

SMALL TURNOVER IN CITY'S TEACHING STAFF, SAYS LINN

Teacher turnover in the Ashland schools at the end of the regular school year appears to be slight, according to a report this week from Supt. Leland P. Linn.

There will be no change at the Bellview school as all the teachers are returning to their classrooms. At the Walker school Alair Lewis has accepted employment with her husband at Reedsport. Miss Blanche Roller is to be teaching in Japan next year.

At the Lincoln school Miss Florence Allen is to be the principal as Dr. Bill Sampson will be full time at Southern Oregon College. Mrs. Marjorie Priger will be with the state department of education at Salem.

The two teachers leaving the Briscoe staff are Caryl Ann Vanderwall Sweet and Trubee Bell. Mrs. Sweet will be living in her new home in Curry county. Mrs. Sweet has taught the second grade at Briscoe for the last two years. Since her husband, George Bell, is continuing his education in another school, Mrs. Bell is giving up her Briscoe fourth grade.

Mrs. Marilyn Brownier, homemaker teacher at the Junior high school, has resigned as she expects to move from the community. Marilyn Wade, who has been handling the girls' physical education at the Junior high, has resigned so she may accompany her husband who is continuing his education in one of the universities.

At the High school Ruth Alcorn is moving to California and Kenneth Schilling who has been coaching basketball along with an assignment in social science, is planning on teaching near Portland. Joe Rooney, district art supervisor, has accepted a similar position at Coos Bay and Donald Davis has been granted a year's leave of absence so he may start work on his doctorate.

Charles Jandreau, who is getting his master's degree at USC this month, is returning to Ashland and will teach at the Senior high and coach basketball. Classes in English and drama-

tics will be under Miss Laura M. Grubbs who holds her master's degree from Greeley. She has had additional work at the University of Washington where she has gone to school the last three summers. Miss Grubbs is an experienced teacher and has been at Rogue River for the last four years.

At the Junior high, Miss Dena Jones, homemaker major from Oregon State College, is to handle that department. Miss Jones is receiving her degree at Oregon State this June and has done successful practice teaching at Junction City. Classes in girls' physical education at the Junior high will be under the direction of Arlene Arashiro. Miss Arashiro transferred to Southern Oregon College after attending Willamette university at Salem. She has been active in physical education at the college and has recently completed her practice teaching at the Lincoln school.

Miss Rara Hill of Grants Pass will take the second grade vacancy at the Briscoe school and Gwen Sommers Weaver from Eagle Point will teach the section of the fourth grade. Marilyn Streitz, who holds her degree from Southern Oregon college, will handle a primary class at Walker school. Miss Streitz has had a very successful year in the Sutherlin schools.

Phone Rates . . .

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3d Filing

Advice 329 is the third rate filing also made on May 28 and provides for a step-up in the rate groupings of 13 Oregon exchanges, and provides rates for extended area service in the Milwaukie-Oak Grove and Oswego areas. This is a temporary filing listing an expiration date, and does not cancel out or effect any other filing.

The rates for the extended area service are the same as prevail in Portland, and all toll charges between these exchanges and Portland are eliminated.

Medford Affected

The following 13 communities advance one step in the rate groupings: Salem, Medford, Albany, Grants Pass, Prineville, Madras, Echo, Cascade Locks, Gilchrist, Lowell, Ione, Mapleton and Stanfield. The biggest increase in rates will be for Salem, \$1.50 a month on a business one party line, the same rate that now prevails in the Eugene-Springfield exchange. Most residence rates in these 13 communities are increased 25 cents per month.

A hearing on Advice 329 has been set for Salem, in the hearing room of the Public Utilities Commissioner, June 18, at 10 a.m.

The amounts shown as requested in Nos. 327 and 328 are without excise tax, which would increase the payments of the customers by an additional 15 per cent. Considerably more than half of the amounts shown, should the increases be granted, would be absorbed by federal taxes.

If your wife is quick on the draw, be wary of a joint account.

Council Hears Basin Report

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mittee which would elect the officers to head the group's activities.

Oaks Invited

Because of the nature of the committee, Homes further stated that Ivan Oaks, secretary of the Willamette committee, will be invited to visit the area and advise the group at a meeting the last part of this month. Homes believed the Willamette group was supported by government aid because the committee spends "about \$37,000 a year."

He concluded that the investigation was still in the hands of the two state legislators who are backing the proposal.

Liquor Permit Asked

Considerable discussion took place at the council meeting over the matter of a class "B" liquor license application by Omar's restaurant on Siskiyou boulevard. After a recommendation for approval had been read by Police Chief Vern Smith, various council members expressed their opinions.

Councilman Arthur Kreisman was opposed to approval because the restaurant was too close to Southern Oregon college. Such approval, he said, "will double our problems on campus."

Will Add Room

Further information was asked of Chief Smith who said that the owner planned to separate the restaurant from the proposed lounge by building an addition to accommodate the latter. Smith further added that the applicant will assume all responsibility if the license is granted.

Councilman Mark Hamaker was opposed to the approval of any such license within the city limits. Kreisman interjected that such a grant would bring undesirable clientele into the campus vicinity that would mix with college students.

'High Class' Establishment

Councilman Walter Weller said that the problem should be looked at from the owner's standpoint who takes "a good deal of pride in his restaurant." Councilman Fred Taylor seconded this stand with the thought that the restaurant in question is a "high-class establishment."

Mayor Phil Stansbury told the other council members that there could be "better control inside the city than outside."

The matter was turned over to the realty committee which will seek out the college's opinion on the problem.

Jean Eberhart was appointed by Mayor Stansbury to fill out the unexpired term of Jacob Weitzel on the Park board. Weitzel is moving to Eugene. The council asked that the recorder write to Weitzel and thank him for his public service to the city.

Fire Hazards Noted

A fire hazard ordinance, drawn up at the request of Chief Harry D. McNair, was given to the fire committee for consideration. It concerns hazardous buildings with inadequate wiring, stove pipes, etc., which aren't already covered by law.

An ordinance was passed vacating a portion of Eureka street, one-block long. Mayor Stansbury noted a check of February 1 which donated \$900 for the erection of a bench in Lithia park as a memorial. A committee composed of John Austin, Mrs. Mable Kenny and Park Superintendent Chet Corry was appointed to report on steps to be taken about the memorial.

Courtesy Tickets Report

Police Chief Smith reported to the council that about 200 courtesy parking tickets had been issued last month and that there had been "effectively shown" a decrease in meter fines being collected.

Mayor Stansbury added that the Chamber of Commerce had shown an increase in trade since the tickets had been adopted.

The matter of the city-Chamber of Commerce lease of the proposed public-sanctioned service building at the entrance to Lithia park was referred to the realty committee for report at the next council meeting.

Zones Turned Down

The council refused to accept a proposed resolution asking for a 15-minute parking zone in front of the new Pacific Telephone office on E. Main on the grounds that it would be a loss to vitally needed parking space and that free parking was available near the office.

The council passed a resolution accepting \$225 from Farmers' Insurance company to pay for damages to a park fountain incurred by Gene R. Litwiller in a driving case earlier this year.

The time to make friends is before you need them.



Mrs. Lora C. Rathvon of Boston, Mass., was named president of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, at its annual meeting June 4.

Mrs. Rathvon has been active in Christian Science for almost 40 years. She participated in Christian Science Camp Welfare activities during two world wars and has served The Mother Church in a number of special assignments, including membership on the Bible lesson committee.

Court Records

JUSTICE COURT

James Thomas Robertson, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

Warren Duane Kness, overloading truck, fine \$31 and costs.

Frank Farrer, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

Eugene Hensley Holt, overloading a truck, fine \$10 and costs.

Glen R. Haight, hauling logs on holiday without permit, fine \$5 and costs.

Joe Alwin Millard, angling in closed season, fine \$25 and costs.

Earl C. Neeley, no operators license, fine \$2.50 and costs.

Roger Shelby Sommer, improper muffler, fine \$1 and costs.

Robert Melvin Gilmore, overlength load, fine \$2.50 and costs.

Arthur Clifford Decker, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

Foster Albert Seaver Jr., overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

Gilbert W. Wall, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

Joe Tarreson, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.

POLICE COURT

LeRoy D. Hall, operating motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor, fine \$200, operators license revoked one year, 30-day jail sentence suspended.

Henry R. Durham, improper muffler on motor vehicle, bail \$5.

Wesley G. Rush, no registration on car, bail \$5.

Ramon G. Estrada, public intoxication, held in jail, bail \$17.

Marvin Hanley, intoxicated in vehicle, held in jail, bail \$15.

Chester Lind, expired vehicle license, bail \$5.

George C. Crain, public intoxication and vagrancy, held in jail, ordered from town.

Fay Whitney, operating motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor, held in jail, fine \$150, operators license revoked for one year, 30-day jail sentence suspended.

James H. Saunders, disorderly person, held in jail, ordered from town.

Jerry Hilsenhuff, motor vehicle left illegally unattended, bail \$5.

George D. Doss, public intoxication, disorderly, held in jail, ordered to leave town.

Clairence F. Farleigh, public intoxication, held in jail, fine \$15.

Russell Bruce Jackson, public intoxication, 30-day jail sentence.

Emily M. Jackson, operating motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor. Struck the vehicle of Thomas Williams, June 2. Accident occurred on N. Main street near the Dairy Queen store. Defendant pleaded guilty. Fine \$200, 30-day jail sentence, operators license revoked for one year.

Lois M. Lundt, vagrant, public intoxication, ordered from city.

Claude C. Turner, expired vehicle license, fine \$2.50.



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OSC-USDA Weekly Farm Review

Soft spots have developed in the field of farm prices, according to the weekly farm price, crop and weather review prepared by the OSC Extension Service from USDA reports and other data.

PRICES DOWN: Mid-May marked the third consecutive month for downturns in prices received by farmers. Prices paid by farmers also declined this month, for the first time since November, 1949.

Weaknesses which showed up in meat animals, strawberries, cotton, milk, wool, and wheat were mainly responsible for reducing the overall index. These declines were only partially offset by slightly higher prices for corn, butterfat, eggs, and some truck and fruit crops.

The index of prices received by farmers stood at 305 per cent of the 1910-1914 average on

May 15. That was one per cent below the previous month and 3 per cent lower than the all-time record high reached in mid-February. It was still nearly one-fourth above a year ago, however.

LIVING COSTS UP: Prices paid by farmers for commodities used in production also declined from April to May but farm family living costs prices increased.

The decline in production costs was the first since February, 1950, and was due mainly to the sharp drop in prices for feeder livestock. After holding steady from March to April, retail prices paid by farmers for food, clothing, and household furniture and furnishings edged upward in May.

Interest, taxes, and farm wage rates held unchanged from mid-April to mid-May. The overall result was a 1 point drop in the parity index, and a 1 point drop in the parity ratio. The parity ratio at mid-May stood at 108, the lowest since December, 1950, but still one-tenth above a year ago.

WHEAT CROPS ARE MOSTLY FAVORABLE: In the Pacific Northwest prospects continue good for winter wheat, spring wheat, rye and spring barley. Additional rain would be welcome, however, in the Columbia Basin counties and eastern Washington.

WEATHER

May Mild Month

Ashland's weather during May was relatively mild, according to a review of temperature readings recorded by Clarence Williams, weather observer. The month's highest temperature was 86 recorded on May 22 while the low was 33 on May 28. Precipitation was confined to the first 13 days and totaled .87 inch.

The immediate weather outlook for western Oregon as furnished by the U.S. weather station in Medford is for little or no precipitation with temperatures rising at the end of the week.

The northern California forecast is for generally fair weather with occasional showers or thunderstorms in the mountains. Temperatures in the area are expected to be near or below normal.

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ENNIS D. GARDNER, Deceased. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned by an Order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson duly made and entered on the 28 day of May, 1951, was regularly appointed Executor of the Estate of Ennis D. Gardner, Deceased, and he has qualified as such Executor.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, as required by law, to him at the office of his attorney, BEN T. LOMBARD, Knox Bldg., Ashland, Oregon, within six months from the date of this Notice.

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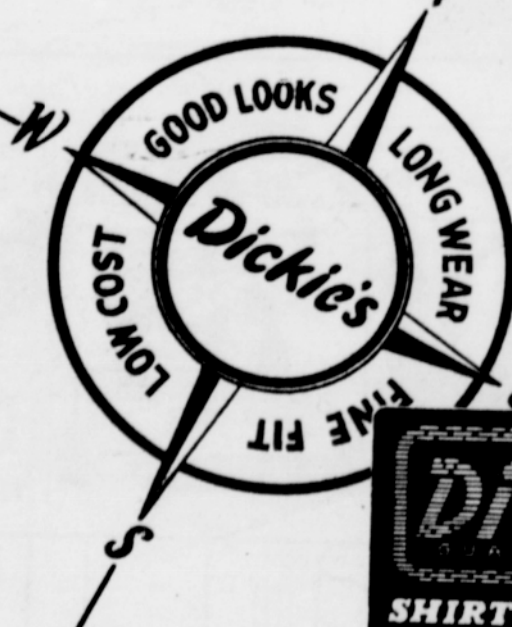


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