

MONMOUTH WHIRLWIND MAKES NEW RECORD

The record of 10,000 made by Freda Lanier of Dallas in the eleventh score was looked on as a surprise by friends of this clever girl, but it was smashed to smithereens yesterday by the contest manager by Olive Williams, the whirlwind worker of Monmouth, who has just recorded 14,250 votes for the twelfth score, jumping from 24,250 to 40,250. If this keeps this pace up until the end of the contest the number of scholarships with the first cash award of \$100 will be hers.

Many Now in the Race.
The next highest score was made by Buelah Gilkey, Coquille, who scored 8,500. She was followed by William Patterson, Philomath, with 8,000, with Little Frances Gordon, the baby contestant of The Dalles, seventh with 7,025 to her credit. The eighth highest score was made by Freda Hooker of Medford, who added 6,240. Paul A. Numan, Salem, was ninth with an even 6,000; Gladys Rogers, Baker City, tenth with 5,450; Adela Volstedt, Albany, eleventh with 5,000; Gladys Nelson, Oswego, twelfth with 4,730; Grace H. Ryan, Gold Hill, thirteenth with 3,700; Ralph Robnett, fourteenth with 3,240; Margaretta McCoy, La Grande, fifteenth with 3,000; Myrtle Rogers, sixteenth with 2,600; G. Adrian Smith, seventeenth with 2,700; Dolon T. By, La Grande, eighteenth with 2,500; Etta Schelton, Union, nineteenth with 1,850; Carl Powers, Pendleton, new comer, twentieth with 1,745; Royal H. Cross, St. Johns, twenty-first with 1,580; Kenneth Murray, Dayville, twenty-second with 1,600; Charles Hibbard, Silverton, twenty-third with 1,200; Clyde Cook, twenty-fourth with 1,200. All the others who scored secured less than 1,000 votes. It will be seen from the star performances above that the clever students mean business. There is no reason why this clever work could not have been accomplished earlier in the contest. All it required was a leader to show what could be done. With one

FAVOR OLD-SITE FOR NEW BRIDGE

East Side Clubs Decide Madison Street Right Place for New Structure.

There was a bridge party last night in the club rooms of the Sargent hotel which was attended by a representative gathering of business men and property owners. There were prizes or favors at this bridge party but a unanimous grand slam was scored on the first deal when the Federated East Side clubs decided that it would not be wise to ask for a new bond issue to replace Madison street bridge. So now everybody on the east side of the river agrees that the original appropriation of \$100,000 will have to suffice for the structure.

Nearly all the speakers favored the rebuilding of the Madison street bridge at its present site. Only one man present had any different suggestion, to make a Van Housden, who has worked incessantly to have the bridge built at East Mill and Second streets. He gave many good reasons for the erection of the structure at this point, but he was unable to enlist any help from the rest of the members who are decided now that the old site is the only feasible one. A bridge at the location cited by Mr. Van Housden would have the advantage of being 25 feet above high water while 25 feet is the most that can be expected at Madison street.

Speaks for Railway Company.
President W. L. Boise in speaking for the Madison street structure alluded to the pleasant provision by which the street railway will have to pay the interest on the bond issue. He also showed that the railway company will have to expend \$100,000 in retracking on Hawthorne avenue after the laying of the new pavement. If the bridge were rebuilt at East Mill and Second the company would be forced to make another expensive swing of six blocks to get around to the west side. This would be hardly fair, thought Mr. Boise.

Frank J. Perkins, O. E. Heintz and L. E. Rice were appointed a committee to report at the next meeting the maximum height above river level a bridge can be built and whether an approach above the tracks on the east side can be provided for in a new appropriation.

O. E. Heintz, H. W. Hodges, P. E. Rice and Frank J. Perkins were some of the other speakers who forcefully advocated the rebuilding of Madison bridge at its present location.



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ASK PROTECTION FROM FIRE KING

University Park and Portsmouth are without fire protection of any kind according to the members of the board of trade of the park district, and a letter calling the attention of Mayor Lane and the chief of police to this fact will be written by the secretary of the University Park board of trade. The board having so instructed him at a meeting held last night in Silas's real estate office.

J. A. Keenan, who attended the meeting, spoke enthusiastically of the future of the peninsula, which he will be filled with more than 100,000

BOARD ORDERS NEW PARK PLANS

At yesterday's meeting of the park board the members discussed the proposed park system which will be constructed out of the \$1,000,000 to be raised by the bond issue voted upon by the people last year. Detailed plans were ordered by the members, and they

people in the next 15 years. Mr. Ketchum and others were of the opinion that the city should buy Meek's bottom and add it to Columbia park. The bottom contains something like 80 acres and the park about 20. The two tracts together would give a total acreage of 1100, out of which it would be possible to make one of the finest parks in the city.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. F. P. Dunne, wife of the general attorney for the Southern Pacific, and Mrs. Sessions, wife of a well known San Francisco lawyer, are at the Hotel Portland. Mrs. Dunne and Mrs. Sessions are on their way to Yellowstone park, and will be in the city until tomorrow.

will be furnished by Olmsted Brothers of Boston.

Another departure was taken by the board yesterday when the members voted to instruct city Auditor Barber to furnish the board with a complete statement of the department's finances each month. Heretofore this work has devolved upon the parkkeeper, but because of the detail concerning the work of the parks the board believes that Parkkeeper Mische should be relieved of the clerical part in order to give his time to his regular duties. The council has refused to furnish Mische with a clerk to do the clerical work, and the board resorted to the new expedient to relieve Mische.

A tract of land containing eight acres and lying south of the Sellwood ferry was recommended to the board for purchase by the Sellwood board of trade.

The price is \$40,000, and the members of the board will inspect it Saturday. Plans for Columbia park prepared by Parkkeeper Mische were discussed by the board, but no action was taken, and the members will visit the park and study the lay of the land before deciding what disposition shall be made in arranging the park.

Excursion to Gordon Falls.
Next Saturday, August 22, the O. R. & N. will run a special excursion Portland to Gordon Falls.

Gordon Falls, near the famous Multnomah Falls, is one of the Columbia's most picturesque spots, and is the site of the new "Textile Town" of Oregon. This excursion will leave Portland at 1:30 p. m., returning to leave Gordon Falls at 5:20 p. m. Round trip \$1.

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