALLA, Sept. 12.—The lowest temperature reported here this morning was 36 degrees. Tender plants and vegetables have been killed by the cold weather. Three inches of snow fell yesterday in the Blue mountains and the snow capped hills are visible from the city.

YAKIMA, Sept. 12.—A temperature of 31 degrees reported last night, is the coldest September weather on record since 1919.

## U.S. Seeks For Pot of Gold

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The government is going after the famous Bergdoll "pot of gold." Allen property custodian Miller announced today that Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, mother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, arch slacker, would be asked to surrender all property in which her son had any interest, including the gold coin taken from the U. S. treasury before the draft evader escaped and fled to Germany.

## Funeral of Mrs. Brewer Today

The funeral of the late Mrs. E. J. Brewer, former Roseburg resident, who died in North Bend on Wednesday, September 7, was held at the undertaking parlors at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

## Sinn Fein Accepts British Invitation

DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—The Sinn Fein reply to the British invitation for a conference at Inverness, Sept. 20, was forwarded to Lloyd George today, it was officially announced. The invitation is accepted, according to the announcement. The Evening News states that the note contains reservation regarding Ireland's allegiance to the British crown.

## CANNERY TO START.

Frank Norton, who runs the Drain cannery, has leased the Roseburg cannery and placed it in operation this week to handle the run of prunes. It will take about ten days to complete the prune crop, he states, and following that the apples will be handled. The apple crop will keep the cannery in operation until Christmas. Mr. Norton says that his canned fruit will be marketed in nearly every part of the United States. About 15,000 cases of apples have already been sold.

## New Health Nurse Takes Up Duties

Miss Caroline Wallace, the new county health nurse, arrived in Roseburg today in company with Miss Jane C. Allen, the director of the bureau of nursing and child hygiene of the Oregon state board of health. Miss Wallace started upon her duties at once and established offices with the county school superintendent.

## OFFICERS CONFISCATE FIFTY GALLON OF LOGANBERRY JUICE AT SUTHERLIN RANCH HOME

John Musgrove Well Known Farmer Charged With Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquor—Confesses to Crime Local Officers State

Fifty gallons of loganberry juice, with a kick strong enough to knock the teeth out of a buzz saw, were confiscated this morning by Sheriff Sam Starmer and deputies Hopkins and Dillard, in a raid on the home of John Musgrove, a rancher residing about 2 miles west of Sutherlin.

According to statements made by Sheriff Starmer, Musgrove has been in the business of retailing liquor for some time. It is claimed that he has been peddling out the booze, while his house has been a regular oasis for thirsty ones of the Sutherlin community.

to have told the officers, "and so I made my berries into juice and got a good price." He was ordered to appear before Justice of the Peace George Jones at 11 o'clock this morning and was not brought to the city by the officers, who had great difficulty in loading the heavy barrels into two autos and transporting them to this city.

On Saturday night the officers attended the dance at Sutherlin and at that time they found evidence causing them to form the opinion that the Musgrove boy was selling drinks to the dancers. They found an empty bottle in his possession but did not have sufficient evidence to warrant his arrest.

Musgrove appeared before Justice of the Peace George Jones this morning and was arraigned on a charge of having intoxicating liquor in his possession. He entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$300 and costs. He was unable to pay all of the fine but was given a short time in which to arrange for payment after paying a portion of the amount assessed against him.

They immediately entered the wood house and found two large barrels, one of 40 gallon capacity and the other a 20 gallon size. The large barrel was almost full and the small barrel was only partially emptied. Another barrel was found and from the odor emanating therefrom it was quite evident that it had at one time been used as a container for liquor.

## Valuable Fox Pups Delivered

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 12.—Fifty pairs of silver fox "pups" valued by the owners at \$100,000, were delivered recently to proprietors of a fox farm recently established here. They were brought here in a special car attached to fast mail trains from a Canadian fox farm. By bringing the young foxes into the United States at this time, the purchasers declared they saved \$35,000 which would have been assessed as customs duty should a contemplated tariff be enacted.

The officers estimate that Musgrove must have manufactured at least 150 gallons of which he has disposed the major portion. He confessed to the manufacture and sale of the beverage, the officers state, and admitted that he has sold a large quantity. The sale price has been \$5.75 per gallon, according to the information given Sheriff Starmer, and over 20 gallons were disposed of yesterday.

The price on loganberries was bad this year," Musgrove is reported to have said.

## CARLOAD OF PEARS SHIPPED.

Charles A. Brand of the Overland orchards today reported the shipment of a carload of Howell pears to Chicago. Another carload of D'Anjou pears will be shipped tomorrow and a carload of the Comice variety will leave here on Wednesday. The W. B. Glafke company is marketing the fruit from the Overland orchards.

## Scenic Wonder Now Accessible; Government Trail Leads to Lemola Falls

Another of Oregon's scenic wonder spots has become available for the public by the opening of a government trail to Lemola falls, sometimes known as Bradley falls, on the North Umpqua, some eighty miles from Roseburg and eighteen miles from Diamond Lake.

## Former Resident Buried Today

The body of the late Mrs. E. J. Brewer arrived here last evening from North Bend. Mrs. Brewer passed away several days ago at her home, following a long illness. The body was accompanied here by Mr. Brewer.

Few people have heard of, and still fewer people have seen this beautiful wonder of nature, a great volume of water pouring over a cliff for a sheer 180-foot drop, as measured by government ranglers.

## ARNOLD LIKED FIELD.

Colonel Arnold, who left this afternoon for Sacramento in his plane, informed Leo Devaney, commander of the Umpqua post, just prior to his departure, that the local Legion field was one of the very best in the west. He informed the Legion man that should the local post need any assistance at any time he would be glad to cooperate with them and spoke favorably concerning the possibility of securing the forest patrol base in Roseburg.

The falls is about 18 miles from Diamond Lake, and the most accessible way for auto tourists is to go to Diamond Lake, where they can secure pack horses to make the trip. It is also possible to go up the North Umpqua by way of Rock creek, but the auto road ends at Rock creek, and about fifty miles must be traversed on horseback if this route is taken.

It is well worth the time of anyone camping in the vicinity to visit the falls. The fishing both above and below the falls is excellent; there are plenty of beautiful camping spots, and there is an abundance of grass for the horses.