JEFFERSON HIGH'S PUPIL COST LOWEST

Tuition Figures Released By County Superintendent Mary Fulkerson

Of the dozen high schools in Marion county, Jefferson with a figure of $93.85 had the lowest cost per pupil for the past school year, according to a study of tuition figures just made by the county superintendent, Mary L. Fulkerson.

The cost of each tuition pupil attending the Scotts Mills high school was the highest, $163.23. While the superintendent's figures apply to tuition, or the money paid to the school district for non-resident students in attendance, the cost is the same for all pupils, both tuition and resident.

The cost of educating the individual student in the other county high schools was: Silverton, $94.70; Salem, $104.33; Woodburn, $113.56; Union high No. 1 at Gervais, $119.43; Union high No. 3 at St. Paul, $120.57; Hubbard, $117.81; Turner, $120.34; Stayton, $128.76; Aumsville, $146.77.

As would be expected, the Salem high school had the greatest tuition population, a total of 364,301 of whom came from Marion county districts where there is no high school, 57 from Polk county districts and six from other counties. The Marion county non-resident students brought $30,473.17 in to district No. 24's funds. Polk county paid to Salem $6,278.12 for education of its pupils attending here.

Marion county contributed a $9,677.21 check to the Silverton school for the out-of-district enrollment. Silverton had 121 tuition pupils, the total money therefrom amounting to $10,203.41.

The Woodburn high school cared for more than 140 nonresident pupils, with Marion county contributing the lion's share of these, for which was paid $11,926.72. Clackamas county's check for $4,220.32 covered the boys and girls that county sent to Woodburn high.

The smaller high school cared for a lesser number of tuition pupils.

SOCIALISTS SEEK PLACES ON BALLOT

Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle has been asked for a legal opinion as to whether socialist candidates for office will be able to get their names on the ballot at the November election as representatives of the socialist party.

The several candidates were nominated at an assembly of 100 electors held in Portland recently and their names were certified to the secretary of state Monday. The secretary of state raised the question that under the law a political party cannot be recognized unless it has cast five per cent of the votes polled for justice of the supreme court at the preceding general election.

In the case at issue the socialist party had no candidates at the last general election. At the request of the secretary of state and representatives of the socialist party the attorney general was requested to prepare a legal opinion.

The ticket nominated by the Socialist party follows:

Presidential electors—Minnie McFarland, Umatilla; F. B. Wood Athena; John Wehrli, K. Krumm and W. J. Martin, all of Portland.

Representative (third district) —Albert Streiff, Portland.

State treasurer—Neal Swetland, Portland.

Justice supreme court—J. E. Hosmer, Silverton; G. L. Perrine Portland.

Attorney general—W. R. Beehler, Boring.

Dairy and food commissioner—Peter Streiff, Jr., Portland.

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TODAY, THURS., FRI. SAT.
DOUBLE FEATURE BILL
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—in—
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HAROLD LLOYD
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"Grandma's Boy"
His Funniest!
MOVIETONE NEWS
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Italian Silk Worms Travel Parcel Post Colonize In U. S. A.

When Mrs. Torcigliana of Memphis found 120 silk worms in her morning mail she gave them evpert care, and now she has the nucleus of a silk-weaving industry in her home.

CALL MONEY JUMPS UPSETTING MARKET

Flurry Takes Place on Wall Street as Rate Rises 6 to 8 Per Cent

NEW YORK, July 31.—(AP).—A flurry from 6 to 8 per cent in the call money rate, accompanied by the calling of between $50,000,000 and $60,000,000 in loans, temporarily unsettled today's stock market.

Prices rallied briskly at the opening and held well in the face of a renewal rate of 6 per cent. Marking up of the rate to 7 and 7½ per cent in quick succession around midday brought a wave of selling into the market, which wiped out many of the early gains and sent a number of issues down 2 to nearly 9 points. Buying support was quickly provided and the market headed upward again in the face of a further advance in money to 8 per cent.

The United States Steel corporation, making its report public after the close of the market, earned $4.86 a share in the first six months as against $5.60 in the first half of 1927, but earnings in the June quarter were $2.75 against $2.11 in the first quarter and $2.78 in the second quarter of 1927.

Establishment of new low levels for the year by British and Dutch currencies and the shifting of the Canadian dollar from a premium to a discount were the outstanding features in the mixed foreign exchange market. Sterling cables were quoted as low as $4.85 5-8 and Dutch guilders around 40.17.

POPULATION MOVES BACK TO COUNTRY

LONDON, July 31.—(AP).—A heavy tide of population away from cities and back to the land is reported in an official survey just completed by the regional town planning committee of Greater London.

For several generations the movement has been steadily from the farm to the city in England, the United States, and other large nations of the world. The peak of that tendency has been reached, the report states, and a reaction has set in in the opposite direction.

Major J. Baker White, secretary of the Economic League, which has been making a study of this new condition, said that "there is scarcely a small town in England which is not being industralized. It is surprising to find large factories springing up in little towns."

According to a government report on factors in industrial efficiency, it has been the accepted opinion that half the population of England lived in five industrial districts, comprising only one-tenth of the country's area, but that this will soon be no longer true.

"Present day changes, which aid in the trek back to the country," the report states, "are creating new jobs and destroying old ones. In 1921 there were 407,000 workers employed in shipbuilding and marine engineering, but last October there were only 282,000, a loss of 125,000.

"The largest and least suspected creator of new jobs has been the distributing trade, engaged in distributing commodities. The scattering of the population has naturally made great calls on it. There are now 327,000 more people employed in this trade than there were four years ago, namely, 1,581,000."

The Lake county nutrition meetings have been a fine thing for the housewives of the county. This is the sort of practical field work which makes the state college so valuable to the people of Oregon.—Lake County Tribune.

SUPREME JUSTICES GIVE 291 OPINIONS

Schedule But Four Months Behind; State Court Will Reconvene

Cases on appeal which the state supreme court will hear when it reconvenes September 1 will be but four months behind schedule, according to a statement prepared Tuesday night by the clerk, Arthur Benson. The court adjourned yesterday for its August vacation.

There were 261 cases argued and submitted on briefs since January 1 of this year, according to the statement. This was an average of 37 a month. New appeals filed since January 1 numbered 190. There are 122 cases now ready for argument, while 15 others will be ready by September 1.

A total of 249 opinions were written since January 1. Thirteen appeals were dismissed by written opinion, 35 cases were dismissed by oral order, while 234 appeals were disposed of with opinion on the merits. Fifty-seven petitions for rehearing were denied, with a total of 52 petitions for rehearing passed on by the court. Sixty-six sundry motions were filed, with 60 motions disposed of by the court.

HABERLY TO START THRESHING SEASON

Centerview-Evergreen Residents Attend Annual Minnesota Picnic

CENTERVIEW, Evergreen, July 31. — (Special.) — The Haberly threshing machine will begin its annual run Wednesday, August 1.

A number of relatives called at the home of Frank Egan Saturday to see Mrs. Egan who has been very ill with rheumatism and tonsilitis. The visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morley of Stayton, Mr. and Mrs. Greenburg of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Egan of Silverton. Tuesday Mrs. Earl Terry and son, Gene visited her.

Mr. and Mrs. Harbow and Miss Myrtle Moore of Portland were week-end guests at the A. A. Geer home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haevernick and grandchildren, Geraldine, Everett and Robert Dickman, returned Saturday from the coast where they had been enjoying themselves for a week.

Those from this district who attended the Minnesota club picnic in the Silverton park Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Longsdorf and little daughter, Mable, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ingleson and Mr. and Mrs. Edson Comstock and children, Roger and Janet.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Rice and family were guests at the Albert Nerison home east of Silverton Sunday.

Elvin and Elma Anderson entertained a group of young people at a supper party at their home on Paradise Alley Sunday evening.

The acreage known as the Pine Bluff ranch owned by George Weber of Silverton and rented to Henry Daly has been traded to a Mr. Johnson who operates a farm on the Salem highway. Mr. Weber took in city property.

Sailors arriving in New York report that the recent hot wave could be felt for a thousand miles out at sea. We had been lead to believe it was nice and cool beyond the nine-mile limit.

Indeed, this is the age of service. The hotels advertise roadhouse dinners and the roadhouses assure the customer that he is getting as good a meal as he could get at a hotel.—Detroit Free Press

NOVARRO PICTURE ACHIEVES PRAISE

"A Certain Young Man," is truly a moving picture. It is an example of just what can be done with the camera toward the development of a separate and distinct art, that neither depends upon inherited mechanics of the stage nor titles to emphasize its points. It is for this reason if for no other that "A Certain Young Man" is one of the finest comedy dramas of the year. This Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture began a two days' run last night at the Elsinore theater. It is a Hobart Henley production starring Ramon Novarro.

It is by far the finest picture that Hobart Henley has ever directed, not excluding "His Secretary," "Exchange of Wives," and "The Student Prince." Every scene is rounded out with an "art that conceals art." Though his production is the very essence of sophistication and cleverness, the mechanics are never apparent to the audience, nor in one's mind allowed to supersede the action as to the inevitability of a situation. Henley is not to be compared with any other director, for with this picture he has put himself into a class by himself.

Ramon Novarro, who stars in the production as Lord Jerry, has never given a better account of himself.

Needless to say, this role will, without doubt, increase his fan mail, by leaps and bounds, for it is the type of part that allows a great display of personal magnetism.

The cast includes Marceline Day, Renee Adoree, Carmel Myers, Bert Roach and Huntley Gordon.

PARISIAN DRAMA PROVES COLORFUL

"A Woman's Way," the Columbia production of the Oregon theater is tense, colorful drama of Parisian life. The plot revolves around a strange adventure in the underworld of the French city. There is a skilful blending of romance, adventure and tense dramatic action set against a background of the opera, Latin Quarter and cafes. Warner Baxter, Margaret Livingston and Armand Kaliz carry the story in exceptionally fine roles. Baxter appears as a clean-cut, daring American youth.

TUNNEY LEAVES BOXING RING FOR GOOD, WORD

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service overseas in the Marine corps, a moderate-sized youth unable to find a job anywhere else. In his ears were ringing the words of the snow-haired Commissioner Muldoon, erect and solid for all his 82 years, had just uttered, in awarding the heavyweight king a bronze trophy, "Gene Tunney, champion of champions."

"I have won the highest prize in boxing," he said. "I have defended it against the man from whom I won it and then against the best opponent a long series of eliminations could produce. I feel now that I am entitled to give it up in the most graceful manner possible.

"Every man owes something to his profession and I am not insensible to the duties I owe boxing. But I have been ten years now in the boxing game, and I feel that ten years in such a violent sport is sufficient. A man must be young to stand it and while I feel that I still am young, I wish to step out while I still am at the pinnacle."

Tunney then outlined a plan he has worked upon for some time with Commissioner Muldoon whereby his place can be filled through an elimination tournament. A trophy in the form of a huge four-sided cup will be placed in the hands of a committee of trustees, headed by Commissioner Muldoon and Tex Rickard, to be known as the "Muldoon-Tunney trophy." The cup will remain in the hands of the committee of 26 but on it will be inscribed the names of each successor to Gene's crown when the public recognizes them as such.

On one side of the trophy will be inscribed a list of the champions dating from John L. Sullivan, down to the day of Jack Dempsey. On the opposite the name of the old Manassa mauler will head the list and under it will be placed Tunney's name. Gene explained that Muldoon would accede to his plan only in the event that both names be joined in designating the cup.

In a way, Gene said, the award of this trophy would fulfill the contractural obligation he owes Tex Rickard to fight for him again in 1929. Under the agreement binding promoter and boxer, Gene already has fought Heeney. Rickard accepted the cup as completion of their mutual obligations. After pointing out what boxing has meant to him, detailing the friendships he had made, and explaining the attractiveness of the game as a sport, Gene read a prepared statement in which he set forth some of his reasons for retirement, but failed to mention definite plans for the future.

"It naturally is with a certain regret that I announce my permanent retirement from the ring," he read. "No man realized more than I do my debt to the game. It has treated me well. To it I owe such fame and fortune as I possess and it has given me something less ephemeral than fame—many real and warm friendships, which I hope and expect to keep through all the years to come.

"I always shall take a live and active interest in boxing. There is no finer physical exercise or more engrossing science. It is a game, which, properly conducted, teaches and develops such qualities as stamina, confidence, patience, self-denial, bodily fitness, mental alertness and courage.

"I have a great affection for boxing and one of my chief desires has been to leave the game better than I found it. I have tried to be not only a champion but a sportsman.

"But the time has come when professional boxing can offer me nothing further that I desire. I am putting it behind, grateful for benefits conferred but with the feeling that I am still young enough to make a new start in other fields.

"There is no contender at the present time who appears capable of attracting real public interest. If there were I might delay my retirement long enough to face him in the ring, but it looks as if it might be two or three years before a dangerous opponent is developed. That is too long to stand and wait.

"If I had fought again it would have been for Tex Rickard. I regard him as the foremost boxing promoter of all time. Realizing another champion will follow me, I can think of no more capable hands than Rickard's in which to leave the selection of such a man, especially as he will necessarily be guided by the advice and assistance of another man to whom I owe more than I can express. There could be no more fitting time than this for me to pay tribute to the untarnished honor, the wise counsel, the generous friendship and the lion's heart of that grand old man of sport, William Muldoon.

"Under these circumstances it is my desire to place in the hands of Tex Rickard a belt, or other suitable emblem of supremacy, to be awarded by him to that boxer who, through a series of elimination bouts or victories over the most formidable opponents that can be obtained, shall prove himself deserving of it.

"I have no thought of trying to nominate my successor. To the victor belongs the spoils. I merely step aside and say, 'May the best man win."

CLUB FETES WOMEN AT NORTH SANTIAM

Surprise Given For Members, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Witcraft

NORTH SANTIAM, July 31.—(Special).—At the regular meeting of the Ladies' club Thursday afternoon, a birthday surprise awaited Mrs. George Howard and Mrs. Clyde Witcraft whose birthdays come on that date. Gifts were given and a delicious lunch was served.

Those present included Mrs Bert Keithley, Mrs. Leland Keithley, Mrs. Willis Keithley, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. Clyde Witcraft and daughter Helen, Mrs. Glenn McClellan, Mrs. Parker and little son, Jackie, Mrs. Anna Huddleston and daughter Lela, Mrs. C. L. Young, Mrs. O. E. Bond, Mrs. Stanley McLaughlin, Ona Maple, Mrs. Wiley Angel, Mrs. Ben Browning, and two visiting nurses.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Reeves of Asotin, Wash., are visiting with Roy Reeves and family at Nehama and O. E. Bonds of North Santiam. Mr. and Mrs. Reeves are here for an extended visit and plan to go on to California to spend the winter there.

Robert Young who arrived from Los Angeles Wednesday, will spend the summer with his father, C. L. Young.

Miss Elma Powell of Tyee is visiting in the homes of her aunts, Mrs. Huddleston and Mrs. Cobb.

Mrs. Nannie Griffin, who sold her property here to Rolla Coburn, has moved to her new home in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Coburn and children, Dawn and Armond and Mrs. Grace Sutherland, who have been visitors in the home of Mrs. Coburn's uncle, Wiley Angel, the past week, left Monday for their homes in Los Gatos, California.

Mrs. Floyd Huddleston and baby Janice Marie from Hornbrook, Calif., and Mrs. Huddleston's sister, Miss Marie Andersen of Fresno, who have been visiting in the O. W. Cobb home the past week went to Willamina Sunday. After a few days' visit with friends there Miss Anderson will return to her home in Fresno. Mrs. Huddleston will continue her visit some time longer.

Sunday visitors in the Chastain home included Mr. and Mrs. Dan Crockett and children, Dorothy and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gardner and children, Golda Ruth, Marcus, Melvin, Gladys, Vivian and Junior of Mill City; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Chastain and children, Bernice and Delores of this place, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Haynes and baby Donald and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chastain of Brooks, and Everett and Hazel Powell of Independence.

COOLIDGE PLANNING NO G. O. P. ACTIVITY

President Expects to Do Nothing More Than Just Stick to Job

SUPERIOR, Wis., July 31—(AP)—President Coolidge's chief part in Secretary Hoover's campaign for the presidency will be to continue so to conduct public affairs as to appeal to the electorate and move them to return the republican party to power in November.

Apart from this Mr. Coolidge has agreed to undertake no special activities in the compaign.

His contributions to Mr. Hoover's campaign, the chief executive feels, antedate the commerce secretary's nomination as republican standard bearer, inasmuch as ever since he was sworn in as president of the United States on August 2, 1923, Mr. Coolidge has always striven to give the country a government which worked to the voters' satisfaction and benefit.

Mr. Coolidge will continue pursuing such a policy for the rest of his term in office. Inasmuch as Mr. Coolidge was assured by Chairman Work of the national republican committee that continuation of the present administration's policies would be made the chief issue in the campaign by Secretary Hoover.

It was thought here that Mr. Coolidge, in addition to such passive aid in the campaign, will be ready to help more actively from time to time as occasion may suggest, to the extent of his power.

On account of the shortness of the next session of congress, Mr. Coolidge sees little opportunity to inaugurate any new policy at this late hour in the life of his administration. For this reason he believes that it will be impossible for congress, upon reconvening next December to revise the tariff act so as to increase protection on agricultural products. It was indicated, however, that Mr. Coolidge would not oppose on principle a move to raise such schedules.

PARIS, LONDON ENTER TREATY TO CUT NAVIES

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work that broke down when the powers found themselves in disaccord in discussions provoked by the league of nations' preparatory commission for disarmament.

Communique Issued

"On the part of France," tonight's communique says, "the superior council of national defense assembled June 13 after having taken cognizance of the results of conversations wherein foreign Minister Briand, and M. Paul-Boncour (chairman of the foreign affairs committee of the chamber of deputies) participated as well as complementary propositions brought forward by Georges Leygues (Minister of Marine) to serve as a base for an eventual accord and the council issued the necessary instructions for continuance of the negotiations. It is these negotiations which have ended under conditions fully safeguarding our naval interests, France and England have the firm hope that other naval powers will be able to concur in this compromise which is to be communicated to them."

U. S. Not Displeased

WASHINGTON, July 31.—(AP)—The Franco-British compromise formula proposed as a solution of the naval disarmament deadlock in which the preliminary disarmament conference of Geneva is enmeshed probably will prove acceptable to the United States as a member of that conference.

In advance of a study of the forthcoming British communication on the subject, government spokesmen appeared today to see no objection to the plan and they anticipated it would result in the reconvening of the Geneva preliminary conference, probably in the fall.

French Idea Carried Out

The terms of the Franco-British understanding are believed in a general way to agree with the French theory that an all-embracive naval tonnage total be assigned to each power under the projected universal disarmament, or rather limitation of armament, treaty, for which the League of Nations hopes to pave the way through the deliberations of the preliminary conference. To reconcile this with the British point of view, also shared at Geneva by the United States and Japan, France is willing it is understood, that a specific construction program for each category of combat ships within the limits of the total or global tonnage allotment shall be laid down by treaty.

Subs Vital Issue

The construction treaty, however, whether incorporated in a general disarmament project which would include land as well as sea armaments, or handled as a separate treaty matter, would be effective only for a definite period of time, such at 10 years, within which time each nation would agree not to exceed the specific tonnage in any category.

The nub of the whole matter, it is believed here, is that at last France and Great Britain appear to have arrived at a solution of the difficulty in regard to construction of submarines which prevented extension of the Washington five-power naval reduction treaty to other than capital ships and aircraft carriers so far as tonnage limitations went. It was French rejection of any limitation of submarine construction that led the British then to decline to accede to any limitation on anti-submarine craft, such as cruisers, destroyers and smaller vessels.

MINCING LANE HONEST STREET

England's principal foreign produce mart, Mincing Lane, annually witnesses transactions involving millions of dollars based only on verbal agreements. Produce from all the imperial colonies is bought and sold there.

West Coast Theatres Denies Trade Restraint

WASHINGTON, July 31 (AP)—A general denial of the Federal Trade Commission's complaint charging the West Coast Theaters, Inc., and other California show houses with restraint of trade, was entered today in a brief filed with the commission.

Jurisdiction of the commission was challenged in the brief, which declared that it had failed to prove the existence of a monopoly or that the respondents had engaged in interstate commerce.

Amelia Earhart Donates $1500 to Byrd Expedition

NEW YORK, July 31—(AP)—Miss Amelia Earhart, the first woman to fly across the Atlantic ocean, today sent a check for $1500 to Commander Richard E. Byrd as her contribution to the Byrd Antarctic expedition.

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A Thrilling Story of Alaskan Gold Rush Days
BURNING DAYLIGHT
Doris Kenyon

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LAST TIMES TODAY
RAMON NOVARRO
in
A Certain Young Man
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And On the Screen
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OREGON
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Columbia Pictures presents
"A Woman's Way"
with
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We carry in stock over 115 legal blanks suited to most any business transactions. We may have just the form you are looking for at a big saving as compared to made to order forms.
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