

## STUDENTS IN CITY SCHOOLS IMPROVE IN PENMANSHIP

Awards Made By Palmer  
Co. Show That Roseburg  
Ranks High in  
Efficiency.

Percentage Has Mounted  
From 77.3 in 1927 to  
97.8 for Examina-  
tions This Year.  
Change.

A decided improvement in writing in the Roseburg grade and junior high schools of Roseburg has been made in the past three years, according to Mrs. E. V. Stanford, supervisor of penmanship in the local schools. The Roseburg schools maintain a special department in penmanship and the supervisor aids the teachers and directs classes in writing in the various grade school classes and junior high building.

"The fact that there has been an improvement," Mrs. Stanford says, "is shown by the number of awards given by the Palmer company to our pupils."

"In 1926-1927 the per cent of awards for papers submitted to the Portland office, was 77.3; in 1927-1928, 90.9 per cent; and the present year it has been raised to 97.8 per cent. The average of 90 per cent is generally considered good."

"In a recent examination of the writing of all grade pupils from 1A to 6A, less than one per cent were below average. Many of the rooms are 100 per cent standardized, while several have reached the award of the next higher grade."

"Thirty-three pupils of the 6A have been awarded improvement certificates, which is usually a seventh grade award."

"The per cent of the awards for the different buildings is as follows:

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|-------------|-------|
| Junior High | 100%  |
| Fullerton   | 98.1% |
| Rose        | 97.5% |
| Benson      | 95.6% |

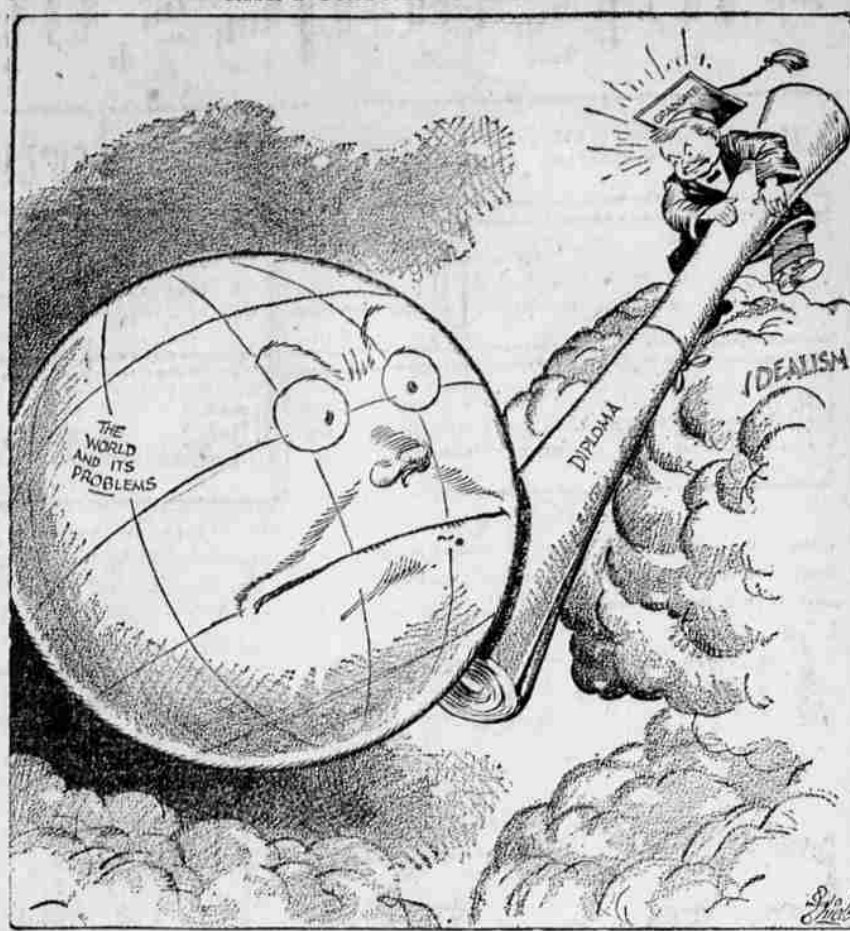
Five hundred, fifty-one sets of papers have been sent to Portland for examination."

A list of pupils receiving certificates for the greatest improvement in writing from September to May, in the grades 1A to 6A, is as follows:

**Benson School**  
1A—Shirley James, Glenn Hunter; 2B—Clara Belle Berg, Dale Johnson; 2A—Virginia Ann Gilmore, Robert Bannister; 3A—Fern Thomas, Joseph Root; 4B—Maxine Bartley, Dickie Carstens; 4A—Kathleen Hiekel, Jack Kidder; 5B—Leona Zemor, Jack Tabor; 5A—Mary Lober; 6B—James Hiney; 6A—Helen Wetherell, Clifford Collins; 6A—Betty Stark, Ralph Wood.

**Fullerton School**  
1A—Mary E. Kinnelutt, Frank Evans; 2A—Grace Colton, Buddy Wood; 3A—Doris Gorthy, Iolo

"Give Me a Lever Long Enough and a Prop Strong Enough  
and I Can Move the World!"



Stephens; 4A—Dallas Dean, Roland Pope; 5A—Leroy Peterson, Audrey Richards; 6A—Elaine Reese, Elmore Hill.

**Ross School**  
1A—Carolyn Allen, Herschel Byrd; 2B—Virginia Holman, Muri Westcott; 2A—Marian Paden, Earl Davis; 3B—Ruth Matthews, Carleton Wilder; 3A—Merle Williams, Vera Perry; 4B—Bobby Brown, Fanny Lee Wimberly; 4A—Billy Miller, Francelle Fream; 5B—Helen Stough, Melvin Plalsted; 5A—Charlotte Westcott, Lawrence Rand; 6B—Gertrude Dalrymple, Donald Coston; 6A—Mae Hutchings, Eugene Hiney.

**ILLINOIS WOULD  
ALLOW INTEREST  
RATE OVER 7 PCT.**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 29.—The legislature today passed the "call money bill" and sent it to the governor. The bill amends the usury act to allow interest in excess of seven per cent. It was introduced at the request of Chicago financiers who argued that "loose money" in Chicago was being sent to New York where it could command a higher rate of interest.

## U. S. ARMY OFFICER ORDERED TO TRIAL

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The war department has ordered a courtmartial to convene June 3 for Colonel Berkeley Enoch, former chief of staff of the second corps area, Governors Island, N. Y., on charges preferred by Major General Hanson R. Ely, commanding general of the area.

Officials of the war department refused to disclose the nature of the charges and said the court had been summoned by the department instead of by General Ely, since the latter was a party to the case.

**SLOWER SLOW MOVIES**

LONDON.—The roscopie, a machine invented here, will take slow motion pictures of objects revolving at a rate of 600 revolutions a second and slow them down to one revolution a minute. Test pictures taken by this means re-

veal that drops of water are spherical, lightning a single intense spot of light, and that the flame of an ordinary gas jet fluctuates considerably instead of remaining steady, as it appears.

## PHYSICIAN FACES SERIOUS CHARGE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

KANSAS CITY, May 29.—Dr. John P. Swensen today was charged with manslaughter in connection with an alleged illegal operation that resulted in the death of Hilda Schiemann, 23.

**TANK EXPOSITION FATAL**

SEATTLE, May 29.—Nels Christensen, 42, a shop foreman at the National Steel Construction company's plant was killed instantly here today when a compressed air tank which he was testing exploded. A. F. Gifford, mechanic, who was working with Christensen, was severely injured.

**BORN**

BRIDGES.—To Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bridges of Leona, May 23, 1929, a son, Bruce Owen.

## PIRATES DEFEAT CUBS AND CLIMB TO FIRST PLACE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

The Pirates yesterday assaulted the Chicago Cubs with everything in their repertoire and won by 7 to 2, thereby moving into the league lead by a margin of one game over their rivals.

The defeat shoved the Cubs back into a virtual tie with the Cardinals, who snatched two games from the Reds at St. Louis, 4 to 3 and 6 to 2.

Clise Dudley, sensational young candidate for a place beside Dazzy Vance, broke the winning streak of the Giants. Young Dudley did not entirely cut off the home run diet of the Giants, but he did call a halt after Freddy Lindstrom got one, and the Robins scored by 4 to 1.

The Phillies, incurably addicted to misreading the Braves, repeated yesterday by 12 to 2.

The best medicine for a Washington losing streak seems to be a game with the Yankees. Washington won by 8 to 3 yesterday.

The Athletics won their customary victory over the Red Sox, 7 to 1, behind George Earnshaw's smart pitching, and Connie Mack regained all the ground he had lost to Miller Huggins twenty four hours earlier.

The Tigers halted the Browns by 7 to 6. George Uhl seized this opportunity to hang up his ninth successive victory of the season.

The Indians ambushed the White Sox in Chicago, by 11 to 1 as Lew Fonseca hit two home runs and Little Rabbit Tavenor, the Detroit exile, picked up one.

## SAFETY LEADING AERIAL PROBLEM NOTED PILOT SAYS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

ST. LOUIS, May 29.—Personal safety in flight has become the principal problem in aviation, in the opinion of Lieut. James Doolittle, noted pilot with the Guggenheim foundation, New York City, which was given to the third national aeronautics meeting here today. He added "much has been done, but there remains much yet to be done."

More and better airports, airways studded with emergency landing fields, power plant reliability and low landing speeds were among the essentials listed by Doolittle for lessening personal peril. He would also have the manufacturer construct the craft so that it "crashed well."

Predicting that the present commercial trend of aeronautics for consolidations would even be accelerated in the future with manufacturing and operating companies growing fewer and stronger, William S. Robertson, of St. Louis, president of an airplane manufacturing plant, cited need for experimentation as one of the controlling factors. His paper dealt with the four phases of aviation—conception, exhibition, military and commercial—saying that only in very recent years has commercial production compared with military.

**J. D. O'BRIEN, BASEBALL  
NOTABLE, DROPS DEAD**

(Associated Press Leased Wire)  
NEW YORK, May 29.—Joseph D. O'Brien, former president of the American association and twice secretary of the New York Giants, dropped dead today in his apartment on West 157 street. He had seemed in the best of health and recently attended baseball games at the polo grounds.

Only recently he was prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for president of the International league.

**KINGLY ADVICE**

BANGKOK, Siam.—Boy Scouts of Siam recently received some valuable advice from the nation's king, who received much of his education from the west. "Do not gamble at all," he told them, "because gambling is the chief enemy which prevents men from becoming rich. Look at the hard working Chinese. Most of them arrive in Siam wearing shorthirts and in time succeed in becoming big merchants. It never pays to gamble."

**HOW THEY STAND  
IN PENNANT RACES**

Pacific Coast League.

|               | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---------------|----|----|------|
| Mission       | 42 | 18 | .700 |
| Los Angeles   | 36 | 28 | .563 |
| San Francisco | 35 | 29 | .547 |
| Oakland       | 31 | 31 | .510 |
| Hollywood     | 29 | 29 | .500 |
| Sacramento    | 27 | 28 | .415 |
| Portland      | 22 | 36 | .379 |
| Seattle       | 22 | 37 | .373 |

National League.

|              | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Pittsburgh   | 22 | 12 | .647 |
| Chicago      | 21 | 13 | .618 |
| St. Louis    | 23 | 15 | .605 |
| Philadelphia | 17 | 16 | .515 |
| New York     | 15 | 17 | .469 |
| Brooklyn     | 14 | 20 | .412 |
| Boston       | 14 | 22 | .389 |
| Cincinnati   | 12 | 23 | .343 |

American League.

|              | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Philadelphia | 26 | 9  | .743 |
| St. Louis    | 24 | 14 | .632 |
| New York     | 20 | 14 | .588 |
| Detroit      | 23 | 19 | .548 |
| Cleveland    | 18 | 19 | .486 |
| Chicago      | 15 | 25 | .375 |
| Washington   | 11 | 23 | .324 |
| Boston       | 11 | 25 | .306 |

## J.C. PENNEY CO.

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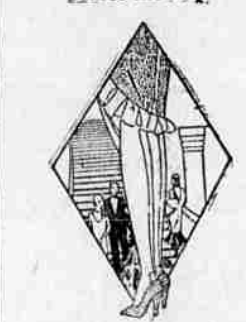
## New Frocks Offer Smartness at Thrift Prices!



New prints . . . delightful plain shades . . . styles to fit every summer need of stay-at-home or traveler. For women, misses, juniors . . . quite outstanding at our usual thrift prices—

9.90 and 14.75

## Sheer Hose Silk-to-the-Top



Subtle shades . . . a lovely, clear quality . . . silk to the top with picot edge. A hose for the particular and costing only, pair

\$1.49

## Fancy Shirts Of Broadcloth



New and distinctive patterns. Neckband collar attached styles. Fast color.

1.49

**METHODIST LEADER DIES**

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—Dr. Robert Hyer, 68, president emeritus of Southern Methodist university, died today. He was one of the foremost educators of the southwest.

**\$50.00 Reward**

For any Automobile that our Mechanic cannot make run good. All his work is guaranteed—

Electrical Work a Specialty. Contract prices on any job, or by the hour.

He can do it for less because he knows just what it requires to fix it right. Mechanical instructions personal or by correspondence. Also auto electrical courses. Join our instruction classes. All instructions given at night.

**BATTERIES CHARGED 50c**  
Monthly storage, oil, grease, tires, tubes, batteries, cars washed.

Let our mechanic look your car over and give it a factory inspection free.

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Black and colors—with a self border and novelty handles—as smart as they are practical and only

\$2.98

## Jaciel Compact

The smart way to carry your favorite powder.

Single, 49c

Double, 98c

**Ivory Sets**

A lovely gift for the girl graduates.

Colors: Rose, Green, Yellow.

\$6.90

**Purses**

All leather purses, amber trim. Plain and fancy styles.

98c to \$4.98

**Kid Gloves**

Extra fine quality Kid Gloves. All colors, with turn back cuff.

\$1.98

**Pen and Pencil**

Ladies' beautiful Pencil Sets. All colors trimmed in 14-k gold.

\$1.98 - \$2.98

**Djer Kiss Set**

Large size Powder, Perfume and Compact. An ideal gift for the miss.

\$2.49

**Rayon Underwear**

Men's Athletic Unions of silk and rayon long pin stripe in pink and yellow and blue.

\$1.49

**Bathing Suits**

Men's and Boys' all wool suits. One and two-piece suits.

\$2.98

**Golf Nickers**

Men's all-wool plus-4 nickers, fancy plaids and checks.

\$4.98

**Ties**

Men's new all silk four-hand ties in all the new summer shades.

79c and 98c

**"Good Will" Set**

Of Aywon

Shaving Cream and After Shaving Lotion—full size—

39c

**Fancy Hose**

For Men

Silk and rayon hose with plaided top, toe and heel. An excellent quality sock for immediate wear.

49c

**Oxford Bag**

Of Real Leather

Made of heavy black, long-grain cowhide, this Bag will give splendid service. Sewed on leather corners. Smart appearance.

\$4.98

**belts**

Full grain cowhide belts in plain and two-tone effects.

49c

**Roseburg Cabinet Shop**

540 Fowler St.

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**The Roseburg National Bank**

Roseburg, Ore.

# Perrin's CLEARANCE

## Shoe Sale Ends Saturday

Just two more days left for buyers to profit by these very low prices we have been quoting during this spring clearance sale, but we still have a good selection of seasonable footwear for your selection. Take advantage of this opportunity for getting your summer shoes at sale prices. Here are a few of the many low prices we offer on worth while shoes and hosiery:

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| Ladies Patent and Blonde Shoes, cut out, spiked heels, a regular seller at \$6.85; sale special price | \$3.98 | Ladies' Hose, excellent quality, all sizes and colors, and you will say it is priced right at | 69c |
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|---------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Ladies' Silk Hose, splendid value at special of \$1 and | \$1.75 | Men's Scotch Grain Oxfords, a real value at sale price | \$4.49 | Men's Work Shoes, will give long service, special | \$2.98 Up |
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|-----------------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------------|-----|
| Men's Tan Oxfords, all sizes, genuine bargain | \$2.98 | Men's Fancy Sox, 75c value, specially priced at | 39c | Men's Cotton Sox, 35c value, but priced at | 19c |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------------|-----|

# Perrin's Shoe Store

111 WEST CASS ST.

ROSEBURG