

**SCHOOL OPENS
IN ALBANY TODAY**

**Prospects Good For Largest
Enrollment Ever in
Attendance.**

**NEW TEACHERS APPEAR IN
FACULTY LISTS OF SCHOOLS**

**Schools All Well Equipped and
in Good Condition For
Coming Year.**

Albany public schools opened this morning with every prospect for the largest enrollment in the history of the city. After the three days' institute at Corvallis and a good summer vacation every teacher was in his or her place to welcome the children back for the new term.

Several new faces are to be seen on the faculty list this year. At the high school S. E. Wood, who has charge of the physics and chemistry department succeeds Prof. Stevens, who went to Montana. Miss Jessie I. Painter, music and art teacher, succeeds Miss Lillian Patton. At the Central Junior high Miss Bertha Lee, who taught at Brownsville last year, will teach German and English, and Mr. Harry Brookhardt, arithmetic teacher, are new. Miss May E. Clemo and Miss Hazel Rolfe are the new instructors at the Madison Junior high, and Miss Louise Nimmo and Miss Lorena Phelps are the new members of the Maple school faculty.

Registrations will continue today and Friday and classes will begin Monday in dead earnest.

Assignment of Teachers.

High School—W. B. Young, principal; E. A. Hudson, manual trainings and chemistry; H. C. Clifford, commercial; W. E. Wood, mathematics; S. A. Wood, physics and history; E. A. Moses, band and orchestra; Mae Lewis, shorthand and typing; Lillian Thordarson, domestic art; Winnifred Patterson, domestic art; Aurelia Burch, English (head of the department); Lulu Heist, German; Maudie Miller, Latin.

Central School (Junior High)—

G. E. Finnerty, principal; Minnie McCourt, history and geography; Lottie Morgan, English; Bertha Lee, German and English; Zilpha Galloway, history; Edna Metcalf, English and physical education; Myrtle Worley, mathematics; Harry Brookhardt, arithmetic; Rae Hudson, manual training; Margaret Riley, sixth grade; Nellie Pate, fifth grade; Myrtle Curry, fourth grade; Letha McCullough, third grade; Vera Tracy, second grade; Zella Burkhart, first grade.

Madison school (Junior high)—O. D. Byers, principal; Dorothy Shank, geography and history; May E. Clemo, sixth grade; Bertha Braden, 5th grade; Anna Mayne, 4th grade; Alwilda Wilson, 3rd grade; Bessie Bell, 2nd grade; Hazel Rolfe, 1st grade.

Maple school—W. A. Scott, principal; Louise Nimmo, 5th grade; Ella Thacker, 4th grade; Lorena Phelps, 3rd grade; Mabel Schultz, 2nd grade; Maudie Wills, 1st grade.

East School—Mrs. Anna Hodgkins, principal; Gertrude Buehler, 1st grade.

**EXCEPTIONAL COMEDY BILL
FEATURED AT GLOBE TODAY**

There is a corking good show in at the Globe tonight. The same can be said almost every night, but no one can take exception to the bill presented this mid-week. First, there is the Pathe Weekly of interesting current events and a Paramount Travelog. Then comes John Barrymore and Flora Zabelle in that screaming comedy drama made famous by Raymond Hitchcock and his wife, Flora Zabelle, on the regular stage, "The Red Widow."

But more comedy is injected by Charlie Chaplin, Edna Purviance and the wallowing Chaplin-Mutual snip in "The Vagabond," a two reel cast tickle bunch of laughter. This is no doubt the best of the new Chaplin Mutual series.

**SWANS AND HAWKINS
RETURN FROM CRATER**

**Made the Trip in the Swan
Car; Best Roads in the
Siskiyou.**

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swan and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawkins returned last evening from a trip to Crater Lake. Mr. Swan is a well known Albany lawyer and J. P., and Mr. Hawkins is a prominent Lincoln county lawyer and candidate for district attorney, in the field against J. F. Stewart. He is a former Albany man, a resident of this city for a number of years, while here losing one of his arms in a hunting accident. The friendship of Swan and Hawkins of the old Albany days has always lasted. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins are now grandparents twice. Two of their four children are married, and all are away from home in different employments.

They made the trip in the Swan car, being gone a week. The best roads were down in the Siskiyou, and they struck more dust between Harrisburg and Albany than anywhere else on the road. Mr. Hawkins was captured with Crater Lake, and its wonderful blue water, which he declared the bluest of anything; he never saw. He didn't go down into the lake itself, only about half way, which was enough trail climbing down a dizzy path. It is said to be 1100 feet straight down, about two thousand feet as generally stated. It is so far that some men fishing in a boat looked like a small piece of wood in the water, viewed from the top.

Quite a number of people were camped there. It's a trip worth taking, and one not soon forgotten.

CITY NEWS

To Attend Funeral—
James Dannels, of Portland, came up last night to attend the funeral of his brother, Elmer J. Dannels. The Democrat yesterday in giving the list of members of the family omitted that of James.

Moro Minister Here—
Rev. Morrison, of Moro, a Methodist minister of that city, was in the city last evening for awhile. He had been at Salem on a visit and came up here to see Albany. Rev. Morrison married a Salem young lady last May.

Left Big Property—
The late E. P. McCormack, of Salem, left property valued at \$800,000. The will makes special bequests of \$100,000 and then gives \$700,000 to 26 nephews and nieces. Six are to receive \$2500 each, the others \$27,000. One brother and five sisters each gets \$10,000. There are a few other small gifts. Lawyer Percy M. Collier, of Eugene, is the executor named in the will.

Mrs. Powell at Fair—
Mrs. Frank M. Powell, of this city, who is to sing at the state fair, has been given specially good places on the programs. It is announced that she will sing on Tuesday night, between 8 o'clock and 10 o'clock, at the big horse show event. Her selections will be: "Nordine, Nordine, Noree," "Lola," and "One Fine Day," Puccini. Also on Friday noon, at the governor's reception in the grove, if the weather is good, singing with McElroy's Band, also twice in the grand stand during the afternoon.

A Salem Mystery—
On the night of Jan. 8, at Salem, Irvin Springer, night clerk at the Marion Hotel, disappeared. Recently a human skeleton was found in the river, anchored. It was probably his, and there was undoubtedly foul play. It was said he had no enemies. Why the murder then, is asked.

Many Teachers—
A train load of teachers returned from Corvallis last night, on their way to their homes at different places in Linn county, ready for work, some today and some not until Monday. The S. P. depot platform was a live place for some time.

O. A. C. Football—
The football season will open at Corvallis next Saturday with a game between the college team and the alumni, to be gotten together upon the gridiron for the occasion. Among the latter will be our own Abe and Pete, Dewey, Sitton, Laythe, Schuster, McKenzie, Wolff, May, Keck, Allworth, on the regular team Briggs, formerly of Albany high, is a candidate for end.

**ALLIES GAIN
ON BOTH SIDES**

**British Advanced South of Acre;
Germans Repulsed By
New Zealanders.**

**FRENCH TOOK 2 TRENCHES
SOUTH OF THIAMONT**

**Russians Got 700 Prisoners in
One Place 400 in
Another.**

(By United Press)
London, Sept. 21.—Gen. Haig reported the British advanced south of Acre last night. The Germans strongly counter attacked the New Zealanders. They were repulsed heavily. Paris reported that the French had captured two trenches south of Thiamont. They gained one hundred yards in the Vaux Chapitre woods. They took 100 prisoners. The French Balkan forces advanced nearly three miles near Monastir with the allies left wing. They captured fifty prisoners.

The Bulgarians are viciously counter attacking the Serbians. They entered Borechnia. Later they were ousted in very bloody street fighting. Petrograd announced that the Russians had captured 700 Germans in the Korytznia region. They took positions east of Panther Mt. getting 400 prisoners and six machines.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—An official statement indicated that the Teutons are preparing a new Roumanian invasion from the northern frontier. They seized frontier heights on both sides of Vulcan pass. They defeated the Roumanians who recently drove ten miles into Transylvania. The Dobruja battle is a deadlock.

The Bomb Case.
(By United Press)
San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The Billings prosecution closed the rebuttal in the bomb case and Prosecutor Fickler began his argument this afternoon. During the rebuttal the state called several witnesses to corroborate John McDonald, who swore he saw Billings leave the suitcase on the corner of Steuart and Market streets immediately before the explosion killed nine people.

President to Speak.
(By United Press)
Chicago, Sept. 21.—President Wilson plans to make a campaign speech here in October, the Democratic headquarters announced. It has virtually been decided that the president will speak in the auditorium.

Cowboy Hurt.
Pendleton, Or., Sept. 20.—Lee Caldwell, champion cowboy bucking horse rider of the United States and Canada, today was nearly killed when his horse, a new one, bolted thru the fence, catching Caldwell's boot on the stirrup and dragging him. The horse then kicked him in the head and shoulder. An X-Ray photo showed that no bones were broken.

Caldwell declared tonight that he will ride in the bucking horse contest tomorrow.

Immense Parade
(By United Press)
El Paso, Sept. 21.—Twenty-six thousand militiamen and regulars formed a column 20 miles long that marched past the reviewing stands for seven hours, in the greatest infantry division review in American history. General George Bell and Major General Clemtf reviewed the troops.

Paving Assessment.
Albany Property owners who do not want their property sold on pavement assessment should pay up, before the 30th, which is about here. See notice elsewhere.

Even Day and Night.
This is the day of the year when daylight and darkness are evenly divided, so far as the almanac is concerned. That is there is just twelve hours between the rising and setting of the sun. It is just the other side of the March equinox.

Here from Lebanon—
Cooper Turner, of Lebanon, a former resident of Albany for many years, has been in the city today.

**AUTO OWNERS WANTED TO
REGISTER THEIR CARS**

**Round-up Boosters Will Go to
Salem Next Thursday For
Advertising Excursion.**

Auto owners listen!
If you have a car which you care to use for a good cause, for boosting the Western Oregon Round-Up, Harvest festival and grand fall jubilee which will be held in this city October 12, 13 and 14, leave your name with Edward F. Bailey, Bell phone 19, Home phone 164. Just a week from today Albany will invade Salem at the Oregon State Fair and the management of the round-up and Harvest festival are anxious to take at least 200 cars carrying about 1000 people.

Thursday is Portland day at the fair. Also Albany day On Portland day there is always an attendance of from 25,000 to 40,000 people at the fair, and this furnishes an excellent opportunity to tell a vast throng about the big show that will be pulled off by the Home Folks up this way. "Scratch 'em Cowboy" hats, shirts, chaps, and other articles of regulation cowboy dress will be worn, and Albany will invade the grand stand and side lines in force. The band will be taken and people will know by their "yip" that real cowboys and cowgirls are in their midst.

The plans are to start from Albany at 8 o'clock, drive to Corvallis for a display, then to Independence, Dallas and into Salem before noon. A big showing will be made on the streets of the capital city, and the whole outfit will move to the grounds immediately after lunch and take a section of the grand stand. This will have to be done early, however, as the grandstand is always filled to capacity by 1:30 on the big days.

Owners of cars will be allowed to charge a reasonable fee to the other passengers whom they carry. It is thought that one dollar a passenger should be a fair charge to cover expense, although that will be settled later. Owners of cars should call Secretary Bailey up right away.

Carpenters and graders started work today on the round-up grounds south of the depot, and this will be a busy place from now on until the big show is over.

**VIRGINIA PEARSON TO
BE SEEN IN GOSSIP PICTURES**

In the quaint setting of an old-fashioned Southern church is enacted a scene of pretty effect in William Fox's protodrama, "A Tortured Heart," starring Virginia Pearson, to be seen at the Rolfe Friday. The Rev. Joseph Lorimore (Stephen Grattan), village pastor, finds a founlding on the steps of his church, and the townspeople scorn his interest in the child, who grows up to be a charming young woman, a part taken by Marian Swayne.

In the rectory parlor the spinsters of the little town assemble to see the baby. About the only one who is interested in the little child is Lucille Darrell (Miss Pearson), a wealthy unmarried woman of the community.

From this point the story unfolds its tale of the evils of gossip, uncharitableness and all that these unwholesome qualities bring in "heart torture." Stuart Holmes in his villainous part as Leon Muller, does his best to bring suffering to the characters and his power of evil seems at first greater than the kindly parson's power for good.

Several Deserters.
(By United Press)
Austin, Tex., Sept. 21.—Eleven privates deserted the twelfth provisional division during the march from San Antonio to Austin. Recruiting officers jailed the men, and sent them to Fort Sam Houston this morning.

Murder Plot Stopped.
(By United Press)
Washington, Sept. 21.—An agent of the department of justice disclosed a plot to kidnap and murder Frank Crocker, an important national-wide blackmail witness. Crocker fully confessed regarding the crime of the syndicate's workings.

Buenos Aires Report Shows Argentina's Grain Going to the Allies.
Buenos Aires, Sept. 19.—Argentina's wheat has been sold almost exclusively to the Allies during the last six months. It has been shipped, with practically no exceptions, in British bottoms. The export was 1,379,962 tons, of which the United States took less than 100,000.

**SOLDIERS NOT TO
BE WITHDRAWN**

Under Terms of American-Mexican Commission to Remain in Mexico For Awhile.

CARRANZISTAS WILL AS-SIST IN PATROL WORK

Plans to Be Approved By Gen. Bliss and Officials of Two Countries.

(By United Press)
New London, Sept. 21.—The Mexican-American commission has nearly completed the settlement of the border patrol problem. The tentative program provides for Gen. Pershing to remain in Mexico for the present. An additional clause provides for the Carranzistas to assist in the border patrolling. The exact terms are not revealed. The United Press received positive assurance that the plan does not contain immediate withdrawal recommendations. General Bliss must approve of the program before Washington and Mexico City approve it. Villa's Chihuahua activities does not affect the situation.

May Adopt Conscription.
(By United Press)
Melbourne, Sept. 21.—The Australian house of representatives adopted conscription by a vote of 47 to 12.

Melbourne, Sept. 21.—The house measure merely provides for a referendum of the vote on conscription. It is considered certain the senate will adopt a similar bill.

There will be a national election on the proposition within a few weeks. The women's vote will probably decide whether to send husband and sons to war.

H. S. Election—
The Athletic Association of Albany High School met today and elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Loren Davis; vice president, Walter Gilbert; secretary, Vernon Henderson; treasurer, Clarence Wiles; student manager, Clarence Wicks; yell leader, Geo. Snyder.

Civilization Coming—
The wonderful peace production, Civilization, will be presented at the Globe on Sept. 28 for one day only. It is one of the greatest films of the day, and wherever given is universally praised. It is full of vivid scenes that grip one.

Returned in Runabout—
Dr. W. P. Whit returned last night from a trip to Salem and Portland. At Salem he took charge of a new Buick runabout, which had been sent to the fair grounds for display at the fair, which he had bought here. He drove it to Portland, and then home yesterday. Used to a crank starter, several times he reached for the front of the car to start the machine.

Here from Spokane—
Mrs. W. J. Ortel and son Ralph, of Spokane, have been in the city today on a visit at the home of Mrs. Ortel's brother, Walter Parker. They have also been near Mollala on a visit with Mrs. Ortel's grandmother, Mrs. E. A. Parker. Ralph has been clerking in the store of the Shaw-Borden Co., with which his father has been connected for about fifteen years. He expects to attend a business college the coming winter.

Was Judge at Fair—
Robert L. Burkhardt, president of the Oregon Cattle club, of this city, returned last night from Dallas, where he had been as judge of all dairy cattle at the fair, which began there the 19th. He reported a fine display of cows, and much interest in the contest among cattlemen.

IN BRITISH BOATS.

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**S. BENSON AND PARTY
DRIVING TO LOS ANGELES**

**Portland Capitalist Stops An
Hour to Call on Albany
People.**

S. Benson, prominent Portland and Los Angeles capitalist, good roads enthusiast, retired timberman and all around business man, passed thru Albany today on his way from Portland to Los Angeles, where he will spend the winter. With Mr. Benson were E. E. Coover, Portland attorney and legal adviser for Mr. Benson; Mr. Rosenthal and A. Ayres, chauffeur. They are traveling in the Benson Pierce-Arrow "48", a beautiful car.

Mr. Benson is making stops along the line to talk in the interest of good roads. He has stopped at Salem, Dallas, Albany, Corvallis, and by now, Eugene, where he will spend the night. Last night he made an address on the subject of good highways before a large crowd at the Polk county fair at Dallas. Tonight he has a meeting scheduled in Eugene.

Mr. Benson was one of the prime movers in the building of the famous Columbia highway, having donated several thousand dollars for the construction of part of the road. He is principal owner of the Benson Hotel, Portland, and takes an active part in the upbuilding of the state. Mr. Benson started life as a poor Swedish boy who worked in a logging camp and rose to the top in the lumber business.

CITY NEWS

For Better or Worse—
Judge D. B. McKnight today performed a marriage ceremony uniting in wedlock Forrest D. West, 32, a machine man from Pendleton, and Miss Elsie Thayer, 30, a teacher, of Scio. They will spend their honeymoon at the Pendleton Round-up.

Order for Final Account—
Judge McKnight of the probate court has set Monday, Oct. 30, at 1 o'clock, as the hour for hearing the final account in the estate of Robert L. Conn, valued at \$181,900.

Final Hearing Date—
The date for final hearing of the estate of August Lundeen, deceased, has been set for Oct. 23, at 10 o'clock. Edwin F. Fortmiller has been appointed administrator.

Little Boy Lost—
Edwin, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barcher, frightened his parents this morning when he was missed and couldn't be located. Mr. Barcher lives on West Seventh street near the Riverside cemetery and evening part of that vicinity was combed over. The child was finally located on Fifth street, between Jackson and Jefferson by Chief of Police John Catlin, and was restored to his anxious parents.

Fined for Drunkenness—
L. B. Alphin was this afternoon fined \$12 for appearing on the streets in an intoxicated condition at 2 o'clock of the morning of Tuesday, Sept. 19. Harold Jackson, who was with Alphin at the time, and who was charged with carrying a concealed weapon, has not yet appeared to plead.

Moved to Portland—
Mrs. J. B. Gentry and two children left this morning for Portland where they will make their home. The Gentrys traded their Albany property for the Portland residence of Shirley M. Smith, manager of the furniture factory.

Sentor Booth Here—
Hon. R. A. Booth and family passed thru the city yesterday enroute to Salem and returned today to their home in Eugene.

Entered Overland Service—
O. K. Dewitt returned from Salem yesterday and this morning took up his new duties with the Rosseau and Hayes automobile agency. He will devote his time to the selling of Overland and Hudson autos.

Weather Report—
Yesterday's temperature was between 43 and 81 degrees. The river stands at 1.3 feet.

"Jimmie" Richardson Here—
Jimmie Richardson, well known sport authority, former sporting editor of the Portland Journal, scout for one of the big leagues, and salesman for a Portland sporting goods house, is in the city calling on the trade handling his lines.

Many Go to Round Up—
That Albany will be represented at the Pendleton Round-Up is shown by the ticket sales at the Southern Pacific depot. Last evening twelve people left Albany for the Round-Up city and more went on previous days. The Round-Up began today and will be in session until Saturday. Many of the best riders will come to Albany next month to take part in the big Western Oregon Round-Up.

**WEST WHACKED
AMENDMENT HARD**

**Declared Brewers Amendment
Is Fathered By Paul Wes-senger the Brewer.**

**A SCHEME FOR FILLING
STATION SALOONS**

**Ex-Governor Declared That He
Will Fight Booze to the
Last Ditch.**

That Paul Wessenger, the well known Portland ex-brewer, is at the head of the brewers' amendment to the constitution, to be voted on at the November election, was the statement of ex-Governor Oa. West, at the Rolfe last night, before a large audience, the theatre being filled, with some standing in the rear. Also that the amendment is merely a scheme to get saloons back into Oregon and nullify the effect of the present prohibition law of the state, one that is proving a splendid thing for Oregon.

H. Bryant, county president of the Anti-Saloon League, presided, with a number of prominent men on the platform with him, including Senator Garland, of Lebanon, Judge Hewitt, Hon. W. R. Bilyeu, and the Hammer quartet, the latter of whom were heard in several live temperance songs.

Ex-Governor West handled the subject in his characteristic way, to the point and above board, showing at once the author of the brewers' amendment and the men who are really back of it, and declared that it is a fight of the women of Oregon for their homes against the gang. "We can't have good government with booze, that's all," he said.

He took the brewers' amendment up and showed how according to its wording it is intended to have things open for traffic in beer, not only that, but to throw down the bars for the sale of liquors by druggists without prescriptions. This law would result in filling stations, such as the standard Oil Co. has for the buying of gasoline, where ANY PERSON or individual could be accommodated. The old home law was found to be a fake, and he declared this one as big as one.

He told what the raid on Copperfield, which at one time gave the governor great fame, in which the saloons had been smashed out of the town, had done for the place. Now there is only a hitching post left, and it is better off.

His reference to the old Jefferson street depot, at Portland, owned by Paul Wessenger and leased to the R. R. was an interesting one, bringing up an old affair that excited a good deal of attention at the time. It was done to illustrate the methods of the men who are trying to foist on the people the brewers' amendment.

West said he was in the fight against the saloon to the last ditch, and a majority of the people of Oregon are with him, determined to keep the saloon and all its allies out of the state.

**AN HOUR WITH RILEY
ON AN ALBANY LAWN**

The Riley Story Hour on the library lawn yesterday was quite an event. About 75 children were in attendance and the following contributed to the program with Riley selections of their own choosing, making the affair a novel one and of unusual interest.

Two Little Girls Helen Pugh
The Raggedy Man Louise Maflon
The Fishin' Party Jack Rhodes
The Twins Allison Senders
Little Orphan Annie Mary Davis
Nauty Claude Bobby Stevens
At Auntie's House Frances Haas
The librarians also contributed their share of the program. Miss Helen Lee sang, "There, Little Girl Don't Cry," one of Riley's poems set to music, with the ukelele accompaniment. She also read "The Runaway Boy" and "The Man in the Moon, while Miss Louise Wieder read "The Bear Story," that Alex sht Maked no his-own-self. Mrs. Franklin completed the program by representing to the children a few very interesting scenes from Riley's boyhood.