

SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS COUNTY LEAD

Marshfield for First Time in Years Has School Census Exceeding Bandon's

For the first time in years the school census of Marshfield exceeds that of Bandon. Though the difference is but slight, in fact is only a lead of one, nevertheless it is a lead and is so designated. The latest report from Bandon gives that district a total of 960 pupils between the ages of four and 20 years, while the total from this city, just sent in to the county court, gives us 961 pupils.

The fact that Bandon ranks high in school attendance, being less than half the size of this city, might on first notice make even Teddy Roosevelt grin, but it must be considered that the school district of the south is wide in its territory. Its southern boundary is the Curry county line, its western limit the Pacific ocean and north and east the extension runs far. Thus it is possible for Bandon to bring up its school census, get astonishing sums for the support of its school and enable it for years to scrape out ahead of Marshfield in school attendance.

In district number nine, which includes the city, the lines are sharply drawn. There are several schools in the vicinity and thus each district is strictly limited "unto itself." There is a school at Bunker Hill, at Eastside, in First Addition. To these places in the past year or so there have been many school patrons moving but even with these losses district number nine has made a gain of 41 over its total of last year.

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GARDINER SAFE ROBBER CAUGHT

Richard O'Connor, Under Arrest in California, Said to Have Confessed to Crime

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 11.—Richard O'Connor, who is held at Fairfield, Cal., for alleged robbery and murder, has confessed robbing the Gardiner Mill Company and declares confession of the Oregon crime establishes an alibi for him and should release him from the California charges, both crimes having been committed about the same time last summer. Photographs have been sent to Gardiner in an attempt to identify O'Connor.

The Gardiner Mill Company's store was robbed of \$5000 and a quantity of jewelry. O'Connor was extradited from Pendleton, Or., on the charge of robbing a store at Rio Vista, Cal., and killing the night watchman there on August 29. He is 54 years old.

MANAGING BOARD TO BE SELECTED

With Small Number Plans for Care of Unemployed Can be Perfected is Belief

To appoint a managing board of about five to eight members who will have charge of the caring for the unemployed of the city is the plan of the Service Committee of the Fellowship Club. At the meeting on Monday of representatives of about 17 organizations of the city it was plainly evident, say the members, that nothing can be done with such a large body and that plans should first be outlined by a committee and then submitted to this larger body for their sanction or criticism.

This managing board, believes W. A. Reid of the Fellowship Club, should be appointed in such a manner as to give the churches a representative, another for the labor unions, and so on, thus giving each type of organizations a personal interest in the matter.

At the last meeting held Mrs. Songstacken outlined the plan of issuing meal tickets, somewhat after the fashion of stamp books, and to would in turn give them to men they could employ to cut or put in wood or to do odd jobs about the homes. Each ticket would be good for a meal at some restaurant.

However, the committee believes this plan would result in an effort of a few men to corner the supply of meal tickets and thus in a few hours work through a neighborhood give them board for a week or more. And to overcome this defect it would be necessary to have a permanent headquarters and from there issue the meal tickets on the order of some household.

To have a permanent organization has been often suggested. Twice at the last meeting propositions were made by men who volunteered to care for such a place and see that it is run properly providing a room is secured and fitted out.

Until a managing board is selected and plans perfected for further movement the Service Committee of the Fellowship Club will continue to attend to certain cases that come before them for immediate aid.

BIG DANCE EAGLES' HALL, SATURDAY night, Dec. 12, MARTIN'S Orchestra. COME if you care.

GRAND JURY WILL EXAMINE JAILS

Bugs in Jails Should Not Be, Say They and Investigation Will Be Ordered

Bugs that walk in the night are in for a deep grueling; they are to be taboored for getting too frisky and insistent. No longer shall Johnny Bug play in Pa Grayback's back yard with little Sallie, his loving daughter and all the rest of the tribe. In other words the grand jury has demanded an investigation of the jails of Marshfield and North Bend. The edict has gone forth that the city prisons must be cleaned.

The jailer of the county jail has declared in deep wrath that this side of the Bay is most "obstreperous" in sending prisoners to the county seat that "are troubled with vermin."

He declares the bath tub is always necessary and that each recruit must be put through a vigorous course of sprays before being turned over to the cells of the Coos county jail.

But, say the Marshfield officers, if there is going to be an investigation the root of the matter must be dug up. "What are you going to do," they say, "when we get 'em (meaning prisoners) already in this condition?"

And then there opens another phase of the matter. That cleanliness is next to Godliness has not been taught to us all alike and the poor unfortunates, many of them, come to the jail vermin covered. "All the king's horses and all the king's men" would be necessary to clean up satisfactorily every morning.

The plan has been suggested that each morning the brigade that has spent the night in jail should be put to work with a big bucket of lye water and brooms, thus to make the cells a shining light of the "Spotless Town" type.

Every two weeks, at the present time, the quilts from the jail are sent to the laundry for renovating. A new plan advanced is to fill ticks with straw which can be thrown away every so often and then send the ticks to the wash, all of which would be a cheap procedure.

One officer suggested the plan of rigging a derrick at the edge of a dock and with a piece of rope douse each individual prisoner a certain length of time before admitting him to the jail.

AMONG THE SICK

J. H. Flanagan has been confined to his home for several days on account of a severe cold.

The little four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Erickson of Bunker Hill, had his tonsils removed yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Bates of Wagner, was down yesterday receiving treatment for a fractured ankle which she received in an accident about a month ago.

Mrs. A. C. Jensen of Bay Park, who recently was brought home from the hospital, is rapidly recovering her health.

Albert Jacobson is suffering from a severe case of blood poisoning in his arm. A few days ago he got a sliver under his finger nail but thought nothing of the occurrence until pains started up along his entire arm.

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NORTH INLET WILL HAVE POSTOFFICE

MOVEMENT FOR ESTABLISHING MAIL FACILITIES AT LANDING—NAME FOR NEW CITY-TO-BE

J. H. Pinkerton was in from North Inlet yesterday and says the residents in the vicinity of the landing are taking action on having a postoffice established there. A meeting of the residents was called one evening last week to discuss a name for the new postoffice but, owing to a storm the attendance was not large.

The name Howard was suggested as the new postoffice will be located on the Howard ranch, but as there was another postoffice of that name in Oregon, it could not be adopted.

Among the other names suggested were North Inlet, Cedarville, Cedar City and White Cedar.

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