

# ASHLAND STATE NORMAL OPENS

### Enrollment Exceeds That of Any Previous Year-- New Teachers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Ashland, Or., Sept. 15.—Monday morning the doors of the Southern Oregon State Normal school swung open to the largest number of students ever admitted on the first day. The school year opened under most favorable auspices and gives promise of being the best the institution has ever had. Although the last vestige of the commercial course has been cut out and each student is required to take at least one professional subject, the attendance is increasing and is expected to greatly exceed that of any previous year. The training school department also began with an unusually large attendance. The faculty this year is unusually strong, all the vacancies having been filled with teachers of ability and experience. Harry M. Shafer, the new president of the Southern Oregon State Normal school, is a native of Illinois. He at-



Professor H. M. Shafer, New President of Ashland State Normal.

tended the Illinois Normal university at Normal, Ill., and graduated from Eureka college, Eureka, Ill., receiving the degree of B. S. Later he received from Harvard university, Cambridge, Mass., the degree of A. B. and A. M. He then attended Teachers' college, Columbia university, New York city, in connection with the work there, making a study of normal schools and their administration. He visited many normal schools and investigated in detail their theory and practice. Raymond W. Pence, instructor in English, is a graduate of Ohio State university, having received the degrees of A. B. and A. M. at that institution. He taught some years in high schools in Ohio and Indiana. Last year he had charge of Latin in the State Normal school at Cheney, Wash. He had been elected to a position in Bethany college, West Virginia, but resigned to accept at Ashland because of a great love for the coast.

Blanche E. Stedman, supervisor of music, drawing and geography, is a native of Montana and a graduate of the State Normal school at Plymouth, New Hampshire. She taught some years in the schools at Helena, Mont., was five years supervisor in the State Normal school of New Hampshire. Miss Stedman is a specialist in geography and psychology, having devoted much time to specialization along these lines. E. M. Cunningham prepared for his life work at the University of Minnesota. After graduation at that institution he came to the state of Washington, where he was teacher and high school principal a number of years. His work is biology and physiology. The remaining teachers have held



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their positions here for some time and are most favorably known. Professor W. T. Van Scoy, A. B. is head of the department of mathematics; Armlide Douglas, B. S. D., history and economics; W. L. Mellinger, A. B. mathematics; C. C. Coy, M. A., pedagogy, and drawing; H. R. Wardrip, Ph. D., manual training and physical culture; Emma B. Vickersham, Ph. D., principal of training school; Katherine E. Sloan, primary critic; Esther C. Sibley, vocal music; Rusie T. Nell, instrumental music.

## SALEM DAY A BREAKER

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poose; John L. Smith, Hazelwood farm, Spokane; H. M. Fleming, Salem. Three-year-old bull—Theodore Kruse, first; P. A. Frakes, second; P. A. Frakes, third. Two-year-old bull—Hazelwood farm, first. Junior yearling bull—Hazelwood farm, first; Theodore Kruse, second. Senior bull calf—Hazelwood farm, first and third; P. A. Frakes, second. Junior bull calf—Hazelwood farm, first; P. A. Frakes, second; Theodore Kruse, third. Three-year-old cow—Hazelwood, first and second; P. A. Frakes, third. Two-year-old heifer—Hazelwood, first; Theodore Kruse, second; P. A. Frakes, third. Senior yearling heifer—Hazelwood, first; Theodore Kruse, second; P. A. Frakes, third. Junior yearling heifer—Hazelwood, first; P. A. Frakes, second; Theodore Kruse, third. Senior calf heifer—Hazelwood, first and third; Frakes, second. Junior calf heifer—Hazelwood, first; P. A. Frakes, second; Theodore Kruse, third.

Here follows—Exhibitors: L. B. Geer & Son, Corvallis; Paul Clayton, Clatsop, Iowa; Willamette Valley Stock & Land company, Astoria. Two-year-old bull—Paul Clayton, first; Geer & Son, second. Senior yearling bull—Claystone, first. Junior yearling bull—Willamette Valley Stock farm, first; Geer & Son, second. Senior bull calf—Claystone, first. Junior bull calf—Claystone, first and second; Geer & Son, third. Three-year-old cow—Claystone, first and second; Willamette Valley Stock farm, third. Two-year-old heifer—Claystone, first and second; Geer & Son, third. Senior yearling heifer—Claystone, first and second. Junior yearling heifer—Willamette Valley Stock farm, first and second; Geer & Son, third. Senior heifer calf—Claystone, first. Junior heifer calf—Claystone, first. Champions—Senior bull, junior bull, senior cow and junior heifer, all owned by Paul Clayton; also grand champion bull and grand champion female.

Short horns—Exhibitors: A. Chalmers, Forest Grove; J. H. Glide, Sacramento; W. O. Minor, Heppner; Frank Brown, Clatsop; Geer & Son, Corvallis; Schmidt Bros. Oregon City; S. H. Hadley, Oakland, Or.; Oakland Livestock company, Oakland, Or. Three-year-old bull—Minor, first; Glide, second; Chalmers, third. Two-year-old bull—Brown, first; Minor, second; Geer & Son, third. Senior yearling bull—Glide, first and second; Minor, third. Junior yearling bull—Minor, first; Brown, second; Schmidt Bros, third. Senior bull calf—Glide, first and second; Brown, third. Junior bull calf—Glide, first; Minor, second; Schmidt Bros, third. Three-year-old cow—Minor, first and second; Chalmers, third. Two-year-old cow—Glide, first, Minor, second and third. Senior yearling heifer—Glide, first and second; Brown, third. Junior yearling heifer—Minor, first; Chalmers, second. Senior heifer calf—Brown, first; Glide, second and third. Junior heifer calf—Glide, first and second; Minor, third.

Berkshires—Exhibitors: F. A. Koser, Russell; Washington State Berkshires Association, Pullman, Wash.; A. D. Fenton, Salem; F. A. Clark, Salem; John Schaap, Gervais; L. K. Cogswell, Chehalis; W. T. Crawford, Shedd. Two-year-old heifer—Washington Berkshires, first; Clark, second; Koser, third. One-year-old heifer—Washington Berkshires, first; Hudson, second; Schaap, third. Six-months-old heifer—Koser, first; Washington, second; Hudson, third. Boar under six months—Hudson, first; Washington, second; Koser, third. Two-year-old sow—Washington, first; Koser, second; Hudson, third. One-year-old sow—Washington, first and second; Schaap, third. Six-months-old sow—Hudson, first; Washington, second; Koser, third. Sow under six months—Washington, first; Hudson, second; Koser, third.

**STUDENT POISONED BY SILLY HAZERS**  
San Francisco, Sept. 15.—An investigation is being made today of the recent illness of Carl J. Hoag, a student of the University of California, caused, he claims, by a poisonous mixture he was compelled to drink as a part of his initiation into the Alpha Kappa Kappa, a medical fraternity. About a week ago Hoag, together with Samuel E. Bailey and Ernest W. Clurey, were taken to the order. As a final test, Hoag claims, he was compelled to drink a strange tasting mixture, believed to have contained nitrate of silver. He was taken violently ill and it was only after long and heroic medical treatment that he was declared out of danger. His fraternity brothers claim there was nothing harmful in the mixture.

## BRYAN TALKS TO TREMENDOUS CROWD

Newburgh, N. Y., Sept. 15.—William Jennings Bryan arrived here today and was received by a big delegation of citizens at the station. He was escorted to the headquarters, and in a speech before a tremendous crowd, discussed the platforms of the two parties, comparing them and presenting the claims of superiority in favor of the Democratic document. He was given a big ovation.

## AUTO TIRE EXPLODES AINSWORTH INJURED

Harry Ainsworth, a brother of John C. Ainsworth, of the United States National bank, sustained a broken leg and a fractured arm as the result of an unusual automobile accident in Los Angeles Saturday. Mr. Ainsworth was using a power pump to fill the five-inch tire of the 36-inch wheel of a big touring car when the tire exploded. Mr. Ainsworth was knocked down by the blow and otherwise slightly injured about the body.

## HEAVY BONDS FOR BUNK CAR LOOTER

Fred Thompson, the young man who was arrested Monday afternoon for looting a bunk car on the Southern Pacific and was caught after an exciting chase by policemen and the gang of bridge carpenters he is said to have robbed, waived examination in the municipal court today and was held to appear before the grand jury under \$1,000 bonds. Thompson is 29 years of age, while Walter Nedvick and Earl Griffith, both said to be his accomplices, are younger and will come before the juvenile court.

## PORTLAND MAN REPORTED MISSING

Everett, Wash., Sept. 15.—C. W. Ellsworth, who arrived in Everett with his family from Portland a week ago has disappeared after an exciting chase by city property. Ellsworth accompanied his family to Harford, where they were staying, and he was last seen there last Tuesday. Since then he has not been seen by relatives or friends and they are convinced he has been kidnapped and murdered. Ellsworth was about 35 in his possession when he left

# COOS BAY CITIZENS PLAN RECEPTION TO THE "OREGON"



The Government Dredge "Oregon."

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Marshfield, Or., Sept. 14.—Coos Bay people look upon the coming of the government dredge Oregon as the most important event in years. To secure the services of the dredge it was necessary to raise \$15,000 among the citizens. There was no difficulty in raising the sum, which has been turned over to the government engineers to be used for the operation of the dredge. There is on foot a scheme to sell to the cities of Marshfield and North Bend the dredgings, which will be used to fill in the low lands. Individuals will probably stand the expense of filling on their property. It is hoped in this way to raise sufficient additional money to keep the dredge on Coos bay until congress shall have appropriated funds for the purpose. The Simpson Lumber company tug Astoria has been engaged to tow the dredge to Coos bay. It is expected that it will leave the Columbia river today and reach Coos bay September 20. The arrival of the dredge will be made the occasion of a general holiday. The first of gasoline boats on the bay will go down to the bar to meet the dredge, and there will be a public celebration. Senator Fulton has promised to be present and deliver an address which the port to handle any vessel on the Pacific coast.

## CARNIVAL AND STREET FAIR AT TILLAMOOK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Tillamook, Or., Sept. 15.—Tillamook city will have a street fair and carnival September 23-25. The fair will be held under the auspices of the band boys, who have secured the concessions of the American Amusement company for the occasion. The business men have subscribed liberally towards the enterprise and elaborate preparations are being made. A cement to resist white heat is made from pulverized fire clay, four parts, clean iron filings, two parts; plumbago and peroxide manganese each one part, borax and sea salt each half part. It should be mixed as a thick paste and used immediately.

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