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PROTECTION IN CITY SCHOOLS INVESTIGATED

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from the furnace into the school building or by the use of smoke bombs without damage to the buildings. In order to obviate the possibility of a panic, it should be explained to the students some time in advance, that occasionally during the fire drill, a smoke screen would be used.

Another point is that there should be some irregularity in the exits used during a fire drill. During a real fire it is possible that one or more of the exits may be closed. The irregularity in the fire drill could be achieved by having a teacher stand at one of the exits to deflect the pupils from that entrance to another.

The suggestion of one Principal to signal at the time of the alarm with the bell which will be closed is not approved by the committee as this leads to confusion and in all probability it could not be used in case of a fire.

B. Organization and Training: It appears to the committee that adequate provision has not been made by the school authorities for organizing the school forces from the standpoint of fire protection. Neither have the teachers, janitors and students been adequately trained on how to act in case of a fire and how to use the equipment which has been provided for this purpose.

We do not believe that it is the function of this committee to outline what this organization and training should be, but believe that we should look to the school authorities to provide such adequate organization and training. Some good suggestions along this line have been made to the committee by Messrs. Jackson, Hamm, and Fletcher.

It is recognized that the first consideration in case of a fire is to clear the building of the pupils and teachers. The protection of the building itself should receive second consideration. For this purpose there should be a fire team organized from among the older boys in each of the schools. Such a team could perform good service in the way of first aid protection to the building during the period which necessarily elapses before the City Fire Department would arrive. The team should be adequately instructed and trained in the use of the fire hose and fire extinguishers. It is our suggestion that in case of a fire or a drill the fire team should leave the building with the other pupils. The principal will then decide whether or not the team should return to the building to man the hose and extinguishers. By going out with the others, they will save any confusion which would result in laying out the hose during the exit of the pupils, the Principal will have an opportunity to determine whether it is safe for the team to operate in the building and, following this procedure, the course of action will always be the same whether a fire or a fire drill.

C. Equipment: In the Rose school the outside doors are double doors, one of which has to be fastened at the top and the bottom in order to keep the doors closed, which is necessary in order to keep out the cold drafts. This is not a good type of door from the standpoint of fire protection and the committee recommends that new automatic fasteners similar to the type used at the High School be substituted.

The fire escape at Rose school anticipates that two columns of pupils will go down at once. The steps are often wet and the banisters on the outside of the steps do not afford sufficient protection. It is our suggestion that a third banister down the middle of the fire escape would be well worth the cost.

There should be at least two devices for turning on the fire alarm at each school. Frequently a device is out of order and does not operate. Also it is possible that in case of a fire it will be impossible to get at the alarm in order to turn it in if there were only one available. There is at present only one available at the Rose and High Schools. Fire extinguishers should be redistributed in some of the schools, so that they may afford the maximum protection, particularly in basements and, in the case of the High School in the attic. These and the fire hose should be adequately inspected periodically by a competent man.

D. The Fire Hazard: Too much wood is stored in the basements of the Rose and Fullerton schools. In order to obviate this at Fullerton it would require that an outside wood house be approved. This is made further desirable by the fact that in case of a fire starting in the basement at Fullerton there is no one stationed in the basement to discover it. It probably would first be discovered by one of the teachers up stairs and then not before it was too late to save the building and possibly the lives of some of the children. In this case it seems imperative that the school either have a full time janitor or an outside wood house. The latter alternative is preferable from the standpoint of fire protection and economy.

At all the schools we found inflammable material stored under the stairways. Supt. Hamm called out attention to the fact that the janitor had oil stored under the High school steps.

In the High School attic there are three electrically propelled fans which provide the ventilation for the building. On each of these there is a belt and beside the belt is a 2 x 4 as an insurance to prevent the belt from slipping off the wheels. At the time of our visit none of the belts were flush against the 2 x 4, but should the belt work over to the 2 x 4, it would be almost inevitable that a friction fire would result. A case pipe or other metal device should be substituted for the 2 x 4.

BROCCOLI GROWERS

There will be a meeting of growers of broccoli and cauliflower on Saturday, Jan. 9th, in council chamber, City Hall, Roseburg, at 1:30 P. M. to discuss production for market in Nov., Dec., Jan., Feb. and March. Also the 1926 grading rules, crates, seed, etc. All members and growers interested please be present. (Come early, go early).
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Also the motors and the floor under and around the motors were liberally splashed with oil and grease, which could be set on fire by a spark from the electric motor and cause a fire which would be very hard to extinguish. It is our suggestion that the motors be kept clean and that a large tin be placed on the floor under the motor. Possibly at some time it would be possible to put in new flooring and remove that which is now saturated with grease.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS WITH REFERENCE TO Fire Protection.

A. Fire Drill:
1. It is noted that the fire drills are satisfactory from the standpoint of elapsed time.

2. The authorities should have an adequate record showing that such drills are held once a week and that there is not a tendency to confine them to a certain period during the day.

3. The basements should be cleared during every fire drill.

4. We believe that the smoke screens can be occasionally used with safety to the children and the building and that they would add materially to the benefits of a fire drill.

5. There should be some irregularity as to exits used at the time of the fire drills.

B. Organization and Training:

1. The teachers, janitors and pupils should be organized and trained so as to know how to act in case of a fire and how to use the equipment furnished for fire protection purposes.

2. A fire team should be organized from among the older boys in each school.

3. Definite responsibility should be fixed as to who should turn in the fire alarm in the building and the fire alarm to the City Fire Department.

C. Equipment:

1. Automatic fasteners should be provided for the outside doors at Rose School.

2. A third banister should be provided for the fire escape at Rose School.

3. At least two fire alarm devices should be provided for each school.

4. Fire extinguishers should be redistributed at the various schools and these the hose should be inspected periodically by a competent expert.

D. Removing Fire Hazards:

1. A minimum amount of wood should be stored in the basement at Rose School, as is the case at Benson.

2. Fullerton School should have an outside wood house.

3. No inflammable material should be stored under the stairs at any of the schools.

4. In the motor room, the 2 x 4's mentioned should be replaced by metal devices, the grease should be cleaned and kept clean from the motors and a large tin should be placed on the floor under the motors.

Sanitation

Your committee was requested to cover the question of sanitation, particularly at Rose School. Before discussing this, we believe we should analyze the problem there. The school district has here an old building which will undoubtedly be wrecked within a few years and the question now is how much money the board is justified in spending for repairs and improvements. If we do not use the building for more than two years, we can get along with the conditions as they are. If we are going to continue using the building for 6 or 8 years as seems to be the case the district should make some badly needed improvements to the building. This should be done in justice to the children who are going to school now. It seems to us that the school board should first have the building inspected to see whether or not it is safe as there seems to be some question as to the strength of the interior frame work. If this is found to be satisfactory and it is conceded that it will be 6 or 8 years before a new building can be substituted, then the needed improvements should be made. These will consist of new toilet facilities, a new ventilating system, a new lighting system and other minor improvements. The committee recognizes that these improvements require the expenditure of money which the school board has not available.

We have reviewed a tabulation showing the comparative enrollment and finances of 25 first-class school districts in Oregon exclusive of Portland and Klamath Falls, which are not comparable. From this it was noted that Roseburg stands 12th in enrollment.

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