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### REPORT OF SPELLING CONTEST

Following is the report of the spell-  
ing contest for rural schools, held  
November 15, as made by County  
School Superintendent H. C. Sey-  
mour.

Fourth grade—First place, Oak Point  
Etna and Sunnyslope, tie, 100 per  
cent; second place, Harmony, Con-  
cord, tie, 96 per cent; third place  
Salt Creek, 92 per cent.

Fifth Grade—First place, Goose-  
neck, Etna, tie, 100 per cent; second  
place, Sunnyslope, Concord, Lone Star  
tie, 98 per cent; third place, Enter-  
prise, McCoy, Cherrygrove, Rogue  
River, tie, 96 per cent.

Sixth Grade—First place, Eola 100  
per cent; second place, Powells Camp  
98 per cent; third place, Parkers, Oak  
Point, Enterprise, tie, 97 per cent.

Seventh Grade—First place, Enter-  
prise, Etna, McCoy, tie, 100 per cent;  
second place, Pedes, Parkers, High-  
land, tie, 98 per cent; third place, Dis-  
trict 15, Cherry Grove, tie, 96 per  
cent.

Eighth Grade—First place, Sunnys-  
slope, 100 per cent; second place, Ze-  
na, Elkins, Pioneer, tie, 99 per cent;  
third place, Butler, Oak Point, tie,  
97 per cent.

To all schools winning first place  
a certificate of award is being sent,  
and as there are six contests during  
the school year, to all schools win-  
ning four or more of the small cer-  
tificates a large certificate will be  
sent.

In the first contest all but eight  
schools in the county took part and  
nearly all made excellent grades,  
above 90 per cent. Now this work is  
being done for the benefit of the  
children and in the hope of improv-  
ing the spelling. For this reason it  
is hoped that every progressive teach-  
er and every progressive school in  
the county will take part in the rest  
of the contests. You may not win  
but the benefit the child will re-  
ceive will pay for all the extra trou-  
ble.

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