

Schools Announce Dates for Opening Fall Term Activities

Classes Start In September

Independence, Rickreall, Scio, Plan Activity For 1936-37

SCIO, Aug. 15.—Monday, September 14, will be the opening day for Scio high school for the 1936-37 term, according to plans scheduled by J. H. Tumbleton, principal of the school.

Enrollment this year is expected to top the 120 mark, a small increase over the registration for the year just past. A number of students in the immediate environs of Scio have already registered for courses.

The home room system of registration will be employed during Tumbleton.

Classes will convene at 9 a. m. with three one-hour periods until 12 noon. The afternoon will consist of four 45-minute periods beginning at 12:45.

Five teachers will instruct in the high school this year, one more than the previous term.

J. H. Tumbleton, re-elected, will instruct in mechanical drawing and vocational courses, together with administration.

Cecil Elder, re-elected, will teach U. S. and world history, social problems, economics, and boys' physical education and health.

Frances Patterson, re-elected, will instruct in typing, bookkeeping, sewing, and girls' athletics and health.

Mary Ellen March, 1936 graduate of Pacific university, has been selected to teach English and Latin, filling the vacancy left by Bernice Newhouse.

Another teacher is yet to be selected by the school board for science and mathematics classes.

Physical education will be required of all high school students for the coming year, according to Tumbleton.

The school board will open bids for rewiring of the school building at an early meeting. Other planned improvements are installation of shower rooms in the gymnasium, additional magazines and books for the high school library, and refinishing the floors in the school building.

Rickreall Opening Set
RICKREALL, Aug. 15.—The

opening day of the Rickreall schools has been set for September 21.

Miss Pearl Erre is the only one of the faculty to return this year and four new teachers have been secured, with Ernest Caley as superintendent of schools.

Jess Ragdale and Harry Dempsey will again drive the school buses as last year.

Mrs. Kelley Resigns
INDEPENDENCE, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Roberts Kelley, who has been one of the high school faculty members for four years, handed in her resignation this last week to Principal Paul E. Robinson.

Mrs. Kelley taught freshman and sophomore English, library and debate.

She will go to Longview, Wash., to live where her husband is employed.

This is the third vacancy to occur in the high school this year. The commercial position has been filled by Edith Bear of Albany and the home economics position by Helen West of Seaside.

Both are especially trained in their field.

Repairs Discussed
Arthur Lowe, a Salem architect, met with the school board and together they went through the local high school checking where repairs must be made, and debating the advisability of repairing or enlarging the present structure and estimating costs.

Lowe will meet with the board next Thursday night when he will present several plans of repairs to them.

The present plant is in need of repairs, especially to the south wing, basement heating plant, more space and a new roof.

Coronation of Queen Will Begin Festivities of Annual Hop Fiesta

INDEPENDENCE, Aug. 15.—The birth of pageantry in connection with the third annual hop fiesta will be signaled by the coronation of the queen on Thursday night, August 28. This will open a three-day fiesta in which sports and entertainment with hundreds of townfolk in the role of entertainers and their guests the great irrigation of hop pick-

ers assembling for three weeks of activity.

The grand floral parade will be staged on Friday morning, August 29. Gerald Kelley is parade director. The parade is promising to be even greater than last year with floats, band, comic riders and marching bodies.

Rodeo Daily
Each afternoon of the three-day celebration there will be a rodeo staged in the hop bowl. Ray Adams has charge of this major attraction. Many outstanding riders, ropers and bulldozers will compete for prizes.

A special feature event will be the Cinderella pageant, a fairyland story of hop land, which will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. George Nason of Portland, using over 100 local children in the cast. Special backgrounds and sets are being constructed and rehearsals are being held daily.

Other attractions include dances, carnivals, matinee and pet shows.

The contest now being conducted to elect a queen, crown princess, and four princesses to rule over the big celebration, is proving to be a closely contested affair.

Twelve Complete
Twelve young ladies, six of whom live in Independence, two in Monmouth and four representing respectively, Silverton, Valsetz, Salem and Portland, are vying for the Royal Court places in the hop fiesta.

Leadership changes daily as the friends of the candidates rally to support their favorites.

Hold Top Place
Miss Margie Inman of Silverton, who is sponsored by Abaqua Arias of Eagles of Salem and other candidates in votes cast up to Friday night; second, Georgia Housley, sponsored by Williams Drug company; third, Loretta Burchfield, sponsored by the 4-L and Valsetz; Millie Brooks, sponsored by Monmouth Cooperative.

Independence, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Ida Mae Phelps, widow of the late A. H. Phelps, died at the home of Mrs. Lillie Fisher on Tuesday, August 11. Mrs. Fisher was caring for her during her illness. Mrs. Phelps died on April 2, 1935, while he was serving as city recorder.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Keeney Funeral home at 3 p. m., with Rev. R. W. Porter officiating. Interment was in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Mrs. Phelps was born at Albany, Oregon on April 15, 1869, and spent her childhood days there. She was united in marriage to Mr. Phelps at Newport, April 17, 1887. They came to Independence seven years ago.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lillie Augusta Long of Portland; three sons, Tommy Eskine, Eugene, Harry Glenn and Ernest Claude of Corvallis; Jesse Edmond of Valsetz; and David Lewis of Beaverton; 16 grand children; and two great grandchildren; brother, John Lewis of Pendleton; four sisters, Mrs. Emma Hodges of Roseburg; Mrs. Ada Hanan of Scio; Mrs. Lulu Carter of Albany and Mrs. Rosa Davis of Portland.

Shields Remodels House
Purchased at Jefferson
JEFFERSON, Aug. 15.—L. L. Shields is remodeling his house on Third street which he recently purchased. The work includes papering and painting, and the kitchen, the woodshed and bedroom at the rear have been torn down. A garage, bathroom and breakfast room will be added to the house. The garage will have a cement floor with laundry space at one end.

David Wied, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wied of Jefferson accompanied Judge Bean of Salem on a two weeks vacation trip at the Judge's summer cottage in the Blue mountains of eastern Oregon.

Some improvements have been made at the local telephone office this week. A motor driven magneto to ringing set has been installed. Formerly all the calls were made with a hand crank.

Mrs. Nicholas Welter and small daughter of Warm Springs, Miss Enid Nelson, of Chehalis, Wash., were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Welter's mother, Mrs. Emma Whedbee.

Sick Man Brought Home From Hospital Session
WHEATLAND, Aug. 15.—George May, 70, who has been at the McMinnville hospital for a month receiving treatments preparatory for an operation was brought home Friday to rest among relatives.

John Brown who has suffered after effects of injuries to his arm when he fell from the back porch of his home last winter is improving.

Mrs. Smith Fields who has been ill at her home for some time is slightly improved.

Max Lytle Leases Store At Hayesville to Woelke
HAYESVILLE, Aug. 15.—Max Lytle has leased his store to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Woelke of Hazel Green who will take possession Saturday, August 15. Their son, Billy, will attend the Hayesville school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lytle will occupy the tenant house of the Andressen place for the coming year, but will vacate at the coast until school opens to improve Mr. Lytle's health.

Scioans with a yen for huckleberries are trekking up the slopes of Snow Peak 20 miles east of Scio. The berries are reported large and plentiful this season.

Gentle Wheat Yields 52 Bu.

Grey Oats Goes 100 Bu., Barley 64 Following Alfalfa Growing

MONMOUTH, Aug. 15.—Some big grain yields on alfalfa soil in Polk are being harvested. On the Gentle farm, 6 acres of alfalfa planted 2 years ago, planted in corn in 1934, was seeded to a club winter wheat last fall. The yield is 52 bushels per acre, and so heavy was the stand that fully one-third went flat during heavy June rains.

Ernest Ziesche, Parker farmer, plowed under 40 acres of alfalfa last fall, seeding 15 acres to grey winter oats, and 25 to Hancon spring barley. The oats yielded 100 bushels to the acre; the barley 64.

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Grangers' News

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Mrs. Don Kuhn complimented her daughter, Arlene, with a party on her third birthday. The young guests were Donna Dee Hindman, Delores Dietz, Maxine and Shirley Davenport and Donnie Kuhn. Mrs. Vernie Hindman, Mrs. Joe Griffin and Mrs. Glen Davenport were also present. The games were followed by a luncheon of which a lovely decorated cake with marshmallow rabbits was the main feature.

Mrs. Fanny Moore is having her home reshingled, painted and kalsomined before the coming of winter.

Mrs. Arthur Hathaway's sister, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coates, and his mother, all from Grand Junction, Colo., and Mrs. Hathaway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brookshire of Washington are visiting her for a short time.

Mrs. Phil Hathaway gave a dinner Friday complimenting Mrs. Glenn Davenport on her birthday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davenport and children, Maxine and Shirley and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hathaway and daughter, Delores.

Plans Meetings
STATTON, Aug. 15.—The officers and chairmen of the various committees of the Statton chamber of commerce met at a dinner meeting at the Bon Ton Friday night for the purpose of outlining plans for the coming season's meetings. One of the matters discussed was the placing of stop signs at various highway intersections in Statton where numerous accidents have occurred.

The secretary was instructed to correspond with James W. Mott, United States representative in congress, arranging for a speaking date for him during the middle of September. Mr. Harry Rowe was selected as chairman of the entertainment committee for the coming year to arrange entertainments for outside communities waiting the services of the Statton chamber of commerce. The matter of organizing a band was discussed.

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1. Anyone but employees and relatives of employees of Nelson Bros. may enter.
2. All entries must be written on one side of paper only. Each word is to be numbered consecutively.
3. Deadline for all entries is August 22nd; any entries postmarked later than August 22nd will not be eligible for this contest.
4. Announcement of prize winners will be made as soon as possible after contest deadline. Winners will be notified by contest sponsors.
5. In case of ties, judges will award prize to the one who has submitted the best slogan with his list.
6. Decisions of judges are final.
7. Only words of 2 or more letters count!

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