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of education, have written the two leading articles in this year's publication of the Bulletin of the educational department of the university. The Bulletin is issued by the institution as a report to the state on experiments tried and found successful by different instructors.

The junior two's were entertained with a personally conducted tour through the oriental art museum at the Woman's building on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Murray Warner told interesting stories about the history of different objects of interest in this collection, and chocolate with cake was served to the students.

The solid geometry class which Miss Rose McGrew teaches at the 10:30 o'clock period, has taken up a new subject this week. They are studying pentagons, hexagons, a pentagondodecahedron is a solid composed of twelve five-sided figures. All propositions on the subject are to be in by Friday of this week.

The senior two English class are studying a new book, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin and Other Poems," by Robert Browning, while the junior two class in English have taken up the study of Burroughs' book on "Birds and Bees."

Mr. Harold Benjamin's article on "Why Study History" has been accepted by the Historical magazine. Mr. Benjamin has written several other articles on various subjects which have appeared in different educational magazines.

Mr. Hollen Dickerson, supervisor of the history department, who has been unable to meet his classes for the past two weeks on account of illness, resumed his work Tuesday morning. Miss Ethel Wakefield, Mr. Benjamin, and Mr. Spencer had charge of his classes during his absence.

Monday morning the eleven o'clock civics class has somewhat startled as they experienced an entirely different grading system for their day's work. During the absence of Mr. Dickerson, the instructor, Mr. Benjamin had charge of the class, while during his absence, Mr. Spencer, of the mathematics department, was drafted into the list of substituting teachers to add his own to Mr. Dickerson's blue grade book. On Monday morning Mr. Benjamin returned. The students barely had time to glance at the first two or three pages of that day's assignment when the new experience began. Much to their surprise one of the "brilliant" boys of the class was called upon to take the chair. He did so without a moment's hesitation, evidently thinking that he had been called upon to "give" the class. Difficult questions that he might make the class uncomfortable with began to loom up in his active cerebration. Suddenly he smiled, as a particularly good thought came to his mind, but suddenly it faded away. What was that Mr. Benjamin was saying? Really, how provoking, and especially when one forgot the assignment made on Friday, or when one was so busy, or had the spring fever! The plan, as Mr. Benjamin explained it, was to discover how much the civics class had learned during his absence. Different individuals were called upon to sit at his desk while the class in general was privileged to put questions.

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Notes from Hendricks High

Seniors Juniors' Guests
Game Won by University High
Paintings Are Received
Girl Reserves Entertain

The seniors were the guests of the junior class at an entertainment given on Friday evening, May 11, in the high school auditorium, which was decorated in the class colors, periwinkle blue and salmon pink. A program consisting of a May pole dance, music, readings, and several short skits was presented at this time. Refreshments were served in May baskets later in the evening. Those in charge of the affair were Tom Hall, Ralph Newman, Alice Kerr, Beatrice Manson, and Clara Whitton.

In a hard-fought game last Tuesday the university frosh baseball team was returned victor over the H. H. S. squad. The score at the end of the fifth inning was 7 to 3 in favor of the freshmen but they were crushed by the local team, the score ending 7 to 9.

Carson for the U. of O. babies struck out five, while Springate of Hendricks whiffed two. The batteries were Carson, Williams, Slade and Bliss, for the frosh, and Springate and Keeney for the high school. Wallace Winter umpired.

The Lane County Red Cross association has donated to the high school library three reproductions of paintings of the cathedral at Rheims, which was destroyed by the Germans in the late war. The pictures were given to the high school with the condition that they are to be framed.

The parent-teacher association of the high school are making preparations to have the pictures framed. It is possible that the manual training department will do the work. Since the cathedral was demolished, the value of the pictures will increase with time. They are now valued at \$150.

Fourteen juniors have recently been selected by the members of the Athenian Literary society to carry on the work of the organization next year. As it is strictly a senior honorary society, only those students who have the highest grades are considered for membership. Following is the list selected: Delia Hill, Clara Whitton, Anita Williams, Beatrice Manson, Veronia Wizenried, Helen Jacobs, Vada-belle Brown, Marguerite Fishwood, Donald Ostrander, Carrol Williams, Howard Eberhart, Edward Best, Rogers Kimberling.

In honor of the senior girls the girl reserves entertained on Wednesday, May 9. Grace Potter gave a clarinet solo and Beatrice Milligan gave two readings. Short talks were made by Ruth Richmond and Marjorie Horton on the work of the G. R. in the high school. After the program refreshments were served.

Junior High School Notes

Exciting Game Is Lost
Girls Play First Game
Physical Exhibition Planned
Girl Scouts Get Pins

(Edited by Mildred Butler and Wallace Campbell.)
The Junior high boys' baseball team lost an exciting game at St. Mary's team Friday, May 4. The first eight innings were loosely played, the score being 5 to 1. But in the ninth inning Junior high four runs and the bases were full when a pop fly was caught by St. Mary's first baseman and the game was over, with a score of 9 to 5 in favor of St. Mary's.

The girls' indoor baseball team played their first game Wednesday afternoon with the Geary girls. In the first few innings the Junior high girls piled up a lead of several runs, but Geary girls overcame that lead and at the end of the game were ahead by a score of 17 to 12. The girls have had very little practice and it is expected that they will do better in their next games.

The domestic science classes, under the direction of Miss Hazel Strief, will study camp cooking next week. Meals will be prepared out-of-doors, which will make the study more realistic and definitely practical.

A special opportunity class has been organized by Miss Kinsey, head of the English department. This class meets every night after school and is conducted for those students who are having difficulty in the preparation of their work. The time of the class is determined by the personal needs of the students.

Eight freshmen have entered the Terrill cup contest. The list now contains the names of the following: Max Rubenstein, Forrest Halliday, Wendell Judd, Elmer Thompson, Hazel Poindexter, Elma Intaman, Beatrice Milligan, and Margaret Edmondson.

The tryouts are being held after school this week, and the finals will take place May 16, during the assembly.

Two girls and two boys are to be chosen to uphold the class in the final contest. The winners will have their names inscribed on the silver cup.

Plans for the final week of school have been formulated and announced. The examinations will be one hour in length and will be held on Tuesday, May 22. Wednesday is a holiday and Thursday the students will be excused while the teachers are preparing the reports which will be ready on Friday. A grade of II is required in order to obtain exemptions this year.

Harrisburg School Notes

Students Have Pictures Taken
"Exams" Order of the Day
School Paper Nearly Ready
Senior Reception Held

HARRISBURG, Ore., May 12—(Special to the Register).—One of the big annual events for the students during the school year took place Thursday afternoon when the taking of pictures of the school became the main event. It was thought that this would occur Tuesday, but the Eugene photographer could not get here until Thursday. Pictures of all the teachers and Professor Weber, of each class in the high school, were taken in addition to pictures of the different grades and the high school student body. The usual large number of these pictures will be secured by the students, both of the large and small sizes.

A piano solo by Miss Bernice Baldwin of the freshman class was the only selection given on the part of the students at the regular weekly chapel exercises in high school Monday morning, but this was really rendered with credit.

Miss Ree Morrison, teacher of the fourth and fifth grades, passed the week-end at Wilderville, Oregon, with her parents. She returned here Sunday evening.

Another student of the high school has received an injury for the baseball season this year. While at practice Thursday afternoon Miss Alice Murphy, catcher on the girls' team, received an injury on her knee which has compelled her to go to school on crutches since then.

The big thing for the eighth graders this week has been the taking of the regular eighth grade state examinations, which was the order of Thursday and Friday. There are 15 in the class this year. The seventh graders were busy taking the examination in geography, while the sixth graders were answering the questions in the physics test.

Miss Alice Prensall, primary teacher, was in Lebanon on the week-end spending the time at the home of her parents.

The seniors' first paper for the

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SHELVES OF BOOKS LINE WALLS OF FAMED SALOON

"Nuf Ced" Third Base Resort Turns to Literature
McGREEVY WAS CATERER

Well-Known Character for 30 Years Owned Third Base and His Patrons' Ballplayers

(Correspondence of the Associated Press)
BOSTON, May 11.—"Nuf Sed" McGreevy and his Third Base saloon have turned into literature. Bottles and glasses and baseball trophies have given away to books. The famous old barroom near the old South End grounds of the Boston Nationals has been transformed into a branch of the public library.

Michael T. McGreevy for 30 years owned and managed Third Base and his patrons were chiefly ball players and fans. He spent no time in the saloon when a ball game was in progress here, for he was a king of rosters, powerful of voice and dynamic in personality. Even after the South End grounds

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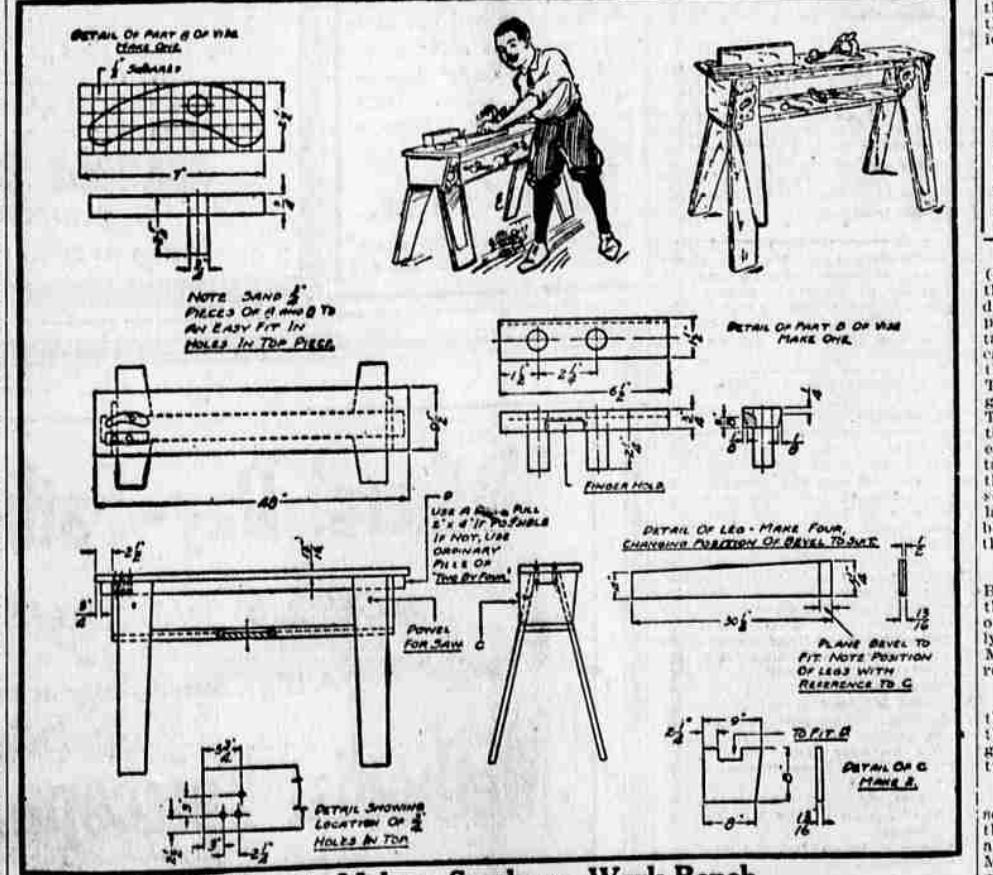
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Tool-Craft All Sorts of Things for Boys and Men to Make By Frank I. Solar



How to Make a Sawhorse Work-Bench

Every one who works with tools should have some kind of bench. The one shown in the accompanying drawing is inexpensive, and has the advantage of being portable.

The ordinary type of vice is too expensive for most boys, so take its place. As it is easily removed, the top of the sawhorse is quickly made available for ordinary work.

First, make a piece to support the legs, preferably a full two inches by four inches. If this size is not available, use a piece of ordinary "two-by-four." This runs smaller than that size, but may be used. The drawing shows the legs beveled to fit this piece, but, if desired, the legs may be kept full thickness and will be best to bore them afterwards. Be sure in boring the holes that no nails are in line with your bit. Bear this in mind also when nailing the legs to the "two-by-four."

The vice consists of two pieces of hardwood, as shown in the drawings. The straight piece is not adjustable, but the curved part may be moved to permit the piece of board to enter between the two. As the end of the board is forced against the end of the movable jaw, the opposite end is forced against the side of the board, clamping it tightly into place. The dowels should fit easily in the holes, so it will be necessary to sand them slightly.

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