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The Weather

Highest temperature yesterday...62
Lowest temperature last night...52
Forecast for interior southwest Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Wednesday, with occasional showers; moderate temperature.

Editorials on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS.

IF you are good at guessing, try your hand at this: What is the present population of Oregon?

For your guidance, here is the guess of Professor F. L. Kent, of the U. S. bureau of agricultural economics, located at Portland: The population of Oregon on January 1, 1929, based upon the school census of October, 1928, and checked with other available data, was 1,079,490.

Have we passed the million mark? That question will be answered definitely early next year, when the results of the 1930 census will be announced.

IN 1927, according to Professor Kent, the total income of Oregon, from its various industries, was $653,589,160.

Lumber and wood products headed the list, with a total of $201,032,509. Agriculture was next with a total of $120,561,231. You will probably be surprised to learn that food products manufacturing was third in total income, $75,849,726.

ACCORDING to Professor Kent's figures, which have just been published by the extension service of Oregon State college, 321,711 persons are normally employed in industry and business in Oregon.

Of this total, 57,247 are employed in retail and wholesale business—that is, in the business of distributing what the others produce. In other words, assuming that these figures are correct, about one person in six in Oregon is engaged in distribution.

PUTTING it still another way, about one-sixth of our total energy is employed in distributing around among the various classes of the population the things that are produced by all of our workers.

That isn't so bad. Suppose you had to do all your distributing yourself. Could you do it in one-sixth of your time? Probably not.

LET us put it in a definite and concrete way. Suppose you were manufacturing wheelbarrows, or ax handles, or broom sticks—or any other product that you might imagine—and that there were no wholesale houses, no retail stores, no machinery whatever for getting your product into the hands of the final consumer, so that you had to do all of your distributing and selling yourself, on your own time.

Could you do all of it in one-sixth of your total working time—that is to say, in about one hour and 20 minutes out of each average working day? The chances are you couldn't.

MANY people tell us, in all seriousness, that those who are engaged in distribution are a burden on industry—that they are drones who must be supported by the workers.

Don't believe too readily what they say. Stop and think. Remember that your task isn't finished when you merely produce an article for sale. The task isn't finished until you have got that article into the hands of the final consumer and have received your money for it.

If you had to produce first whatever you gain your livelihood from and then peddle it around, in competition with everyone else who would be peddling his products under such a primitive condition, you would soon find that you were using up more than one-sixth of your working time in peddling.

OUR modern system of distribution is far from perfect. But neither is it the total loss that shallow thinkers would have us believe.

We aren't all through when we merely produce. We must sell what we ourselves have made. We must buy what the other fellow has made that we want. And we must get what we have to sell to the fellow who wants to buy.

The business of distribution does this for us. And it does it cheaper than we could do it for ourselves. Thus it earns what it gets.

GETTING back to more of Professor Kent's figures, the average annual value of Oregon's agricultural production in the five years from 1914 to 1918 was $173,500,000. The value in 1926, the last year of peak production at high prices, was $198,308,000.

The total value of Oregon's agricultural production in 1922, which was about the low point of the de-

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LODGE TAKES IN CLASS OF 34 NEW MEMBERS

Knights of Pythias From All Parts Southern Oregon Present at Fine Meeting.

Famous Rathbone Bible Is Used in Taking Pledge of the Many Candidates.

Practically all of Southern Oregon was represented last night at the Knights of Pythias class initiation held in this city. Lodge members from various sections began arriving early in the afternoon and by 8 o'clock there were more than 250 in attendance. The visitors were entertained at a banquet at 6:30 p. m., the group being divided into two parts, the meals being served at the Silvernook Grill and Palace of Sweets.

The lodge session started at 8 o'clock in the lodge hall. Leslie E. Crouch, supreme vice-chancellor; Harry M. Love, supreme keeper of records and seal; Fred Johnson, supreme representative; Darwin Yoran, supreme representative; and Stanton Rowell, grand chancellor, were among the national and state officers present for the ceremonial.

Delegations were in attendance from North Bend, Myrtle Point, Coquille, Bandon, Marshfield, Ashland, Medford, Grants Pass, Cottage Grove and Eugene.

The principal work was the initiation of a page class of 34 members. The neophytes were Oliver W. Gaylord, A. E. Dodson, Medford; T. C. Everendon, H. W. Everendon, Eugene E. Laird, R. G. Wells, Lyle E. Knight, Myrtle Point; Richard W. Engel, Ashland; Frank W. Collins, Cottage Grove; W. E. Cross, James G. Pinkston, Coquille; Calvin M. Yoran, Alex C. Shipe, Francis E. Taylor, Thomas O. Munroe, Raymond Blaine, Merle C. Lindley, Frank Rust, Eugene; L. M. Wyatt, Grants Pass; Edward M. Squire, H. W. Groves, H. D. McKay, W. J. Burke, K. D. Clark, Lynn V. Beckley, Louis S. Hammar, Edwin R. Walton, Maurice D. Matthews, R. L. Goff, James Miller, H. U. Cockran.

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TORNADOES LASH 2 STATES; 2 PERSONS DEAD, LOSS HEAVY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 11.—Tornadoes bounding around Minnesota and Wisconsin late yesterday killed two persons, injured nearly a score, and did property damage estimated at more than $150,000.

The heaviest loss was in central Minnesota where the only known deaths occurred. The storms also struck at Ladysmith and near Ashland, in northwestern Wisconsin, and at Minocqua, in north-central Wisconsin.

The dead were Henry Wournos, 55, Kingston farmer, and Mrs. Gustava Wantija, 80, who came from North Dakota, to visit her son two miles west of Kingston.

The tornado began near Kingston, near the farm of Magnus Johnson, former United States senator, and swept in a southeasterly direction to Dakota, where four persons were injured. Several persons were hurt near Kingston.

Reports that the twister struck at Brule, and Prentice, Wis., were also received, but interrupted communication made it difficult to determine the damage.

UNSEASONAL HEAVY ICE BLOCKS SHIPS OFF NEWFOUNDLAND

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

ST. JOHN, N. F., June 11.—The steamer Earl of Devon and several fishing schooners today were fast in a mass of heavy ice extending northward from Cape St. Johns on the northeast coast of Newfoundland.

The steamer Clyde reported that it had been forced to turn back at Tilt cove in Notre Dame bay a few miles south of the cape.

The schooner Lady Apersons has not been heard from with five men aboard since she landed four men at the fishing station on Belle Isle. Seven vessels which attempted the outside passage to Labrador were stuck in the ice within sight of shore.

Numerous icebergs of unusual size have been sighted. One near Cabot island was estimated to be two miles long. Another off Bona Vista on the Newfoundland coast was 40 feet high.

Ice conditions are almost unprecedented for this time of the year.

Wales Will Wed Second Cousin, British Rumor

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LONDON, June 11.—Belief is growing in some quarters here that an announcement of the engagement of the Prince of Wales to Princess Ingrid, daughter of the crown prince of Sweden, may be made within the next two weeks.

Two possible occasions are suggested, the prince's 35th birthday on June 23, and an elaborate ball which the Swedish embassy has arranged for the beautiful princess June 14.

It is not the first time that there have been rumors that the British heir would marry his 19-year-old second cousin from Viking land, but not before have there been the combination of circumstances and events giving background and lending weight to the reports.

When Princess Ingrid arrived in London May 15 for one of her numerous visits to her grandfather, the Duke of Connaught, uncle of King George, it was stated she would stay only a month. Her plans have been changed and it was understood today she would remain in England until the close of the London season, several weeks hence.

Since her arrival her father, Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf, Duke of Skane, and her stepmother, the former Princess Louse of Battenburg, have both joined her and are sharing in a round of social activity.

The Swedish embassy has issued invitations for a state ball for Princess Ingrid at the embassy June 14, which has been heralded as one of the most important events socially of the London season. The prince is to be a guest.

And last, friends recently recalled publicly the prince's statement to a friend that he would marry when he was 35 years old. He will be 35 years old June 23.

JOIN CLUB, THINK, YOUNGEST COLLEGE PREXY'S ADVICE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CHICAGO, June 11.—Dr. Robert M. Hutchins, dean of the law school of Yale university, who next September will become the youngest president of a large university in this country, outlined today his educational belief before this year's graduating class at the University of Chicago. Dr. Hutchins delivered the convocation address. He will become president of the university of the opening of the fall term.

After deploring the belief that youth's mind should be settled and hardened to staid ideas and prejudices, Dr. Hutchins said:

"My view of university training is to unsettle the minds of young men, to widen their horizons, to inflame their intellects. It is not a hardening, or settling process. Education is not to teach men facts, theories, or laws; it is not to reform them, or amuse them, or to make them expert technicians in any field; it is to teach them to think, to think straight if possible; but to think always for themselves."

Dr. Hutchins attacked parents who pamper their children, allowing them to go along without relying on themselves.

Dr. Hutchins advised young persons contemplating entering college "to know the fellows" and to get a diploma "because it is the open sesame into the company of persons who matter" to join their local country club or fraternal organization.

"These bodies have high ideals," he said. "They are organizations for mutual improvement. Their dues are lower than those of most colleges. You get to know the fellows in one. It would seem plausible to suppose that one can get from them most of the things one gets at the university, if one goes to the university because it is the thing to do."

PORTLANDER, IN INSANE FIT, KILLS MOTHER AND SELF

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11.—Willis Freer, 44, formerly an employe of the Pennsylvania railroad at Chicago, Ill., shot and killed his aged mother, Mrs. Addee Freer, some time between 9 o'clock Sunday night and Monday afternoon, and then ended his own life. The tragedy was discovered late yesterday when police officers, summoned to the Freer home by alarmed neighbors, broke into the home and found Mrs. Freer, fully clothed, on the bed in her room and the body of the son in an adjoining chamber. Both had been shot through the heart.

According to neighbors, worry over the condition of his mother, followed by a temporary fit of insanity prompted the deed. Mrs. Freer was 78 years old and recently suffered a nervous breakdown, neighbors said.

FARM BILL LOST IN U. S. SENATE BY CLOSE VOTE

Compromise Offered by the House to Meet Wishes of Hoover Rejected After Debate.

White House Appeals Fail to Win Needed Votes; Party Lash Draws Johnson's Ire.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The senate today rejected the compromise farm bill.

The outcome of farm legislation now is in doubt as a result. The house has flatly refused to take a vote on the debenture plan. The senate vote was a victory for those who contend the debenture plan should not be eliminated until the house expresses itself.

Some farm leaders have asserted that senate rejection of the conference bill would mean the end of farm legislation in the special sessions.

Others have been more sanguine, but all agree that enactment will now be considerably delayed.

The vote was 46 to 43.

Four Senators Switch.

Two democrats who had previously voted for the debenture today voted for the conference bill without the debenture—Fletcher and Trammell of Florida.

However, these votes were offset by the switch of Senator Couzens, republican, Michigan, who previously had voted against the debenture but who today voted also against the conference measure without that provision.

Senators King, Utah; Walsh, Massachusetts, democrats, who were paired against the debenture in the senate before, today voted against the bill.

Senators McNary and Steiwer of Oregon voted for the bill.

The decision brought to an end a controversy that has enveloped congress for weeks, and during which the senate and house have been in a deadlock over the form agricultural legislation should take.

President Hoover soon after the special session was begun sent word to Capitol hill that he was opposed to the export debenture plan, but the senate in passing the

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SENATORS ASSAIL HOOVER'S POLICY ON OIL PERMITS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Action of Mark L. Requa, chairman of the governors oil conference at Colorado Springs, in ruling out of order a resolution to favor rescinding of President Hoover's order barring prospecting on public lands was attacked in the senate today by Senators Cutting, republican, New Mexico, and King, democrat, Utah.

Cutting challenged the right of Requa to prevent discussion in the conference by the governors of any matter pertinent to the issues involved while King declared the president's order was "one of the most lawless acts ever committeed by any person."

"Speaking for New Mexico," Cutting said, "any policy of coercion at the conference will be bitterly repudiated."

The president, King asserted, is "seeking to nullify the leasing act of 1920 which was adopted as a definite policy by congress after years of study."

"But the president," he added, "in defiance of law, said it should be set aside."

22 EASTERN STAR CHAPTERS TO FORM NEW FRATERNITY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

ASBURY PARK, N. J., June 11.—E. M. Biron, patron of Grace Chapter 106, Order of Eastern Star, of Atlantic City, today announced that 22 chapters had resolved to withdraw from the organization and form a new order.

Biron said 200 officers, past and present, of the 22 chapters met here Sunday in secret session to organize the "all around social club" an order which, like the Eastern Star, would admit only close relatives of Master Masons.

The withdrawal, he said, was the result of the adoption three years ago of a ritual requirement which made the order of Eastern Star "strictly Christian instead of nonsectarian."

Ten thousand members in New Jersey who profess the Jewish and other faiths, he added, "can have no other alternative than to withdraw from the order."

Stenographer Wins National Beauty Award

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

GALVESTON, Tex., June 11.—Entered as Miss Greater New York and crowned Miss United States, Irene Ahlberg, 18-year-old New York stenographer, will compete tonight with ten foreign beauties for the title of Miss Universe at the fourth international Pageant of Pulchritude.

The blue-eyed girl with golden brown curls was selected last night from 34 American beauties to represent the United States in the contest to name the most beautiful girl in the world. Miss Universe will receive $2,000 of the $5,000 prize money. Eight other awards will be made.

Miss Ohio, Dorothy Jean Davis of Massillon, and Miss Massachusetts, Margie Barrett of Springfield, were the last two eliminated in last night's contest. After the girls had paraded in the evening the seven judges went back stage and started the process of elimination. The field was narrowed to three within twenty minutes but it was nearly an hour before Miss Ahlberg was given a 4 to 3 decision over Miss Ohio.

YOUTH FATALLY SHOT ALLEGEDLY BY DRY OFFICER

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

DETROIT, June 11.—Archibald Eugster, 21, was probably fatally wounded early today by a bullet said to have been fired by Jonah Cox, a customs border patrol inspector, who was guarding a rum runner's motorboat on the River Rouge.

According to two of the wounded youth's companions, Raymond Malicki, 21, and Joseph Lakatos, 20, they were on their way to fish in the Detroit river when they were attracted by shots. The youths left their motorboat and went to investigate. Malicki said he was walking behind Eugster when the youth was shot and saw a man wearing a customs officer's cap appear from behind a bush.

Patrolman Clayton Fleming, who questioned Cox, said the customs agent refused to admit he had shot Eugster but did not deny he had fired several shots in the air when he saw the youths pass in a motorboat.

Cox was guarding a motorboat and a quantity of liquor which had been abandoned by rum runners surprised by the officers.

Police are holding Eugster's two companions.

Lowman Orders Probe

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Assistant Secretary Lowman of the treasury announced today that he had ordered a thorough investigation into the shooting Saturday night of Henry Virkula by customs border patrolman E. J. King at International Falls, Minn.

A bill to authorize payment of $25,000 to the widow of Virkula was introduced today by Representative Schafer, republican, Wisconsin.

Runner Slain By Wife

RIVERSIDE, Cal., June 11.—James Mustol, 38, described as a wealthy liquor runner of Corona, by Riverside county authorities, shot to death in his home, was declared by investigating officials today to have been killed by his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Mustol, 33-year-old mother of three children, in a quarrel over Mustol's announced intention of joining narcotic smugglers operating between here and the Mexican border.

A story of her several years' fight to save her three small children from the demoralizing grip of liquor and narcotics traffic rings was told from her cell in jail here by Mrs. Mustol.

GOLF TOURNAMENT WITH EUGENE TO BE PLAYED SUNDAY

Members of the Roseburg Country club are showing a great deal of interest in the tournament to be held here Sunday. Reports have been received that the Eugene club will be represented by between fifty and sixty of its members, and it is the desire of the local club to have a large group of the Roseburg members on hand to meet the visitors.

The tournament will be started at 9 a. m. and will continue throughout the day with a picnic dinner at noon.

These inter-city tournaments have given a great deal of enjoyment to club members, and have been a great factor in enlarging acquaintanceship with residents of neighboring cities. The local club has been handicapped in play this year by bad weather, which has cut down the amount of practice, but regardless of that fact has been turning in good scores.

DEMOCRATS SEE RIFT CLOSED AT SHOUSE DINNER

Raskob Keeps Reins and 11 Out of 22 Senators From Southern States Are in Attendance.

New Party Guide Declares Permanent and Working Organization Has Been Created.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Democratic leaders were inclined to be pleased today over the outcome of last night's dinner to Jouett Shouse, chief of the new party headquarters in Washington.

Among the 300 party leaders who attended, including 11 of the south's 22 senators, many were ready to interpret the reception given the addresses of National Chairman John J. Raskob, Mr. Shouse and other speakers as a clear indication that the party would enter the 1930 congressional campaign with a more united front than it presented in the 1928 presidential contest.

They were firm in the opinion that, instead of widening the rift in democratic ranks which developed in the presidential campaign, as some had predicted it would, the dinner had served an opposite purpose. The party, they asserted, had been clearly assured, in the words of Mr. Shouse, of a "permanent, working, constructive organization" in the national headquarters which would not lend its influence "to the candidacy of any of the various men who may aspire to the next presidential nomination."

Raskob Outspoken.

The dinner, which was given by the Jefferson association of the District of Columbia, was made the occasion by Mr. Raskob to "set at rest all doubt about my continu-

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PARENTS AND TWO CHILDREN PERISH IN RIVER MISHAP

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

RANDOLPH, Vt., June 11.—A father and mother and two children lost their lives today in a vain attempt to save that of their son and brother, Harry Boardman, 15, who was seized with cramps while swimming in a branch of the White river in the rear of the Boardman home.

The dead are: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boardman, Harry, Ona, 14, and Beatrice, 16. The tragedy orphaned three other children, the oldest of whom is four years.

Harry was swimming with Randolph Bennet, a friend, when he was seized. At the boy's outcry, Mr. Boardman dashed from his home, followed by his wife and the two girls. All plunged into the swiftly moving stream, fully clothed. Bennet swam ashore and sought assistance.

There were no witnesses to the final struggle of the five. When Bennet returned to the river with aid the bodies were floating in midstream. They were promptly brought to the bank, where police and firemen worked over them an hour.

The Boardmans moved here recently and were not believed to have been familiar with the perilous current of the river. Neighbors plan to care for their remaining children until homes can be found for them.

SCIENTIST FALLS DOWN STAIRS AND BREAKS WRISTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Maine, June 11.—Dr. Maynard M. Metcalf, a research associate in Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore, today was reported in a "fairly good" condition after a fall down a flight of steps as he sought a Madame Helen for a massage treatment.

The 61-year-old scientist was found at 17 Myrtle street late last night, with both wrists broken and other injuries.

The masseuse lives at 11½ Myrtle street, and police said Dr. Metcalf apparently had mistaken the doorways and entering No. 17 had fallen down a short flight of steps just inside.

Dr. Metcalf's chauffeur said that his employer had been at his summer place at Harrington, Maine, and had stopped off here enroute to Boston to meet Mrs. Metcalf and a daughter.

Metcalf said he was formerly professor of history in the women's college, Baltimore, and at Oberlin college, Ohio, from which he received the A. B. degree in 1889.

TELLS BOURBON FEASTERS HIS PILOTING PLAN

That the democratic party is now assured of an effective working organization for the congressional campaign of 1930 is the declaration made by Jouett Shouse (above), the new party manager, who was the guest of honor at a feast in Washington, D. C., last night. Shouse added that the national headquarters of the party should not be expected at this time to give attention to the aspirations of any presidential candidate, actual or probable.

NINE OIL DERRICKS FIRE'S PREY; LOSS OVER ONE MILLION

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 11.—A fire which broke out yesterday at Santa Fe Springs field, 12 miles south of this city, and had destroyed nine derricks and more than 40,000 barrels of oil, was reported at 8 a. m. today by fire department officials to have been confined to two flowing wells. Damage has been placed at more than one million dollars.

Asbestos-clad firemen worked throughout the night, aided by hundreds of volunteer fire fighters, in an effort to bring the fire under control. The fire started in the Rhode-McAdams lots and was believed to have been caused by oil leaking from a storage tank to a boiler. In a short time the number 1 well became a flaming geyser with heavy gas discharges igniting and shooting hundreds of feet into the air. The fire soon leaped to another adjacent well known as the McCune. Both wells had been producing approximately 4500 barrels of oil daily. From the McCune well the flames spread to other derricks and by night... last night, the section resembled a seething furnace.

Capping Effort Fails

Unsuccessful efforts were made by the firemen to shut off the gas flow in the Rhode-McAdam No. 1 well. When firemen, with heavy columns of water being poured on them as they worked forward, finally reached the mouth of the casing and endeavored to close the valve, they found it had been melted by the intense heat. Capping was then resorted to but without success.

Firemen continued their fight early today clearing away the tangled mass of steel of which the derrick had consisted, and hopes were entertained that during daylight the work of capping the blazing well might be more successful. Failure, however, authorities said, will necessitate tunneling under the fire and smothering the blaze.

"SOURDOUGH JIM" GAY PASSES AWAY

James Franklin Gay, better known in Roseburg as "Sourdough Jim," one of Roseburg's well known residents, died at his home yesterday afternoon following a short illness with heart trouble. He was 63 years of age and was born near Eugene. He was a resident of Roseburg for the past seven years, and made a great many friends here. A great part of his life was spent in Alaska, where he engaged in prospecting and hunting.

He leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. George Ward, of Crawfordsville, Ore.; Mrs. Charles Sperling of Wilbur and Edward Gay of Long Beach, Cal.

Funeral services will be held at the Roseburg Undertaking company chapel this afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. C. A. Edwards, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Interment will be at the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of the Hotel Rose are expected to return to this city Sunday after attending the Shrine convention in Los Angeles.

PLAN FOR CITY IMPROVEMENT IS LAUNCHED

Kiwanis Club Hears New Civic Project.

Co-operation Urged in Making Roseburg More Beautiful Attraction.

SPEAKERS TELL PLAN

Town Will Be Divided Into Districts and Program of Beautification Carried Out.

"Clean up day is past—paint up day is here. Now is the best time to start on the second lap of the clean up and paint up campaign and spread it throughout the county. Start now and things will be ready for next year." This was the gist of the Kiwanis program today starting the second step of the "city beautiful" campaign. This campaign was started once several years ago, and it has been thought advisable to renew it.

As there was no regular chamber of commerce meeting this month the program was started at the Kiwanis meeting. A. C. Marsters, president of the chamber of commerce, Napoleon Rice, real estate dealer, and Maurice Newland, automobile dealer, were speakers.

Receive Tourists Well

Tourists will rush through here this summer, and every tourist is estimated to be $7 a day for every day he stays in the county. The problem is to get Mr. Tourist to stay as long as possible. Others will come to look for a place to make their home, because the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce has a branch office in Los Angeles to encourage tourists to visit Oregon.

When these tourists come are they going to see a clean, freshly painted city or just one of the ordinary run? The "see Oregon" literature is going out all the time, but is Douglas county ready for visitors? Is it prepared to take full advantage of the visits paid by tourists? The tourist knows only what he can see, and he talks about it for months afterward wherever he goes.

"If Roseburg is the outstanding clean city on the tourist's drive he is going to remember it, and if the surrounding territory looks prosperous he is going to think well of the whole country," said A. C. Marsters. "But, if the city looks neglected and the country

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ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MONDAY

The annual school election for the purpose of selecting directors will be held next Monday afternoon at the Junior high school. Three directors are to be chosen as Jack Wharton, who is filling out an unexpired term, will be a candidate for a two-year period. G. C. Finlay and H. R. Shoemaker, whose terms of office expire, will be candidates for three-year terms. The election will be held at the directors' room in the Junior high building, starting at o'clock. So far there have been no nominations made in opposition to the three directors.

RUTH ELDER LANDS IN ROSEBURG ON PRACTICE FLIGHT

Ruth Elder, noted aviatrix, accompanied by E. E. Granger, landed her plane, "The Swallow," at the south field here yesterday afternoon and stopped in Roseburg for a short time. Miss Elder is entering the woman's air derby, which is to be held next fall and is becoming acquainted with the course. She stopped at Medford and then came on to Roseburg, and after leaving here went on to Eugene and Portland, where she expected to spend the night before going on to Seattle. The flight is in the nature of a test and practice trip in preparation for the derby. In landing at the south field she set her plane down in a rough portion of the field and one of the wheels struck a rock, knocking the landing gear partly out of alignment. The accident, however, did not prevent her from continuing her trip, and she went on to Eugene after spending about half an hour in this city.