

NEWS NOTES FROM THE ONTARIO SCHOOLS

General Information Concerning the Activities of the Faculty and Students in the High School and Grades

The following notes are taken from the superintendents report for the month of March and are compared with the March report of last year:

	1920 1921
Number of pupils enrolled in Ontario Public Schools on Apr. 1	615 637
Number of pupils who have attended school at some time during the school year	713 732
Number dropped (moved away etc.)	98 95
Total tardies for the month	165 154
Number pupils neither absent nor late	301 307
Total number days attended during month	11,523, 12,339
Per cent of attendance	94.2 95.6
Total Number visits by parents	18 17
Number pupils enrolled in the high school department	181 197

By comparing the two reports it will be seen that the increase in attendance this year over last year is 22. The high school is 16 larger than last year.

The enrollment in the various grades from first to twelfth is shown in the two reported as follows:

	1920 1921
First Grade	117 106
Second Grade	59 61
Third Grade	61 70
Fourth Grade	81 61
Fifth Grade	54 74
Sixth Grade	61 56
Seventh Grade	50 63
Eighth Grade	49 44
Ninth Grade	72 64
Tenth Grade	45 49
Eleventh Grade	32 44

Twelfth Grade 30 38
Unclassified 2 2

The members of Mr. McDonald's Training Class are teaching a special list of spelling words to the grade school children during the next two weeks. The regular spellers are not being used, but instead a list of 100 words known as the "one hundred demons". These are the words most commonly misspelled by the grade school children all over the United States. An effort will be made to teach every child in our grade schools how to spell every one of them correctly before finishing the special study.

The following words are the 100 demons. It would be a splendid idea for our readers to see how well they can spell by giving themselves this test. Get someone to pronounce them for you and if you can score 100 on this test you have not forgotten all you learned when you used to go to school.

which, their, there, separate, don't, meant, business, many, friend, some, been, since, used, always, where, women, done, hear, write, writing, heard, does, once, would, here, can't, sure, loose, lose, Wednesday, country, February, know, could, seems, Tuesday, wear, answer, two, too, ready, forty, hour, trouble, among, busy, built color, making, dear, guess, says, having, just, doctor, whether, believe, knew, laid, tear, choose, tired, grammar, minute, any, much, beginning, blue, though, coming, early, instead, easy, through every, they, half, break, buy, again, very, none, week, often, whole, won't, cough, piece, raise, ache, read, said, hoarse, shoes, tonight, wrote, enough, truly, sugar, straight.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Bishop Paddock of the Episcopal Church will hold services Sunday afternoon, April 9, at 3:30 at Masonic Hall.

"Read 'Em and Weep" the song hit of that "Colored" play by white folks, "Come Seven". For a funny record get Brunswick record 2065 at Ontario Furniture Co. Adv. 18

Eat at Fifers. All white help. Adv.

Eat at Fifer's where we employ AMERICANS. Adv. 18

ADRIAN NEWS

John Holly motored to Vale Sunday, returning Monday, bringing Mrs. Holly home from the Vale sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Inos motored to New Plymouth, Saturday, visiting friends and relatives there.

Mrs. Maxwell and daughter Corinne motored to Parma and Nyssa one day last week.

Mr. McCloud and family moved into McCreary's vacant house Friday. The two little girls, Susie and Hazel, will attend school in Kingman Kolony. Mr. McCloud will work for Mr. McCreary this summer.

Many of Adrian's young people attended the show in Parma Saturday evening.

Mr. Turman's father, who has been visiting Mr. Turman, has gone to Burnt river to visit his daughter. Mr. Gill has been busy moving his household goods and machinery to Big Bend this week.

Miss Martha Marshall was a dinner guest at the Nelson home Sunday.

Misses Ella and Bernice Turman were visiting in Adrian Saturday.

P. J. Connolly was an Adrian visitor this week.

Ray Elliott and Al Schafer were Big Bend visitors Sunday.

Ed Tenhave was shopping in Adrian Friday.

Mr. Mendeolia motored to Parma Saturday.

A first class barber shop has been installed in Mr. Ashcraft's garage by his son, Dale.

R. McCreary made a business trip to Caldwell and Wilder Tuesday.

Mrs. Pomeroy was visiting at the Cooley home this week. Mr. and Mrs. Cooley returning home with Mrs. Pomeroy, Saturday.

Mr. Cone and Mr. Flatwood started by buggy to Burnt river this week.

Mr. Nelson's father has gone to Boise to stay with a brother who is to undergo an operation.

Mr. Brumback, Frank Miller and Mr. Felling made a business trip to Vale Monday.

Work has been completed on the drain ditch, the crew moving to Boise where they will continue work.

A car load of hogs and one of cattle were shipped from Adrian Friday by Frank Miller and Mr. Millieap.

The bridge crew who have been stationed on the Adrian siding have moved to Naptin that they may be nearer their work.

Clarence Elliott has again resumed his job as clerk in Holly Bros. Walter Nicklos was shopping in Adrian Monday.

Much grain has been shipped by numerous farmers this week.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE CERTAIN LOTS, BLOCKS AND PARCELS OF GROUND IN THE CITY OF ONTARIO MALHEUR COUNTY, OREGON

Notice is hereby given that at the regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Ontario, Oregon, held in the City Hall, on the 4th day of April A. D. 1921, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., the following resolution was adopted:-

"RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon, That it is expedient and necessary and for the best interests of the citizens of Ontario, and the owners of the following described property, that a system of irrigation be installed by the said City Council for the purpose of supplying an adequate amount of water for the irrigation of gardens, lawns, trees and shrubberies, thereupon and adjacent to all of the Lots and Blocks hereinafter described, and be it further resolved, that whereas, at the present time, there is no adequate or sufficient system of plan for irrigating and improving any of the following described property:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED, that all of the following described Lots and Blocks, in the said City of Ontario, be improved in the following manners, to-wit:

1. By the construction of an adequate pumping plant at, or near, the banks of Snake River, at a point to be selected and designated by the City Engineer.
 2. By the construction of a pipe line leading from said Snake River to a point at the North end of that certain alley which bisects Lots 3 and 5 in Riverside Addition to Ontario, and continuing southward on said alley between Virtue and Richardson Streets to the intersection of said alley with a ditch on the southern edge of Block 131 in said City.
 3. By the construction of such stand pipes or pressure tanks as may be necessary.
 4. By the construction of such valves, gates, waste ways, ditches and laterals as may be necessary.
 5. By the construction of such siphons, street crossings, water boxes and other measuring devices as may be necessary.
 6. By the purchase, lease or other means of acquisition of the necessary pumps, motors and other equipment which may be necessary.
- That said improvements shall be made in accordance with the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon, and the plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer, which are filed in the office of the City Recorder, and which plans specifications and estimates are hereby approved and adopted.
- That cost of said improvements shall be assessed upon the property especially benefited by said improvements, as provided by the Section of the Charter of said City.
- The estimate of the City Engineer of the probable detailed cost of said improvement is the sum of \$15,000.00.
- That the property which shall be benefited by said improvement and which shall be assessed for the cost and maintenance thereof is as follows:-

All of Blocks 1, 2, 10, 11, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 146, 147, 148, 149, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 341, 342, and 345, of the original town of Ontario, and Blocks 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 of Riverside Addition to the city of Ontario.

That each and every Lot contained in the Blocks above set out shall be assessed for the improvement herein described.

That the City Council shall hereafter cause to be made a proposed assessment for the improvement of the above described property, which assessment shall be filed for examination and objections thereto.

And be it further RESOLVED, that the City Recorder, for the city of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon, be and hereby is directed to give notice of said proposed improvement as provided by the Charter of said city."

Now, THEREFORE, remonstrances against said proposed improvement may be filed in writing with the undersigned, within 10 days from the posting of this notice, which is the 6th day of April, 1921, which remonstrances will be heard by the Common Council at a special meeting thereof to be held at the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, 1921, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. of said date.

By order of the City Council,
CLAY M. STEARNS,
City Recorder

(SEAL)
BULLY CREEK NEWS

On Easter Sunday, the Bully Creek School enjoyed its annual picnic, climbing the hills to a group of boulders known as Cow Rock. Besides the members of the school the party was enlarged by Nola, Faye and Wallace Le Moine and Max Johnson, of Vale, and by Clarence Struthers.

Those pupils who were neither absent nor tardy during the past month, are: Elmo Mervin, Byron and Anita Dickerson, Ralph and Walter Struthers.

George Dickerson is hobbling about with a sore foot which was caused by the penetration of a barrow tooth.



This week a special showing of **DRESSES, COATS, CAPES, WRAPPY COATS AND JERSEYS** In the Ready-to-wear Department Let us show them to you. New, stylish and very moderately priced **BOYER BROS.**

TREAT FOR ARBUCKLE FANS

The public will enjoy a rare treat when George Melford's production of "The Round Up" starring Roscoe Arbuckle is presented at the Majestic Theatre Sunday and Monday, April 17 and 18. Theatregoers will remember the great success achieved by Edmund Day's notable play a few years ago. Maelyn Arbuckle played the role of "Slim Hoover," the fat and jolly sheriff.

Another Arbuckle will be seen in the screen version. The fat hero of the new Paramount picture, Roscoe Arbuckle, who by virtue of his famous Paramount-Arbusckle comedies has done his share to keep the world bubbling over with joy.

This is the famous comedian's first appearance in a legitimate role, but he is said to have shown remarkable ability in his new work. The cast is virtually all-star, and the excellent photography is the work of Paul Perry.

Ontario Theatres

MAJESTIC Friday and Saturday LOUISE GLAUM in "THE LONE WOLF'S DAUGHTER"	DREAMLAND Friday "RED BLOOD & YELLOW"
MAJESTIC Sunday and Monday "HELIOTROPE" Comedy—Topics	DREAMLAND Saturday "SINS OF ROSANNE"
MAJESTIC Tuesday and Wednesday EARLE WILLIAMS in "THE WOLF"	DREAMLAND Sunday and Monday "LOVE, HONOR AND ?"
MAJESTIC Thursday—Only "OFFICER 660"	DREAMLAND Tuesday and Wednesday "OUT OF THE NIGHT"
MAJESTIC COMING COMEDY "Bringing up Father"	DREAMLAND Thursday "THE PINCH HITTER"

MAJESTIC

ROSCOE (FATTY) ARBUCKLE

in **"THE ROUND UP"**
A Paramount Picture

Sunday & Monday
April 17-18

MAJESTIC

SOMETHING DOING HERE



There isn't a STORE in this town that is built merely to CATCH TRADE!
Every store in OUR TOWN is built and conducted to DESERVE trade.

There isn't a BUSINESS man here who doesn't DEPEND upon the people in this town and surrounding territory for all—or most—of his INCOME.

And it is the AIM and STEADFAST PURPOSE of these men to SERVE you faithfully and thereby strengthen the commercial and moral position of OUR TOWN.

This town of ours is a NATURAL shopping and business center for all this prosperous region.

The selections possible in all kinds of MERCHANDISE and all kinds of TRADING SERVICE are as great here as any place in the land—and the PRICES more often are LOWER—because they have never been INFLATED.

This TOWN and its MERCHANTS wish to know all of you BETTER. You ought to know THEM better.

This is possible when WE all do ALL of our TRADING AT HOME. Come & see our SERVICE.