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## ENROLLMENT 200

### BEND PUBLIC SCHOOL OVERFLOWS

Additional Room Secured in Linster's Hall and Another Teacher, Mrs. R. M. Sanders. Employed—Young School Will Open October 30

The Bend school enrollment has reached the 200 mark, requiring additional room and another teacher. The number of pupils is growing every week and if this continues still more room and teachers will be necessary.

Monday morning, by direction of the School Board at its meeting Friday evening, Supt. Shouse rearranged several classes and turned the overflow pupils over to the new teacher, Mrs. R. M. Sanders. The large and well lighted room under the stage in Linster's Hall was rented and Mrs. Sanders took her class there.

Supt. Shouse informed the school directors last week that the school building was becoming so overcrowded that something must be done. They instructed him to employ another teacher and secure a room outside the building for the use of the school.

Half of the seventh grade taught by Miss Vandever was turned over to Miss Troutner and Miss Troutner's fifth grade and half of Miss Holmes' fourth grade were given to Mrs. Sanders. She was employed as a supply for one month and if at the end of that period her services are satisfactory she will be regularly elected by the School Board. She is thoroughly qualified for the work, holding a life certificate from Washington State.

The School Board has elected Miss Ida Young to teach the Young school, which will open on Monday, Oct. 30. Director Ray was appointed a committee of one to visit the school and arrange for a building.

## VETERANS' MEETING

Full Account of Recent Gathering Held at Laidlaw.

(Published by Request.)  
The second annual session of the Crook County Veterans' Association was held at Laidlaw Saturday, Sept. 23, 1911. This membership takes in all old soldiers who have served in Indian, Mexican, Civil or Spanish war, Confederate soldiers and sons, daughters, wives and widows. The old boys met with a glad handshake and spent the day in happy reunion. There are now 40 members which includes vets, wives, sons, daughters and widows. One of the happy faces was Mrs. Dan R. Smith of Laidlaw, as she reverently placed her father's silken scarf upon Commander West. Her father, Nathaniel Tibbetts, wore this as lieutenant, then captain, of Co. A, 8th Minnesota Cavalry, and afterwards quartermaster of the regiment.

Miss Iva West of Bend made every heart throb with warm blood with her violin solo, "Vacant Chair." The old boys gathered around the organ and sang "Marching Through Georgia" and other army songs.

The school children under the command of Miss Nellie James marched to the grounds with the drum and sang "Would You Like to Know," which was enjoyed by all. Hon. B. F. Nichols of Laidlaw gave an interesting address on early Oregon history. Harmon Cook of Laidlaw read a paper concerning the past and present war interests.

Army talks were given by two old vets who had both been prisoners in Andersonville, J. I. West of Bend and Commander J. O. Wilkinson of Wichita, Kans., now visiting at Bend. Army stories were told by J. H. Oneill, John I. West, A. McAllister, G. W. Shriner, J. H. Wood and J. C. Thorpe.

Resolutions of respect were adopted concerning the death of J. Anthony Mitchell, which was the first death stroke in the little band. A Relief Corps consisting of the lady members was organized with Mrs. Tressa A. Shriner of Bend,

president; Mrs. Dan R. Smith of Laidlaw, vice president, and Miss Iva West of Bend, secretary.

The officers elected for 1912 are: Commander, John I. West, Bend; Adjutant, Harmon Cook, Laidlaw; Quartermaster, J. C. Thorpe, Laidlaw.

It was voted to hold the 1912 session at Bend on Flag Day, June 14.

## RETURNS \$18 AN ACRE

Fremont Farmer Gets Good Yield of Rye From Raw Sagebrush Land

A good indication of what the land of Central Oregon will produce is obtained from the experience of J. B. Fox of Fremont with his first crop of rye. In a letter to C. S. Hudson, Mr. Fox says:

"I just want to remark that I have just threshed \$1200 worth of fine seed rye and that the crop amounts to \$18 an acre. How is that for our first crop? Fremont's rye is the best that has been threshed in northern Lake county yet. It runs from 8 to 15 bushels."

Accompanying Mr. Fox's letter were two photos of his haystacks and of the first threshing machine in that part of the country at work.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Published by the Crook County Abstract Co.)  
The Bend Co. to Kate Brummell, it 10, blk 22, Park add., Bend, \$1425.

J. H. Mendenhall to James S. Pinnell, it 15, blk 36, Redmond, \$1050.

Levi D. Wiest et ux to Jacob Schweitzer, its 1 and 2, blk 10, Wiestoria, \$10.

Redmond Townsite Co. to W. H. Hobbs, its 23 and 24, blk 27, Redmond, \$400.

Edward White to Hampton M. Butler, sw 1/4 sec 1/4, sec 6 and w 1/2 ne 1/4 and se 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 7-16-11, \$10.  
Oregon & Western Col. Co. to Chas. R. Dennison, its 1, 2, 3 and west 20 ft of it 4, blk 5, Davidson's add., Sisters, \$215.

Redmond Townsite Co. to Anna Greenhalgh, its 7 and 8, blk 4, Redmond, \$350.

Laidlaw Townsite Co. to Mrs. M. Patt, it 10, blk 54, Laidlaw, \$140.  
Chad. H. Irwin to J. H. Cady, its

8, 9, 10, blk 20, Ellinger's add., Redmond, \$700.

Laidlaw Townsite Co. to O. G. Walker, it 2, blk 54, Laidlaw, \$120.  
A. C. Lucas to H. J. Overturf, it 4 of sec 31-17-12 and nw 1/4 nw 1/4, sec 6-18-12, \$1.

Elsie R. Riley to Ovid W. B. Riley, its 1 and 2, e 1/2 nw 1/4, ne 1/4 sw 1/4 and it 3 and w 1/2 sec 1/4, sec 18-17-12; ne 1/4 ne 1/4 and e 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 13 and se 1/4 sec 12-17-11, \$1.

S. J. Spencer to P. H. Blossom, one-half int in w 1/2 sw 1/4, sec 8-18-14, \$1.

## COAST DEFENSE.

Concrete Forts and Big Guns That Protect Our Sea Line.

The modern seacoast fort is a battery whose guns are protected in front and flank with enormous mounds of concrete, covered, in the sides exposed to the fire, with sand enough to deflect projectiles before they reach the concrete, says the Engineering Magazine. Deep down in the interior of these huge masses of stone are placed the magazines and operating rooms required for the service of the batteries. They are simply caves in stone, artificial, to be sure, but as permanent as the everlasting hills. It is weird and uncanny to reflect that in one of these caves, scintillating with the highest resources of science, men stand over a drawing board on a table and practically see and plot on a chart every movement and position of the ships of a hostile fleet and flash forth to the gunners in the open such instructions for pointing their guns as enable them to make consecutive bullseyes on a target 6,000 yards away or from groups of great twelve inch rifled mortars to make 47 per cent of hits with flocks of projectiles on the deck of a moving target anywhere within range.

It is vastly important that such rooms be made as comfortable as possible for the strained human intellects working out their country's defense within them. But to make them comfortable is a difficult problem. In the United States the first modern batteries were completed during an exigency caused by the war with Spain. But since their completion during the warm and humid months of summer and early fall their galleries, magazines and service rooms reek with moisture. Water stands in great heads upon the walls and ceilings, from which it drips down to form great pools upon the floors, and they are not safe places for either human beings, ammunition or material of war. To remedy the evil many expedients have been tried and much valuable experience gained. But the problem is beset with difficulty.

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" Deschutes Jct. 1:30 p.m.	Arv. Deschutes Jct. 1:15 p.m.
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