

SCHOOL FIRE DRILL COMPETITION CLOSE

Irvington, Holladay and Ladd Pupils Are Leading in Contest for Cup.

CRIPPLE GIRL CARRIED OUT

Woodlawn Monitor Gets Child to Place of Safety in Minute, 15 Seconds—Poor Showings Made in Two Buildings.

Irvington, Holladay and Ladd grammar schools are close competitors for the cup that is being awarded by the Public Safety Commission to the institution that conducts a fire drill most creditably.

At Irvington School yesterday 623 pupils marched in the 50 seconds main training period order. At Holladay it took three seconds longer for 556 children to leave, but here also there was excellent order and the commission was particularly pleased with the way the tots in the primary grades made their exit.

At Woodlawn School a cripple girl was found in one of the classrooms. She was carried out by a monitor in one minute 15 seconds from the time the alarm was sounded.

Second Cup Is Donated.

Although the commission in starting the contest put the high schools and grammar schools on a common basis, it was decided yesterday that this was unfair to the younger students.

The performance of the schools visited yesterday averaged high. In nearly all instances the pupils showed careful training and marched out with little unnecessary delay.

At several schools where conditions were found that were unsatisfactory. This was particularly true at Kerns School where only 2 minutes 2 seconds for 474 pupils to walk out. Several available exits were not used at all.

Fernwood Drill Not Good.

At Fernwood, too, the drill was not carried out as smoothly as at many other schools.

Besides Mr. Alderman additional members to the party which began the inspection Tuesday were Mayor Albee, A. H. Averill and Fire Marshal Boardman.

HOME-FINDING IS SUCCESS

Juvenile Court Worker Reports on Placing Children.

Reporting the results of 20 visits to homes where Juvenile Court children have been placed since the inauguration of the home-placing department by Judge Cleaton four months ago, Miss Mae A. Norton, of the Juvenile Court, finds the plan of finding parents for children "an unqualified success."

PAVING PROTEST EXPECTED

Asphalt Instead of Bitulithic Desired for Washington Street.

Although the remonstrance period has expired on proceedings for the resurfacing of Upper Washington street, it is said some of the property owners will appear before the board this morning and demand that the proceedings be discontinued and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for asphalt instead of the lowest bidder for bitulithic.

CITY JOB BUREAU TO MOVE

Lease on Building at Second and Salmon Expires October 1.

Portland's municipal job employment bureau will not occupy the building at Second and Salmon streets after October 1, announced Commissioner East yesterday.

JULY JURORS ARE EXCUSED

New Panel Is Drawn to Begin Service October 4.

Judge Bean in Federal Court Wednesday excused remaining jurors drawn for the July term and a new panel was drawn, with instructions to report for service October 4 at 2 P. M.

Hilly C. Baker, glazier, Portland; W. A. Bard, farmer, Estacada; Joseph Baumgartner, merchant, Salem; R. H. C. Bennett, bookkeeper, Newberg; Gilbert Brown, retired, Albany; F. O. Byerley, farmer, Astoria; Fred A. Chamberlain, merchant, Portland; J. N. Cianabau, farmer, Gresham; S. B. Cobb, lumberman, Portland; Mark B. Coby, engineer, Portland; W. W. Conder, farmer, Tillamook; C. L. Copple, farmer, Philomath; Lewis L. Crawford, farmer, Manning; John E. Cronan, loans, Portland; J. D. Dammann, carman, Portland; John Davenport, clerk, Portland; J. P. Denn, farmer, James Valley; H. H. Eastman, farmer, Oregon City; John Elder, merchant, Portland; N. Edwards, farmer, Gresham; City; Albert Engle, farmer, Molalla; George E. Fish, sales manager, Portland; Charles Gay, farmer, Portland; Hiram Gilber, retired, Portland; E. A. Griffin, farmer, The Dalles; Eugene N. Hardison, farmer, Blodgett; John B. Hibbard, merchant, Portland; Peter Jones, Lodi; J. J. Jones, Portland; H. H. Kemp, Hood River;

SYRIAN PRINCESS WILL ENTERTAIN AT WHITE TEMPLE TUESDAY.



Princess Rahme Halder, the Syrian who recently arrived in Portland, will give one of her instructive and unique entertainments, entitled "The Syrian Stars," at the White Temple Tuesday, September 28. She will be assisted by a quartet, clad in the costumes of the people of Palestine, who will render Oriental music and songs in Arabic.

REST YOUR NERVES, PLEASE

PROFESSOR FLYNN TONIGHT TO SHOW HOW TO KEEP WELL.

"If You Want Your Nervous System to Grow Strong, Let Him Eat Raisins 305 Days a Year," He Says.

FLYNNISM GLEANED FROM HEALTH LECTURE.

A smel of some of those old-fashioned remedies is enough to cure some diseases.

Every time you get ill you have broken some law.

There's nothing ever the matter with your religion; it's your body.

The first 30 years man seeks wealth, and the other 30 years he seeks health with his wealth.

Hang onto your appendix, but be sure it's on the right side.

Professor Flynn gave one of his best lectures last night at the Eleventh-street Theater on "Nerves in Order and Nerves Out of Order." The house was crowded.

Flynn said along this line: "If you do not come home quite brisk and not able to feel frisky after a little rest and changing your line of thought a little while, your nerves are out of order. If this change doesn't rest your nerves, a long period of rest from your business, a complete change. If you have an auto, take some trips in the country; if you haven't anything to get away from your business."

Flynn says a man whose conscious mind is diseased is called insane, but one whose unconscious mind is diseased is not regarded as insane but as hysterical.

"If you want to see that nervous child of yours improve and commence to pick up and grow strong, take the raisins off of the top shelf, where you have kept them for a long time, and put them on the table, where the child can get at them, and in a short time he won't want any candy, then watch those nerves improve," said Professor Flynn. "Remember, a child can eat raisins 365 days in a year with lots of good results and no bad."

Tonight at 8 o'clock Mr. Flynn, assisted by Mrs. Flynn, will give all the demonstrations on the latest scientific exercises.

37,448 IN SCHOOLS

Mr. Armstrong Finds 33,222 in Public Institutions.

50,055 WITHIN AGE LIMIT

Superintendent's Report Announces \$1,509,130 Paid Teachers and Buildings Worth \$5,576,030.

More Boys in Upper Grades.

There are 50,055 children of school age in Multnomah County, of whom 25,104 are boys and 24,951 are girls, according to the annual report of County Superintendent Armstrong, which has just been completed and transmitted to the State Board of Education.

The total public school attendance is 33,222, of whom 16,456 are boys and 16,766 girls. Private schools in the county show an attendance of 4226, or about one-fifth of the attendance in the public schools. Public schools have 1181 teachers and private schools 289. This gives a teacher to each 28 pupils in the public schools and one to each 21 pupils in the private schools.

The average salary for men teachers is \$191.20, and for women \$65.74.

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Of the 33,222 pupils attending, 89 boys and 89 girls were between the ages of 4 and 6 years; 5048 boys and 5135 girls were between the ages of 6 and 9 years; 4226 boys and 4226 girls were between the ages of 9 and 12 years; 2026 boys and 2073 girls were between the ages of 12 and 14 years; 4173 girls and 5184 boys were between 14 and 18 years; 20 years; 175 boys and 173 girls were over 20 years of age.

There were 2255 boys, and 2475 girls in grades above the eighth. The total attendance was the enormous number of 61,220,206 days. The total absence was 4,745,601 days. The number of pupils belonging in the schools, according to plans of registration, was 30,557. The number actually in attendance was 23,490.

\$1,509,130 Paid Teachers.

The total receipts last year, including a balance of \$95,659.75, carried over from 1914, was \$3,099,693.27. Total payments were \$2,264,990.51, leaving a balance of \$744,092.76, now in the hands of school clerks. Of the total paid out, teachers received \$1,509,130.00. Repairs, improvements in grounds, and janitor work cost \$194,815.67.

Buildings Worth \$5,576,030.

There was a total of \$118,471.12 paid "for all other purposes." Bonds outstanding represent a total of \$891,656, for the city and county and unpaid school warrants, total \$293,346. Other miscellaneous indebtedness amounts to \$28,132.73.

School property in the city and county is worth something, judging from the report. The total value of schoolhouses and grounds is given at \$5,576,030. Furniture and equipment is listed at \$236,623. Insurance on the property of the city and county is carried to the amount of \$508,800, which costs \$15,000.00 in premiums.

STATIONERS ARE COMING

DELEGATES EN ROUTE TO FAIR TO STOP HERE SATURDAY.

Members of Big Firms Will Be Entertained in Portland—Local Men Join Party Here.

The heads of firms who "have made writing a pleasure" will be in Portland Saturday morning on a special train, carrying from 100 to 125 stationers, delegates to the annual convention of the National Association of Stationers and Printers, which opens at San Francisco on Monday.

The special will arrive at 6 o'clock from Seattle, and the party will leave Saturday afternoon at 3:50 for San Francisco. While in Portland they will be guests of the Portland Stationers, and a committee composed of H. D. Kilham, G. B. Buck and others will meet the train. The visitors will be assembled at the Portland Hotel and at 8:30 will start on an auto tour of the city and surrounding country, returning to the hotel for luncheon at 12 o'clock.

The visiting party is in charge of Charles A. Lent, president, and Mortimer W. Evers, secretary of the National Association, and includes men who are at the heads of stationery firms which have become widely known. Following is a partial list of the delegates:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lent, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bormann, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer W. Evers, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rogers, Master Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Meloy, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tomms, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stastler, E. W. Williams, Theodore L. C. Gerry, Miss Marie Gerry, Frank W. Bailey, Nathaniel A. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Ballman, Mr. and Mrs. Stoll, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schermerhorn, F. E. Wilcox, Mr. Wulph, Ralph Jones, H. L. Mumford, Mr. Edgcomb, R. D. Patterson, Mr. Twardell, W. H. Stewart, Robert Ansley, L. E. Williamson, Robert Whitely, Roland Walter, G. E. Miller, W. J. Orrel, H. E. von Wedel-Staud.

When the party leaves Portland at least three Portland delegates will go with them. They will be J. S. Ball, of the Kilham Company; A. W. Montgomery, of J. K. Gill & Co., and L. D. Hunter, of the Pacific Stationery & Printing Company.

TRAIN SCHEDULES CHANGE

North Bank Road Makes Several Slight Alterations.

Slight changes in the timetable, effective next Sunday, were announced Wednesday by the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway. On that date train No. 4, known as the North Bank Limited, will leave Portland at 7:10 P. M. instead of 7:25, as at present, arriving at Spokane at 6:50 A. M. instead of 7:20. The corresponding night train to Portland, No. 5, will leave Spokane daily at 3:10 P. M. instead of 3:20, and will arrive in Portland at 8 A. M. 10 minutes earlier than at present.

Train No. 6, on the other hand, will leave Portland at 7:40 A. M. instead of 7:50, as at present, and will arrive at 7:50 to connect with the Goldendale branch at 10:35 A. M. Train No. 7, leaving Goldendale at 11:15 P. M., the branch train will reach Lyle at 4:40 P. M., making connections for Portland, Train No. 4, the North Bank Limited,

will continue to make connections for Central Oregon at Fallbridge, the change in time making no difference in this regard. The sleeping car for Bend and other interior Oregon points will continue to be attached to train No. 8, which leaves Portland at 6 P. M. daily.

LAD OF 4 IS RUN DOWN

Boy Falls From Wagon, Frightening Team Into Mad Dash.

Trying to climb to the seat of a Crystal Laundry wagon while the driver was delivering a bundle, shortly before noon yesterday, Dick Dunn, aged 4, son of Mrs. E. M. Dunn, 751 Oregon street, fell at the horses' feet, starting them into bolting, the wheels of the wagon passing over the youngster. He received internal injuries which may prove serious and several cuts on the back of the head.

The accident happened on East Ninth street, near Belmont, and the horses continued their mad run south for Ninth

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Men's \$5.00 Shoes \$3.85

Shoe Department, First Floor—Women's fashionable new Fall and Winter Footwear at a substantial saving. In this assortment we show a great variety of styles in the famous "Kelley" make. Patent and gummetal leathers in button or lace styles, with round or pointed toes and turned or welt soles. All-style heels, including Cuban, Louis Cuban and Spool. Some have mat kid toppings; others of cloth, in black and colors. We also include in this wonderful showing many models of high-grade Russian calf in button effects, with full toes, especially adapted for walking. Complete range of all sizes. \$5.00 Complete range of all sizes. \$5.00 and \$6 Shoes special, pair \$3.85

Shoe Department, Main Floor—Hundreds of men will welcome this opportunity to buy high-grade shoes at a genuine saving. Dull calf leathers in a number of stylish, new lasts, including "Anglais," a new, medium-pointed toe style with flat heel; "Ace Hi," a raised-toe and short-vamp model built for comfort; and many other models for all occasions. A complete showing of all the wanted sizes. \$3.85 Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 Footwear. Special, the pair \$3.85

"OWK SPECIAL" Custom-Made Corsets. Have You Seen the Beautiful New Fall Models Now on Display in the Corset Salons on the Second Floor? A Style to Suit Every Figure at About Half the Price Asked for Widely Advertised Makes.

Colonial Hams 17 1/2c lb Grocery Dept. 4th Floor

Genuine Eastern Sugar-Cured Hams, put up by Armour & Co. expressly for this store. Medium sizes, weighing from 10 to 12 pounds. 17 1/2c On special sale today, at the pound \$1.75 GLENWOOD CREAMERY BUTTER, Reg-70c ular price 75c. Special, two-pound square 75c. Crosse & Blackwell's Luca Oil on sale at only 85c OWK Imported Worcestershire Sauce, 3 bottles 25c 15c Pimentos (Spanish peppers), special, can, 10c

Women's Fall Suits \$20

Clever Styles Not Shown Elsewhere

Garment Salons, Second Floor—We want you to see these attractive Suits we feature today at twenty dollars. They're the smartest models we've shown so far this season at the price. Beautifully tailored from high-grade fabrics—serges, chevots, fancy mixtures, etc. Effectively trimmed with braids, buttons, novelty collars and cuffs, etc. Belted and plain-tailored styles, with the new flared or flared skirts. Scores of new models at only \$20.00 OTHER SUITS in all the wanted materials, \$15.00 up to \$98.50 New Velvet Suits just received—latest models—\$32.50 to \$78.50

New Fall Coats \$18.50

Garment Salons, Second Floor—Many of these stylish new Coats are tailored with set-in or raglan sleeves and have the very new full-flare backs. % and 3/4 lengths. Wide range of materials are shown in this assortment, including the popular mannish mixtures in rich colorings. Smart models with form the principal trimmings on with or without belts. Buttons form the principal trimmings on \$18.50 these new models. All sizes for women and misses \$15-\$110 OTHER NEW FALL COATS in every wanted material, \$15-\$110

Fiber Silk Sweaters For Women

Second Floor—New models just received. Low neck, large covered buttons, patch pockets, wide cash. Latest colors. Special at \$9.98

New Silk Dresses \$15 to \$25

Garment Salons, Second Floor—Charming styles for evening, street and party wear. Crepe de chine, taffetas and messalines in leading shades. New plaited, overdresses—some with new plaited waist, fancy yokes and white collars and cuffs. Ask to see these. \$15 to \$25 NEW PLAID SILK DRESSES in various styles—\$12.50 to \$20.00

Friday Sale of Untrimmed Hats

Millinery Salons, Second Floor At \$1.95 Untrimmed Hats in a multitude of smart models, including small, close-fitting soft turbans, with close-rolled brims. Narrow-brim sailors with soft crowns, and medium \$1.95 sailors with pressed crowns. Priced special today at only \$1.95

New Trimmed Millinery

Millinery Salons, Second Floor—Make it a point to see our superb display of new Trimmed Hats. Every day new models are arriving by express. Especially attractive showing of new close-fitting Hats of velvet. Many beautiful models for trimmed. Priced at \$5.00 up to \$65.00 We Give S. & H. Trading Stamps.

Five Cake Set Special 70c

Third Floor—Van Deusen Cake Set, as illustrated above. Five pieces—one loaf and two layer moulds, round or square. One measuring cup, one egg whip and one copy of scientific cake recipes. Entire out-70c fit on special sale, 3d floor-70c

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Home Journal Patterns Advance styles issued in New York every Saturday on sale at the pattern counter every Wednesday. Ask about the new service.

Sale Extraordinary High-Grade Ostrich Boas

Ostrich Boas Special \$1.75 Ostrich Boas Special \$3.25

Department, Main Floor—Two splendid bargains in high-grade Ostrich Neckpieces for today's selling. Ostrich Boas have become an essential article of wardrobe if one would be correctly appareled. Note below: LOT 1—Ostrich Boas in all the good lengths, only \$1.75 lengths. All popular \$3.25 colors. \$4.95 grade \$3.25 NEW LINES OF OSTRICH BOAS \$4.25 to \$9.95

Main Floor—We have just received a new lot of Ostrich Boas in black, white, pink, sky, emerald, purple, gray, white and black, black and white, natural and white, white and green, white and yellow, brown and white and solid colors, with white ends. Priced \$3.50, \$4.95, \$7.00

New Imitation White Fox Neck Pieces

Department, Main Floor—The great vogue of White Fox for scarfs and neckpieces is now at its height. We are showing these popular pieces in the latest styles with head and feet. \$4.25 up to \$9.95

Friday-REMNANTDAY Dress Trimmings 1/2 Price Laces, Ribbons, Etc.

Department, Main Floor—Hundreds of remnant pieces in good, useful lengths for all purposes. Laces, Edges, Allovers, Bands, Flouncings, Guimpes, Appliques, Braids, Beaded and Silk Novelties, Embroidery Flouncings, Beadings and Insertions in beautiful patterns—also all odd pieces in narrow and wide Ribbons in lengths from 1/4 to 2 yards—just the thing for holiday fancywork. Thrifty women will be here early for the best selection. Choose from entire 1/2 Price line of fine Remnants, Ribbons, Laces, etc., at only 1/2 Price

Women's \$1 Neckwear at 50c

Department, Main Floor—Another special offering in Women's Fancy Neckwear for today's selling. Several hundred pieces in this notable collection—Collars, Vestees, Collar and Cuff Sets in great many handsome styles. All well-made articles and only one or two of 50c a kind. Neckwear worth from 65c up to \$1.00. On sale, each 50c "S. & H. Grnee Trading Stamps Given—ASK FOR YOURS!"

Women's Knit Underwear Specials

On Sale Center Circle On Main Floor Women's \$1.75, \$2.00 \$1.35 Wool Vests, Pants, at Reg. \$3 light-weight \$1.95 ribbed Union Suits \$2.50 ribbed wool \$2.25 Union Suits, special \$5.00 medium-weight \$3.75 wool Union Suits at \$1.00 Vests and Pants, 50c broken line of sizes, now 29c 50c Vests and Pants, in 29c small sizes, on sale at ODD GARMENTS or Stutgartter wool and Zimmerli silk and wool Underwear for women, at 1/2 price.

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