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PRINEVILLE IS DEBATE LOSER

B. H. S. QUALIFIES FOR SECOND ROUND

Judges Give Unanimous Decision For Affirmative Team Debating Here, And Negative Team At Prineville Gets One of Three.

By gaining the votes of all three judges and by securing one of the three votes in the forensic competition at Prineville, Bend debaters won the preliminary round in the state interscholastic series of debates held last night. As the result of this victory, the affirmative and negative teams will compete with Redmond on February 25 and the winner of this contest will meet The Dalles on March 11 for the district championship. The district winners will go to Eugene for the final round, which will pick the state champions.

Emma Lou Myers and Ben Garske upheld the affirmative for B. H. S. at the school auditorium, Ervin McNeal and Paul Reynolds taking the negative at Prineville. Statement of the question for Bend's affirmative team, with an excellent opening constructive argument, was given by Miss Myers, Garske giving the supporting argument and handling the rebuttal as well as his set speech with unusual ability. Elsie Grant started Prineville's negative debate, Hazen Cram taking the supporting speech.

Judges for the local contest were W. C. Painter of La Pine and E. O. Stadter and Rev. J. Edgar Purdy of Bend. Mr. Purdy was chosen by the two teams when Miss Erma Laird of Madras, originally named on the board of judges, failed to appear.

The question, "Resolved, That the state of Oregon should adopt a system of unemployment insurance," was of much interest to the people of the city and was no doubt responsible for the large turnout. The question is shall Oregon adopt some systematic plan in which laborers who are unable to obtain work shall be given a small amount of insurance, an amount sufficient to keep them from becoming state charges. W. P. Myers of Bend acted as chairman.

Miss Myers, the first speaker outlined the principal points that the affirmative would attempt to establish, in addition to explaining the question and the different words and phrases that it would be necessary to use.

Miss Grant, the first negative speaker, pointed out the fallacy of the proposed system and introduced a new plan for removing causes of unemployment.

Garske strengthened the argument for unemployment insurance, showing it was practicable, workable, and that in many countries it was successful. As to the causes of unemployment, he stated that he did not think his opponents' argument and plans would work out and, in support of this, quoted prominent men who have studied the causes of unemployment.

Cram pointed to the failure of the California insurance attempt and, as a means of preventing unemployment suggested a system of labor exchange. He also stated that Oregon did not have any system of taking care of labor surplus.

Miss Grant, in rebuttal, quoted from different sources to show that her opponents had received the wrong impression regarding unemployment insurance.

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TEAM READY TO BATTLE MADRAS

SECOND GAME WILL BE PLAYED TONIGHT

J. Young And Gard Most Formidable of Visiting Quintet—Johnson Takes Howell's Place—Contest May Be Decisive.

The Bend high school basketball team will meet the quintet from Madras at the gym tonight. The last game, played with Madras on its home floor, resulted in a victory for Madras, 40 to 17.

The Bend team, playing on its own floor, and with the support of the students, is expected to play a fast, winning game.

The stars of the Madras team are J. Young and Gard, who can shoot baskets from any part of the floor. So far Madras is the leader in the Central Oregon series. The team has had constant practice and is said to be in better form than at any time before.

Due to the sickness of Howell, Elmer Johnson, who distinguished himself in the Junior-Freshmen game, will take his place at forward.

The winners of this game will probably be the winners of the championship. The probable lineup is:

Bend	Position	Madras
Brosterhous	C.	Falkenheimer
Orrell	F.	Gard
Johnson	F.	J. Young
Coyner	G.	C. Young
Loehr	G.	

BEND HIGH HAS NEW TEACHER

Last Monday morning E. C. Miller, instructor of sophomore English and ancient history, succeeded Miss Agnes Campbell as a member of the Bend high school faculty.

Mr. Miller is well qualified for his work. He is a graduate of the University of Lebanon, Ohio. For 14 years previous to his coming to Bend he was principal of the Bancroft high school of Spokane. This school has about 25 teachers and 700 students.

Mr. Miller has charge of the junior basketball teams and intends to organize a baseball team. He has played professional baseball in Dayton, Ohio.

Upon being asked what he thought of Bend, Mr. Miller said: "I sought a beautiful, isolated place and found it in Bend."

BOYS' GLEE CLUB MAKES APPEARANCE

The Boys' Glee club of the Bend high school appeared before the assembly for the first time Monday, when they gave the song, "Mah Punkin' Sue," in parts and the song, "The Crows," as an encore.

The songs were quite successful, the glee club showing much promise, although some of the boys were making their first appearance in public and seemed uncomfortable during the performance.

The club, composed of Ervin McNeal and Stewart Rae, tenors; Wilbur Watkins, LaVerne Whitmore and Lester Smith, first bass; and Thomas Going, Hugh Kelley and Gerald Hick, second bass, is planning to appear again near the end of the term.

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From Here and There In Bend High School

It would be advisable for some students to take up art, according to reports.

Miss Williams—Who was the wife of Louis XVI, Dee?

Dee McRoberts—She was the wife of Marie Theresa; her name was Anthony. (Class giggles.)

Dee—Well, she had a queer name, anyway, and she was quite different from Louis.

The Lowell Literary society organized Monday night and the following officers were elected: Anna Mary McKinley, president; Helen Sumner, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Grant was appointed advisor and material for a program has been sent for and work will be started on it at once.

Miss Lorence has loaned Henry Colver a fountain pen, so there will probably be no more ink escapades.

Miss Spoor (to class in expression)

—Be sure and look up the synonyms for these words.

Toomey—What if they have no synonyms?

Miss Spoor—All words have.

Toomey—Supposing these are the synonyms, not the words?

The SA elected officers for this semester Monday night as follows: Erma Lehrman, president; Anna Mary McKinley, vice president; Harriet Heyburn, secretary-treasurer; and Wallace Rose, sergeant-at-arms.

Miss Williams was unable to meet her classes Thursday and Friday on account of illness.

The domestic art class made curtains last week for all the windows in their classroom.

Miss Churchman announces that the typewriting room is so popular that all the machines are taken in class hours and the room is crowded before and after school.

AS THE EDITORS SEE IT

With the introduction of our new system of pink slips we have heard many complaints from the students, many of whom have not properly understood the system. The faculty does not intend to introduce anything that will work hardships upon any students. There have been, and there may still be a few students who stay away from school any time that they think they have a slight sickness. To the students who come to school regularly and who do not take little vacations, it does not seem fair that they should receive no more credit for their work than the others who do. Most of the students will not be affected by making up work and those that do will soon become used to it. If they take vacations without any excuse they will soon give up this practice and if it is imperative that they stay out they will be only too glad to make up their

work and receive added credit.

The question has been asked: "What will happen if I am out for a week or more?" At first this seems to work a hardship upon the unfortunate person, for he would be required to remain in the detention room almost every night during the remainder of the term. In a case like this, and also in other cases that the teacher thinks that the student knows the work, she may give him special work to do, or she may excuse him altogether from this work.

In other schools where this system has been tried out it was found to be a great success and the students have all been in favor of renewing it each semester.

Taking all that can be said against this system and all that we can think of for it, we are sure that it is a great improvement for the school.

JOKES

The jokes in an annual are the spice of the whole book. We want this year's pilot to be enlivened by several pages of jokes of high school affairs that you would like to remember. The joke department of an annual is just what the student care to make it. They can contribute jokes, suggestions and anecdotes, making it funny and interesting. Some have the idea that the student who has charge of the jokes just manufactures them at his leisure and the success of the department is due entirely to the said student. This is wrong, for the one who has the joke department is not the author of the jokes, but collects, arranges and types them for publication.

For your convenience a joke box has been placed in the assembly on the dictionary shelf by the stairs leading to the balcony. When you hear a comical remark or see an amusing incident, please jot it down and drop it into the box. Let's make our annual worth while in every respect.

Piccadilly's Origin.

"Tipperary," the marching song which had such a vogue in 1914, refers to Piccadilly, London, England. One story is that the place was named after the Piccadilla hall, where a certain kind of lace much in vogue during the reign of Queen Elizabeth was made. The lace was called piccadilly because of its spear points, a diminutive of plea, a pike or spear. Piccadilly was once famous for its gambling houses. In one of these, run by Walter, the prince regent's cook, Beau Brummel won \$75,000 in ten minutes and insisted upon giving one-half to Sheridan.

And No "Spare."

"Is the human mind tireless?" queries the Literary Digest. No, we should say, but it is running pretty flat.

THE STAFF

Editor-in-Chief: Lester Smith.

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Absent Students Must Make Up For Lost Work

A new system of allowing students who have been absent from school to make up work has been introduced into the Bend high school by Mr. Paulson, the principal.

Under this system any student who presents an acceptable excuse to the principal may be allowed to make up any work he may have missed while being absent from school. This may be done after school in the detention room, or in any other way that the teacher may direct.

GIRLS SERVE DAINY LUNCH

A delicious luncheon was served Friday noon in the domestic science dining room by Miss Miller's advanced third period class. A beautiful cyclamen held the center of the tastefully decorated table. The place cards were miniature American flags, suggestive of Lincoln's birthday. The dainty repast consisted of banana salad, Lucanian egg, potatoes, biscuits, marshmallow pudding cake and coffee. The guests were: Miss Spoor, Miss Churchman, Miss Kenny and Mrs. Sanders. Lola Whitmore acted as waitress.

The luncheon was the fourth of a series being given by the domestic science classes.

Modern Treasure Islands.

Situated in the Pacific ocean, nearly midway between America and Asia, is Nauru, a barren bit of rock only twelve miles in circumference. Thirty or forty years ago almost anybody could have had it for the asking. Today it is worth untold millions, owing to the belated discovery that the whole island is neither more nor less than a mass of phosphate rock, soil fertilizer well known to agriculturists. In Conception bay, Newfoundland, is Bell Island, sold by its original owner many years ago for \$100. It changed hands again for \$2,000,000. This enormous rise in value was due to the discovery that the island is composed almost entirely of iron ore. For years previously shipmasters had been in the habit of taking the heavy, easily handled rock for ballast, dumping it overboard with the utmost unconcern when they loaded up with cargo. Then one day a captain more curious than the others had the strange-looking "rock" assayed and his fortune was made.

Constant Guard Against Forgery.

The secret marks on Bank of England notes, by which forgeries are detected, are constantly being changed. The microscope reveals many such peculiarities to an observant eye.

B. H. S. OBSERVES LINCOLN'S DAY

PROGRAM PRESENTED A DAY AHEAD

American National Air, Biographical Sketch And Gettysburg Address Feature Morning Assembly of Student Body.

Friday at 11:30 o'clock an assembly was held to commemorate Lincoln's birthday, in which Edward Brosterhous and Thomas Going were the speakers. There was also singing and yelling by the assembly.

The program opened with "America," led by Mrs. Travis and sung by the school. Then Edward Brosterhous gave a biographical sketch of Abraham Lincoln. He was followed by Thomas Going who delivered Lincoln's Gettysburg address. After this the school sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning" and closed with "The Star-Spangled Banner." The meeting was then turned over to the yell leader.

In the biographical sketch Brosterhous emphasized the greatness of Lincoln and what he did for the United States. He spoke of the difficulties Lincoln had to contend with in his career and of his tragic death. He also mentioned the Lincoln memorial at Washington, D. C.

Going prefaced his speech with a few introductory remarks about Lincoln's literary works and of how the Gettysburg address was written. He then repeated the address in a very creditable manner.

Some difficulty was encountered in singing "The Star-Spangled Banner," as the students did not know the third verse, but the other verses were sung creditably.

The school, led by Buell Orrell, gave a few yells for the teams which debated with Prineville.

Fake and Truth About the Aspen.

The aspen leaf is said to quiver because the cross of the crucifixion was made of this wood. The fact is that the leaf is broad, and placed on a long leaf-stalk so flexible as scarcely to be able to support it in an upright position. The upper part of the stalk is flattened, and being at right angles with the leaf, is peculiarly liable to be moved by the faintest breath of air.

Original "Limerick."

The word is said to have been adopted as a name for a certain kind of nonsense rhyme because an old song current in Ireland, which had the same verse construction, contained the place name, "Limerick."



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