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25.00 THE YEAR

## Schools To Open Monday—Foster Of Teachers

The complete list of teachers for the local schools for the year, as announced by Burton W. Dean, superintendent, is as follows:

- High School:  
Chas. C. O'Connell, Principal, Science.  
Edna Ayres, Commercial.  
Dora Brown, Mathematics.  
Theresa Carlson, English.  
Lillian Clark, English.  
Alice Johnson, Chemistry, Office Physical Education.  
George Foster, Industrial Arts.  
Clara Hill, English, History.  
Marjorie Smith, Home Economics.  
Esther E. Smith, Cook.  
Robert Nelson, Biology, Orientation.  
Harriet O'Connell, Library, English.  
Junior High School:  
Ophelia Crowe, Principal, Science.  
Lillian Clark, Mathematics.  
Hazel Brown, English.  
Charles Meyer, Social Science, Cook.  
Middle School, Library, Reading.  
Sue Young, Geography, Art, Office Physical Education.  
Washington Grade School:  
Verna Miller, Principal, First Grade.  
Dora Brown, Second Grade.  
Ophelia Crowe, Third Grade.  
Alice Johnson, Fourth Grade.  
Mary Jones, Fifth Grade.  
New additions to the staff include: Thelma Johnson, who has taught for 20 years, and a half year of 1926-27, and a teaching Alice Johnson, who has taught for 10 years, who for the past two years has been teaching in the Washington school.

Changes in the staff of the Washington school include Alberta Tyrrell, a former Coquille teacher, who has been teaching at Bend for the past four years and is replacing Eleanor Henshaw, who resigned to go to Springfield. Mrs. Joyce Owen taught at Riverport for four years and is replacing Ruth Towse as third grade teacher. Mrs. Towse has been shifted to the fifth grade post made vacant by the transfer of Mrs. Hanna to the junior high school.

Though school does not start until September 2, the superintendent and teachers have a full schedule beginning August 26, when the principal of each building will meet with the superintendent to complete plans for the coming year. On Labor Day all of the teachers will meet in general session. Later they will confer with the principal of their building. As a friendly wind-up for the busy day, the entire staff will enjoy a "get-acquainted" picnic.

A half-day session of schools will be held September 3. Students will run through their daily schedule, meet their instructors and receive orders as to books and materials necessary to pursue their courses. By Wednesday the regular schedule will be under way.

First grade students are subject to regulations not applying to their elders. No first grader whose birthday falls after November 15 and before February 15 will be admitted to class after the first two weeks of school. To fill out registration cards properly, parents are requested to accompany their first graders to school on Tuesday, opening day.

The school buildings and grounds are in excellent shape. Bill Post, janitor of the Washington Building, Beryl Sanders of the junior high school and Frank Schram, high school janitor, have all been busy during the summer painting, cleaning and generally renovating the buildings. Both playgrounds have been graded and leveled preparatory to being gravelled this week.

## Republican Central Committee Meeting

Enthusiasm and energetic interest was the coming session marked at Monday evening's meeting of the republican central committee of the City Hall. According to Levi Smith, county republican executive chairman, who for the past thirty years has been attending such meetings, there has never been one of which so much interest, enthusiasm and eager co-operation has been displayed as at Monday's meeting. Nearly fifty republican prominent men and women from various parts of the county came to the meeting to review their present plan and to assist in outlining and organizing the committee work.

Harvey Vaughan, Jr., of Marshfield, who was appointed chairman of the county committee, named Lester R. Child as local deputy committee chairman. Mr. Child was also appointed chairman of the program committee by Levi Smith. Assisting him in the work of planning republican activities for the interim before election day will be Mrs. R. A. Wainwright, a committee woman, who represents Pro America, an organization of republican women, and Harvey Vaughan, Jr., representing the Young Republican Club.

Mary Henderson was unanimously elected by the committee as congressional committee woman. The duties of that post are to look after the interests of congressmen in this district.

After extensive working sessions had been passed and appointments had been made, about half past seven the republican committee adjourned for the evening.

Those candidates who spoke were: Levi Smith, executive chairman; J. F. Rogers, who made a motion to accept answers; Allen Smith, who has secured the name for the county committee; Mrs. Wainwright, who has secured the name for the county committee; and Harvey Vaughan, Jr., who has secured the name for the county committee.

## Popular Day For Picnics Sunday

Last Sunday was a popular day for picnics in Coos county. The Marshfield lodge at Elm occupied the park at Cherry Creek, the Harry Laird family gathered at Brewer Valley, the Smith Wood-Products Co. and local picnic party at the day at La Verne Park; the Townsend club and Pro-America organization held a joint meeting at the Myrtle grove in Coquille; the telephone company employees had their gathering at Norway grove and the Robinsons also had a picnic.

## Natal Day At North Bend Friday

The annual Natal Day observance of the Order of Eastern Star will be held in North Bend this year on Friday, August 26. Registration will be in the I. O. O. F. hall and the dinner will be held in the Grange Hall at Glasgow across the Bay. The other meetings will be held in the Community Building at North Bend.

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Some major improvements have been made in and about the buildings. The general offices at the high school have been moved from the second to the first floor, near the main entrance. The superintendent and the principal each have a private office now, while an outer office has been provided for those high school student girls who assist with the office work, a coveted job for it gives the student credit as well as experience in office routine. The room formerly occupied by the superintendent has been converted into a conference room to be used in connection with library work, while the principal's old office is now the student council room.

The flag pole atop the high school building and the junior high building have been removed because the wind often prevented proper care being given the flag. Under the new arrangement, the flag will fly from a forty foot pole placed on the grounds between the two buildings.

To accommodate the classes which used the room now converted into new offices, an unfinished room in the gymnasium has been finished. This will be used as a health class room.

## Ben Lawrence Injured In Auto Accident In Indianton

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lawrence, of Oakland, Calif., were here for a visit at the home of Tuesday. They were returning from a vacation of a month in Alaska, when on Monday morning E. D. Lawrence was driving his automobile from the city of Indianton, where he had been in an accident in that city and his automobile had overturned a bridge over a broken axle and that both of them were badly shaken up.

Mr. Lawrence's automobile overturned further down the road and he was injured. He was taken to the hospital and is now recovering from his injuries. He is expected to be home in a few days.

Ben Lawrence, a resident of this city, is on a vacation trip with his family in Coos county and was last seen driving at Sugar Hill road in the Coos county section.

Ben Lawrence is a member of the Coquille Valley Automobile Club. He is a native of this city.

## Coquille Grange Buys Site For Hall

Henry George, Ed Doherty and W. R. Smith, members of the Coquille Grange, have purchased a site for a new hall. The site is located on the corner of Main and Commercial streets in Coquille. The purchase price was \$1,000.00. The new hall will be built on the site and will be ready for occupancy in a few months.

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## Plans Being Made To Build New Library Here

There was a joint meeting of the city council, the planning board and the budget committee at the city hall Monday night to attempt to arrive at some action on the question of the city library.

It is planned to find some new location for the library so as to release the building now occupied in the city hall for the use of the firemen.

It is hoped to have one or two firemen on the job of all times and the building to be used for the firemen.

A committee was appointed, consisting of Dr. J. D. Rankin of the planning board, Mrs. C. C. Farr, of the library board, and Don Gillespie, of the city council, to select a site for a new library.

As soon as the site is chosen another committee will be called to make recommendations to the council of the matter. This meeting will have to be held before Sept. 15 in order to get action on the budget for the year which starts on that date as the city may be placed before the voters at the November election as a matter to raise money for a new building.

## Sen. Cheney Talks On Conservation At Rotary Club

Senator George H. Cheney gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "Conservation" at the Rotary Club meeting at the Coquille Hotel Monday night.

Mr. Cheney has made quite an impression on the audience. He is a native of this city and has lived here for many years. He is a member of the Rotary Club and has been very active in its work. He is a conservationist and has done much to promote conservation in this city.

## Stauff Attended Salem Meet

Chas. Stauff returned yesterday from a trip to Salem, where he was present at the luncheon at the Marion Hotel and also at the fairgrounds to hear Oregon's Senator Chas. McNary's speech of acceptance of the nomination for vice-president of the United States. Mr. Stauff drove up with John Mullen, Edgar McDaniel and E. M. Shriver, of North Bend.

## Promoted to Corporal

Ellis E. Nowlin, formerly of this city, is now stationed in Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and has just been promoted to the rank of corporal. Writing to his mother, Ellis stated that he thought North Carolina more like Oregon than any other state he had visited.

## City Police Cases

On August 26 Art Pulford was fined \$5.00 on the charge of being drunk. He was released on the promise to pay. The same day Pruet K. Luther of Oklahoma, was fined \$10.00 for being drunk. He was discharged Wednesday. Patrick Geaney forfeited his ten dollars bail put up Sunday for committing a nuisance. G. O. Standen also forfeited ten dollars bail put up Sunday for committing a nuisance.

## Telephone Employees Have Picnic

The employees of the West Coast Telephone Co. in Coos county held their annual picnic in the Norway grove on Sunday. There were about sixty in attendance and a splendid time was reported by those attending. Calling cards, 50 for \$1.00.

## Union Picnic Sunday At LaVerne Park

The Union picnic held at LaVerne Park on the North Fork of the Coquille river above Fairview Sunday was a splendid affair and was thoroughly enjoyed by the over four hundred guests present.

The picnic was sponsored by the Lumber and Sawmill Workers Local, No. 2770, the Plywood and Veneer Workers Local, No. 2881, and Smith Wood Products, Inc. and among the honored guests present were Geo. A. Ulett, Lafe Compton and Bard Kistner and family.

All sorts of games were indulged in with prizes donated by the various merchants of Coquille and a sumptuous feed was enjoyed by all present.

The highlight of the occasion was a kangaroo court with S. S. Hardenbrook as the man at the bar of justice. His offense as stated was in inadvertently getting married last week without the formality of notifying his friends in advance and he was sentenced to dive in an ice cold tub of water for an apple with his hands tied behind his back.

He later retaliated, however, by forcing the court and jury to eat blackberry pie with their hands in a similar condition.

The members of the Locals present wish to take this occasion to thank the many merchants who so generously donated the merchandise for the picnic.

## Past Masters' Night Tuesday

A large attendance at the special Past Masters' meeting of Chadwick Lodge Tuesday evening witnessed an unusual ceremony when James Clinton, grandfather, and Theo. L. Clinton, father, both past masters of Chadwick lodge, conferred the M. M. degree upon Jack Clinton. This is the first time this has happened in the history of the lodge and was a strongly out-of-the-ordinary occurrence at any time.

The entire personnel of officers for the occasion were past master of the local lodge.

## Beryl Wilson Home After Accident

Beryl Wilson, who on the 4th of July suffered a skull fracture when the horse she was riding in Astoria became frightened and fell, returned Tuesday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fish. Although Mrs. Wilson has recently recovered sufficiently to walk, she must spend some length of time recuperating from the effects of the accident. This afternoon she will go to her parents' ranch near Bridge to convalesce.

## Postmaster Hawkins Reports Natl. Surplus

Postmaster Hawkins this morning called attention to the item in a postal service publication that the \$778,000,000 postal receipts for the fiscal year just ended exceeded by \$20,000,000 the previous year's all-time high, and that for six of the seven years during which Jas. A. Farley was postmaster general that the department showed a surplus.

## Takes Coos County Exhibit To Salem

Geo. Hampton, of Arago, left Wednesday morning with the Coos county exhibit for the State Fair at Salem. Mr. Hampton will have charge of the Coos county exhibit during the entire Labor Day through that week.

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## B. P. W. District Convention Held Here Saturday

Nearly fifty delegates from coast and central Oregon counties gathered here Saturday for the first district conference of the Oregon Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs. Evangeline Philbin, of Portland, state federation president, conducted the conference. Margarita Brodie was the local conference chairman.

The conference opened with a reception at the Guild Hall. On the receiving line with Mrs. Brodie were the new officers of the local club. They included Ellen Braxton, president; Clara Bosserman, first vice president; Naomi Crews, second vice president; Hazel Hanna, secretary, and Edith Walton, treasurer. Entertainment for the evening opened with two piano solos by Inez Rover. They were "Legend" by Albeniz and "Meditation by Thais" by Massenet. Moving pictures taken by Leona Bryant of local logging operations and other pictures taken at the B. P. W. convention held this year at Glacier National Park were shown by Mr. W. E. Bosserman. Wild life pictures taken at "Kenwood," the A. H. Gould home, were enthusiastically received by Mr. Bosserman's audience. Rev. T. R. Jackson showed a portion of the natural color sound motion pictures, which he and Mrs. Jackson took in Palestine. The Jackson pictures are reported as meeting the superlative phrases used by Hollywood in describing its productions. Refreshments were served following the entertainment.

Evangeline Philbin presided over the executive breakfast held Sunday morning in the banquet room at the hotel. Bertha Smith had charge of the breakfast program. An open house meeting was held from 10:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m. during which singing, led by Mrs. Philbin, and the meeting which was also conducted by Mrs. Philbin and was turned over to Dora Dee Oberon, state program chairman. Various reports were given by state chairman and (Continued on Page Three)

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