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**ETERNAL PROTECTION:**—The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore. —Psalm 121:8.

## INTERMEDIATE REFORMATORY

Hon. I. L. Patterson, candidate for the nomination by the Republicans for Governor, says in the course of his statement printed yesterday that he will, if nominated and elected, favor the commitment of all first offenders convicted of felonies to a new institution—

This institution to be conducted in the plant of the present state training school, when that school shall have been removed to the Woodburn site, which is nearing the time when it will be ready for occupancy, or part occupancy.

Mr. Patterson assumes that most first offenders will be young men, which is correct. His idea is to have the new institution conducted under the direction of the warden of the penitentiary.

The Legislature at its last session undertook to arrange this matter from a different angle, or at least to make a beginning of it. They passed a law which reads:

"There shall be established and permanently located in Marion county a department in connection with the Oregon state training school for the confinement, discipline, education, employment and reformation of offenders in the state of Oregon between the ages of 18 years and 21 years.

"All persons heretofore or hereafter convicted of felonies and sentenced to the penitentiary who are between the ages of 18 years and 21 years may be transferred by the Governor on his own motion or upon the recommendation of the parole board, whenever the warden of the penitentiary shall certify that he believes it would be to the best interest of such minor to be transferred to the state training school; provided, that in the event that any minor transferred from the penitentiary to the state training school should prove incorrigible, then the Governor, upon the recommendation of the superintendent of the state training school, shall be authorized to transfer such minor from the state training school to the penitentiary."

There have so far been no such commitments. The reason is that there has been no opportunity to fit up the department contemplated, because the state training school has been and is still over crowded. It had yesterday 189 boys. There should not be more than 150.

The Legislature provided \$4000 with which to begin the work of fitting up such a department.

The commitments to the state training school are of boys from 8 to 18, and they are indeterminate, excepting upon arrival at 21 years. So there are in the institution now often boys of the ages contemplated by the new law; but coming on commitments direct, and not through the penitentiary.

The new institution at Woodburn will begin to be occupied at the opening of the next semester, around the end of January. Working forces go there now and perform necessary labors. The Woodburn institution will have two companies of large and two of small boys, with four teachers—

But two teachers will still be at the main institution, till after the meeting of the next Legislature, for the laundry, hospital and other industrial departments will still be at the original plant, to say nothing of the farm and stock and orchards and gardens.

But something may be done in carrying out the evident wishes of the Legislature in passing the law above mentioned, before the convening of the next session of the Legislature—

And in that case there will arise a question as to just how the intermediate reformatory shall be operated, and how the sentencing shall be done, or the committing regulated—

For it will amount to an intermediate reformatory, however it may be governed.

In New York the corresponding institution receives all men under 30 and all first offenders, whatever their ages.

Different states have different rules for receiving inmates at their intermediate reformatories. These will remain to be worked out—

And upon them will depend the proper government of the institution, whether under the warden of the penitentiary or the superintendent of the state training school, or independently.

## OBEEDIENCE TO LAW

That the first duty of law enforcement officials is to themselves respect and obey the laws was one of the high points in Judge L. H. McMahan's address before the Rotary club yesterday. Another mark for the speaker's verbal shafts was that all men without regard to social, political or financial influence, or lack of the same, should be treated without discrimination under the law.

Stories of arrests being made illegally, the too free use of firearms and holding persons under suspicion and incommunicado were told by the speaker in substantiating his criticisms.

It should be borne in mind that the errors and practices unsupported by law and charged by the Judge do not apply to the majority of enforcement officers who are both zealous in the enforcement and careful to keep within strict interpre-

tation of the law in making arrests and in further dealings with those taken into custody.

But the officer who breaks the law by shooting at the autoist or the pedestrian in order to halt him, for committing a misdemeanor, is amenable to punishment and should himself be punished, or better still no person thus ignorant of the law should be granted official authority.

Officers should not transcend their constitutional rights and should pass an examination showing fair knowledge of those rights and the ordinary laws under which they serve before entering upon their official duties. And men of questionable character or themselves lawbreakers should not be allowed to wear the badge of authority over others.

That there is tremendous pressure upon officers to enforce the law is obvious. But to proceed illegally is to break down, finally, the very laws which are being enforced.

And discrimination for political, financial or social favor arrays class against class and threatens the constitution itself.

The warning issued by the speaker is both timely and important.

## POOR OLD BRYN MAWR

Student self government as Bryn Mawr has recently distinguished itself by being instrumental in removing the age-old ban on cigaret smoking by the coeds of this exclusive college. President Parks with unparalleled alacrity responds to a petition and informs the gasping world that "The condition of the students at Bryn Mawr has always been in the hands of the 'Self Government Association' and the regulations of the said association have been based on the public opinion of the moment." How diplomatic! How courageous! How sound and progressive for an educational institution to be guided by "momentary public opinion!"

On his principle the institution owes no courtesy to public opinion outside of Bryn Mawr.

Again, if a majority of the "self government" branch of this very exclusive institution desire any innovation not positively contrary to the laws and the constitution, they may turn to their brave president for a ruling favorable to their desires and based on their very exalted and correct analysis of public opinion. This is democracy with a vengeance. There can be no errors here in interpreting the public attitude?

Further, upon the basis of this interpretation of public opinion the limits of student activities, and customs are practically unbounded. If it shall appear to the self government association that the ban on tobacco chewing "no longer rests solidly on intelligent public opinion" a room may be set aside, with fireplace, spit-toons and all the other paraphernalia of the tobacco room for the enjoyment of the coveted cud. But why stop here? Dresses may be still more abbreviated, stockings entirely discarded and credits given for

## NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 24 of Marion county, state of Oregon, that a school meeting of said district will be held at high school building on the 8th day of December, 1925, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of discussing the budget hereinafter set out with the levying board; and to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the said school district during the fiscal year beginning on June 15, 1925, and ending June 30, 1926, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, elementary school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

BUDGET		
Estimated Expenditures		
I. Personal Service:		\$237,470.00
47 High school teachers	\$62,925	
52 Junior high school teachers	60,820	
61 Grade teachers	65,700	
1 Elementary supervisor	2,000	
10 Principals	16,850	
1 Superintendent	3,600	
1 Clerk	1,080	
1 Nurse	1,125	
1 School physician	500	
3 Secretaries	2,820	
1 Attendance supervisor and census enumerator	900	
2 Librarians	2,250	
Substitute teachers	1,500	
15 Janitors	15,400	
II. Material and Supplies:		19,600.00
1. Educational equipment	2,500	
2. Furniture	1,500	
3. Educational supplies	3,000	
4. Library	750	
5. Janitors' supplies	1,600	
6. Fuel and wood	5,500	
7. Light, power and gas	1,850	
8. Water and phones	1,850	
9. Postage and stationery	150	
10. Printing	350	
11. Freight and drayage	250	
III. Maintenance and Repairs:		4,850.00
1. High school	600	
2. Parrish junior high school	150	
3. McKinley junior high school	300	
4. Englewood	250	
5. Garfield	150	
6. Grant	1,700	
7. Highland	150	
8. Lincoln	150	
9. Park	600	
10. Richmond	800	
IV. Insurance:		1,000.00
V. Miscellaneous:		500.00
VI. Interest on Warrants:		580.00
Total Current Expenditures		\$264,000.00
VIII. Indebtedness:		61,182.00
1. Redemption of old bonds	10,000	
2. Interest on old bonds	3,232	
3. Redemption of high school addition	10,000	
4. Interest on high school addition bonds	4,000	
5. Redemption of Parrish J.H.S. bonds	22,000	
6. Interest on Parrish J.H.S. bonds	3,950	
7. Street assessments	2,950	
Total Current and Indebtedness Expenditures		\$325,182.00
Receipts		\$264,000.00
Receipts for Current Expenditures:		
1. State school funds	\$ 8,100	
2. County school funds	51,500	
3. Elementary school funds	29,000	
4. High school tuition fund	30,500	
5. Other sources	3,400	
6. District tax (six per cent limitation)	141,500	
Receipts for Indebtedness:		
1. District tax for redemption and interest on bonds and sinking fund	61,182.00	
Total Receipts		\$325,182.00
Dated this 15th day of November, 1925.		
H. H. Olinger,	E. T. Barnes,	
L. J. Simeral,	Edward Schuonke,	
Wm. Gahlsdorf,	U. G. Shipley,	
P. M. Gregory,	T. M. Hicks,	
Frank E. Neer,	W. I. Staley,	
W. H. BURGHARDT, Secretary.		
Budget Committee.		n20-27-6

the faithful and dexterous use of lipsticks, rouge and chewing gum.

And with freedom of speech still subject to slight conventional curtailment, the self government association might prevail upon the president to construe public opinion into furnishing another room for the practice of profanity, since the statutes prohibit it in public.

Surely wonderful and startling innovations are taking place in the name and under the guise of higher educational freedom. But this spectacular bit of technical and mental degradation will stamp Bryn Mawr as a class by itself. The West has too high present regard for pioneer decency and progress to copy this latest innovation. The vast majority of colleges both East and West together with the thousands of forward looking substantial young people enrolled therein choose clean habits, intellectual progress and independence instead of license interpreted into the evasiveness of public opinion.

## Bits For Breakfast

Hoping you enjoyed the dinner—

And that good digestion waited on appetite.

There was a lot of excitement in Salem yesterday, on the part of those listening in by radio on the progress of the Oregon-Washington football game. It was a great game, as seen by radio or on the field itself.

If Fascism means debt payment and the recognition of legal obligations, then it is to be hoped that a number of other European countries besides Italy will adopt the idea.

Oliver Lodge says man is the animal that knows the difference between right and wrong. Some men, Oliver, some men.

The campaign against the submarine is based on the absurd statement that too many lives are needlessly lost. Suffering jack-rabbits! More lives are lost every day in the United States due to automobiling than have been lost since the late war in all the world submerging. Nobody has started a campaign to abolish automobiles.

A squad of Chinese soldiers directed by Red officers from Russia turned on these officers and

killed the whole caboodle. And still they say the Chinaman hasn't any sense of humor.

Better lay in your stock of apples now, a United States court has ruled it is perfectly legal for any one to make hard cider.—New York Commercial.

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## Water and Power Opening Unreclaimed Areas of West

GUERNSEY, Wyo.—Water and power, more precious than gold in unreclaimed parts of the west, are coming to help towns and industries where waste land desert stretch into sections of two states.

Government workers are building a great dam on the Platte river, here, as another step in the development of isolated regions. The dam will supply water to hundreds of farmers living in an area of 270,000 acres in Wyoming and Nebraska. The dam also will protect them against flood waters when snow melts in the mountains.

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<b>MEN'S UNDERWEAR</b> Army Wool Underwear Cooper's and Atlas Brands ..... <b>95c</b> Heavy Cotton Unionsuits, Regular \$1.75 Value ..... <b>\$1.35</b> Wool Mixed Unionsuits, \$3.00 Value Special ..... <b>\$1.95</b> All Wool Unionsuits, \$6.00 Value Special ..... <b>\$4.25</b>	<b>LEATHER AND RAINCOATS</b> Men's Slicker Coats, will be sold For ..... <b>\$1.95</b> Logger Shirts, Double Throughout ..... <b>\$4.95</b> Leather Coats Moleskin lined ..... <b>\$6.45</b> Genuine Horsehide Leather Coats, \$16.50 Value, our price ..... <b>\$10.85</b>
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