

## Assembly, tally committees chosen to arrange programs, count votes

Assembly and tally committee members have been chosen to assist in planning assemblies and counting ballots respectively.

In addition to Rick Dinihanian, student body president, and Jacque Hodges, student body vice-president, new assembly committee members are seniors Diane Coddington, Casey Coughlin, Chris Cole, Susan McGill, Mary Martin, Mary Parker and

Linda Schnitzer.

Juniors include Mary Birke-land and Dan Aiken. Sophomore Claudia Swan completes the list of students. Ten teachers are also members.

"It shall be their duty to plan and arrange all assemblies," states the Grant constitution.

The committee holds regular meetings under the direction of Advisor George Galati to perform this function.

The purpose of the tally committee, as outlined by the constitution, is to tally ballots for student body elections and other elections as needed. The tally committee is headed by Connie Ackerman, student body secretary.

Other members are seniors Barb Fraser, Donna Bruner, Marsha Koratin, Marcy Gant and Patty Stanich. Juniors serving this year are Dub Taylor and Judy Bates.

Teri Jones, Sue McKichan and Jill Bergman, an alternate, are sophomores. Freshman Susan Crookman completes the list.

## Formica cabinets spark band room

Shiny new drum cabinets made of brightly colored formica have been constructed and installed in the band room by James R. Bailey, father of sophomore Alice Bailey.

Snare drums, bass drums, cymbals, bells and triangles are only a few of the percussion instruments stored in the cabinets that took all summer to build.

"Both band and orchestra members are grateful for Mr. Bailey's contribution," commented Eugene Kaza, music instructor.

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## 'Tradition' impresses new teachers

"Tired but impressed," "great student body," and "you have good school spirit" have been some of the reactions to Grant given by the new teachers. There are 23 new teachers this year, and they all agree that this is a good school.

Miss Star Van Valkenburgh is an intern from Reed college. She started teaching this summer at Lincoln high school and is now teaching junior English classes in the morning, returning to Reed for classes in the afternoon.

Her favorite pastime is flying. She is a licensed pilot and owns parts (through flying clubs) of glider and power planes.

Julian Amaya graduated from Pacific university and taught in Evergreen and Fort Vancouver, Washington. He teaches business education and Spanish, which he speaks fluently. In his spare time he enjoys playing tennis.

Mrs. Marjorie Blizzard, French and math instructor, is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley. She taught in California and then moved to Lake Oswego.

She was temporarily retired for 10 years and then started substituting and finally came to Grant for full time teaching. She enjoys many sports, including swimming, horseback riding, speed boats, sewing and club work.

Lee Ryker, biology teacher, received his bachelor's and master's degrees at Franklin, Indiana and University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, respectively. He

## Field service picks selection committee

The screening program committee to choose two candidates for the American Field Service has been named.

Committee members include Mrs. Melva Anderson, vice-principal of girls; Miss Catherine Calouri and Mr. Vernon Lowery, junior counselors; Miss Mildred Eikeland and Mr. Julian Amaya, AFS coordinators; and Mrs. George Lage, president of the Grant chapter of the AFS.

Miss Eikeland informed the group of the requirements and purpose of the AFS program.

The second AFS elimination will be held October 12.



New teachers seated left to right are: Mrs. Marjorie Blizzard, Mrs. Gayle Nelson, Miss Star Van Valkenburgh. Standing are Lee Ryker and Julian Amaya.

then taught biology, general science and nature study classes last summer. In his spare time he likes mountain climbing, archery and insect study. About Grant, he says, "I like the idea of tradition. It's great. All students should be prouder of this."

Ronald Baderman is a graduate of Oregon. He started teaching at Lincoln high school and then came to Grant. He is teaching sophomore English. Bowling, golfing and reading are his fa-

vorite pastimes. "The spirit at Grant is only overshadowed by the quality of the students." This is how Grant has impressed him.

Montana State college is Mrs. Gayle Nelson's alma mater. She is teaching sophomore English and home economics. Her spare time is used for sewing and refinishing furniture. As for Grant, "I like it very, very much. The students are well behaved and very interesting."

## Bruce Luzader STUDIO

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Walt is on the varsity football team. He is also a letterman, a member of the National Honor Society and vice-president of Royal G.

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