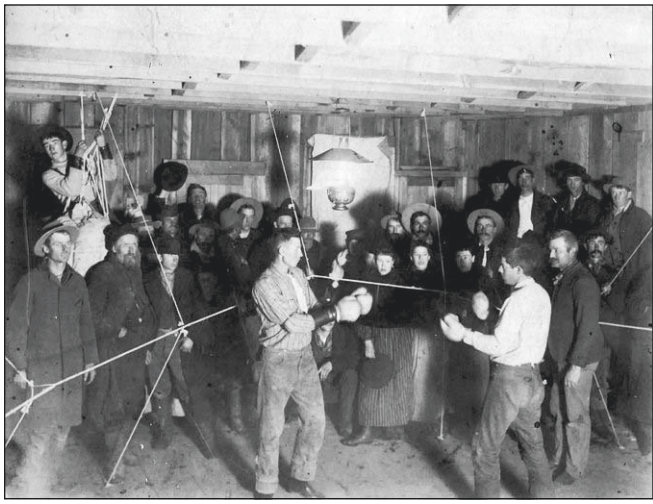


## Boxing crowd in Mt. Vernon



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Taken in Mt. Vernon; time and people unknown. Boxing was a popular sport in Grant County years ago.

## Joseph Sewell, popular boxer



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Joseph Sewell, a well-known boxer and brother of Thomas Sewell. Date unknown.

## Parading down Main Street, John Day, 1910



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Scene from a Fair parade in downtown John Day, circa 1910.

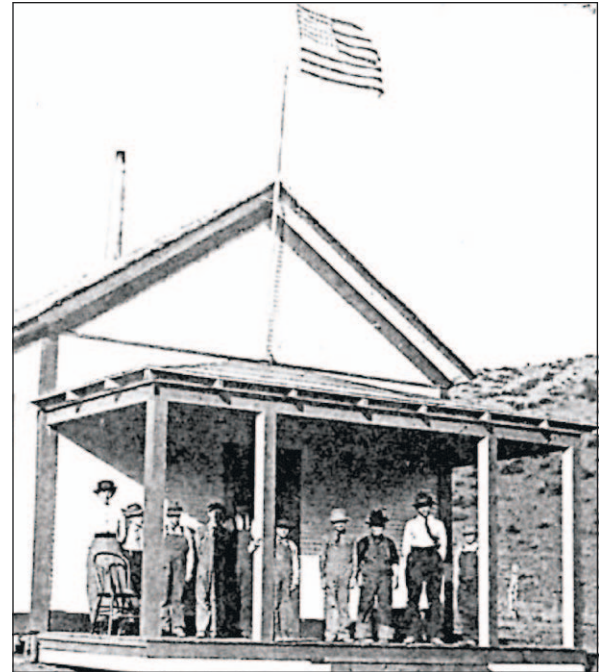
## School days in Fox, circa 1914



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The Lofton District School in Fox, circa 1914. Top, from left, Otis Robbins, Homer Halstead, Ray Berry (teacher), Willis Born and Reuben Snode. Second row, from left, Clyde Johns, Byron Berry and Carl Born. Third row, from left, Altha Prescott, Auna Robbins, Zella McBride, Francis Crossett(?) and Clarence Snode. Front row, from left, Ray Prescott, Leet Vaughan, Melvin Snyder, Erma Robbins, Velma Snode, Lenora Synder, Lavern Johns, Velda Halstead and Bertha Vaughan.

## All boys at Izee School



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Izee School, date unknown. Two teachers and eight students, all boys.

## STATE OF OREGON

# Questions for eighth grade diplomas 1931

**TO THE APPLICANT:** Select any ten of the following questions.

**TO THE EXAMINER:** Grade the first ten answers only.

### GRAMMAR

1. Use each of the following words correctly in an interesting sentence: seen, laid, isn't, went, set.

2. (a) Use the possessive form of a proper noun in a simple sentence.

(b) Use a plural noun as the object of a verb in a complex sentence.

3. Use the neuter nouns in the following list as the subjects of sentences, masculine nouns as objects of verbs and the feminine nouns as objects of prepositions: bundle, lion, table, queen, hero.

4. Write a sentence which contains pronouns of all three persons.

5. Use the correct form in the following sentences:

(a) One of them (is, are) going to be here.

(b) Either Joe or Susan (know, knows) about the affair.

(c) A box of lemons (was, were) overturned on the highway.

(d) If you are one of the

men who (is, are) going to town, start at once.

(e) I (shall, will) probably write the letter tonight.

6. In the following sentence is seen transitive or intransitive?

Give a reason for your answer:

The cloud was seen by her before the rain began to fall.

7. Properly punctuate and capitalize the following: the smith sash and door co on 16th street jacksonville oregon was given a large order for windows casings and doors last thursday

8. Write a compound sentence containing an adjective phrase, a compound object and an adverbial phrase.

9. Write the principal parts of the following verbs: go, teach, write, show, play.

10. Define an appositive and give an illustration.

11. What parts of speech are used as modifiers? Illustrate the use of each.

12. Make sentences beginning with the following groups of words:

(a) Crying softly

(b) Eating the apple

(c) Slipping on the ice

(d) Catching the ball

(e) Defending the fort

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