

## HIGH SCHOOL GETS ATHLETIC FIELD

School Board Authorizes New Football Ground Back of Brattain School, at Meet

## HIRE ANOTHER TEACHER

Call for Bids for 200 Cords of Wood to Be Delivered at Schools During Summer

Construction of a new football field directly back of the Brattain school was authorized Monday night at the monthly meeting of the school board. The new field will take the place of the one formerly used which has now been plowed up and planted. The new field will be on property owned by the school board and will probably be fenced at some future date. The field will be back of the school which will make it impossible for large numbers of people to sit in their parked automobiles and watch the game without paying admission.

Bids were also called for 200 cords of wood for the schools during the next year. The bids will be received up to the time of the next regular meeting of the board in June. They call for quotations on both slab wood and body fir in 4 foot lengths to be delivered to the three schools.

The resignation of Miss Wilma Scott as teacher at the Lincoln school was accepted by the board. Miss Miriam Male was elected to take her place on the faculty.

No action was taken on the proposed changes necessary at the high school to accommodate the increased numbers which will result from the decision of the McKenzie union high school to send students to this city instead of continuing the school at Waltherville. Members of the board wanted to wait until they heard something from the officials of the Waltherville school to determine their plans for the year.

The matter of free text books for the schools of the city was discussed, but no action taken. The state law provides an expenditure of \$1.50 for each student, but this is not enough to purchase the necessary supplies.

Receipt of \$1,000 from the county treasurer for the school district was reported by the clerk.

## EASTERN STAR HONORS

MRS. J. C. McMURRAY

Charter Member Presented With Flowers; High School Girl Quartet Provides Music

A party in honor of Mrs. J. C. McMurray was given by the Cascade chapter of the Eastern Star lodge Tuesday night at the Masonic hall. Mrs. McMurray, who is a charter member and has held office in the group, was presented with a large basket of flowers. She is leaving Springfield shortly.

May Day was the motif for the party, basket lunches being served. The Springfield high school girls' quartet sang, and a skit was presented by chapter members called "A Country Romance." Forty-five members were present.

The next meeting of the lodge will be held Tuesday, May 19. A potluck dinner will be served.

## MANY ATTEND BARNELL RECITAL ON SATURDAY

A large group of Springfield people attended the public song recital of Mrs. W. K. Barnell at the McMorran and Washburne auditorium in Eugene Saturday evening. Mrs. Barnell was assisted by Miss Winifred Tyson, pianist, and Miss Roberta Spicer, cellist.

## TWO MEN INJURED AT SAWMILL ON TUESDAY

Clarence LaJole injured his eye at the Booth-Kelly lumber mill Tuesday while working. Smith Mounjoy injured his finger when he ran a large silver into the finger. Both men were given medical care. Their injuries were not serious.

## LEGION MEETING AT LOWELL HALL TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary will be held at Lowell tonight. Due to a mix-up in dates the meeting had been announced in this paper for last Thursday instead.

## P.-T. A. TO GIVE TEA FOR TEACHERS MAY 13

The Parent-Teacher Association of Springfield will entertain teachers at a tea Thursday, May 13, at Brattain school. Election of officers will be held, this being the last meeting of the year. Mrs. Marion Adams is in charge of the program.

## Tomseth Gaining Use of Both Eyes

Young Man Back From Hospital; Father Still Suffers From Injured Hand

Henry Tomseth will probably regain the use of both eyes, a member of the family told the News yesterday. When Henry and his father, Pete Tomseth, were injured by a blasting explosion last Wednesday, it was feared that the youth would lose the sight of at least one eye, but he returned from the Eugene hospital yesterday, expecting to have the use of both of them shortly.

Pete Tomseth, whose hand was badly injured from the accident, is said to be recovering, although it will be some time before he will be able to return to work.

The two victims were doing some blasting for a well being driven on Emerald Heights April 29 when the accident occurred. They had set a charge of explosives which did not go off when expected. The two men began to investigate, but as they neared the well, the charge ignited, knocking them both to the ground. Both were rushed immediately to the hospital.

## Bakery to Move Into New Home

Expanding Business Makes Third Move in Two Years Necessary for Firm

The New Home Bakery will move across the street into larger quarters during this week-end according to announcement made by Carl J. McKee, proprietor.

More room for the wholesale department of the bakery and elimination of truck loading from the Main street entrance will be effected by the move.

Several additional pieces of machinery including a cake mixer and another oven will be added to the equipment of the plant soon. This will provide the bakery with a battery of three ovens.

All frying and wrapping for the wholesale trade will be handled from the back room. This will eliminate all grease odors from the baking room and the retail department.

The New Home Bakery has shown a continual increase in business since it was taken over by Mr. McKee. Approximately two years ago the business was carried on in a residence. Later it was moved into the present location, and now the need for more space has led to another change of location.

Mr. and Mrs. McKee have recently purchased a home on the hill in South Springfield. They will move into it soon.

## HARDWARE STORE HAS NEW MARQUEE BUILT

Wright and Sons' hardware store are having a new marquee built on the front of their store, 518 Main street. The new addition will add protection to the windows, and adds greatly to the appearance of the store.

## HORSE FALLS ON MAN MAN GOES TO DOCTOR

H. E. Garrison sustained several bruises about his body some time ago when a horse fell on him. He did not think his injuries serious at first, but this week he consulted a local physician and X-ray pictures were being taken to determine the extent of the bruises.

## OFFICIAL FROM BURNS VISITS DAUGHTER HERE

H. A. Withers, Burns spent last Wednesday evening with his daughter, Joannine Withers, in this city. Mr. Withers is county commissioner for Harney county. He was on his way with a group of Harney men to interview the governor concerning the improvement of roads in Harney county.

## LEGION MAKES PLANS FOR BALLOON DANCE

A "balloon" dance is to be held by the Springfield American Legion at Thurston Saturday night. The "spot" dance held recently was a big success, and it is hoped by Legionnaires that this one will find equal favor.

## PLEASANT HILL GIRLS WIN OVER SPRINGFIELD

Girls of Springfield high school were defeated in an indoor baseball game this week by Pleasant Hill 6-4. The game was played on the latter's grounds, and the pitching mound was just 30 feet from the home plate rather than the 40 feet to which the Springfield girls are accustomed. A week ago on the large-sized Springfield diamond, the local girls at Pleasant Hill 22-5.

## Has A Big Title



Hon. Post Wheeler, photographed at the White House, has the impressive title of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Peru.

## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE IS NEARLY COMPLETED

Game With Roseburg Scheduled For Fall Campaign of Local High School Eleven

The Springfield high school football schedule is practically completed for next year, contracts having been signed for almost all of the games. A trip to Roseburg on October 9 to play the high school there has been added to the regular county schedule. A game is also scheduled with Eugene on October 2, the place as yet undecided.

A new football field is being planned to be built behind the Brattain school. It is hoped that this field will be fenced in before the beginning of football season.

## SPRINGFIELD LIBRARY BOARD HAS MEETING

Fifty-two Books Presented to Local Association; Large Number Read in Month

A meeting of the Springfield library board was held last Monday afternoon, Mrs. N. W. Emery presiding. All members were present. Notable among the activities of the library for the past week was the gift of 52 books to the library by H. M. Hannicut, former resident of Springfield.

During the past month 784 books and 93 magazines have been read in the reading room. One hundred and ten books were mended by a professional book repairer. Twenty-two volumes were rebound by the Eugene bindery.

One of the discussions held at the meeting was on how to prevent the loss and destruction of books and magazines. Many of the best books have been disappearing and such periodicals as Western Story and Popular Mechanics. Mrs. L. K. Page secretary of the library board urges people to be sure to return all matter taken from the library.

## MOTHER'S STUDY CLUB MEETS FOR DISCUSSION

The Mother's Study club of the Springfield Parent Teacher's Association held their semi-monthly meeting last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Chester Aldrich. The subject of the discussion was on how to handle quarrelling, teasing, bullying, and whining children.

The last of a series of talks by Mrs. Sarah Prentiss over radio station KOAC was listened to by the members. Other meetings are scheduled for this summer, at which a course being sponsored by The Parent's Magazine will be studied.

## MOTHERS, DAUGHTERS HAVE BANQUET MAY 11

The annual Mothers and Daughters banquet of Springfield high school is to be held this year on May 11, the evening following Mother's day. Plans for a larger banquet than usual are being made. The location of the banquet is as yet undecided on account of the weather.

## KAFOURYS RETURN TO SPRINGFIELD FOR VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kafoury visited the home of L. C. Moffitt recently. The Kafourys, who formerly operated a dry goods store in Eugene, are here for both business and pleasure. They now live in Salem, where Mr. Kafoury is in the business of manufacturing smocks.

Grape: "What happened that you didn't go on the Zeppelin flight around the world?"  
Vine: "Too expensive—my bank-roll wouldn't stand the Graf."

Mrs. Nendore: "How much a week do you pay your maid?"  
Mrs. Hiram Offun: "Really, I can't say. I always pay them by the hour. They never stay a week."

## RED CROSS PLANS FREE SWIM LESSON

Red Cross Instructors To Hold Week's Sessions at U. of O. and Y. M. C. A.

## MANY STUDENTS LEARN

Today Final Day for Registration; Course Open To All Non-Swimmers

Springfield residents who are not already efficient swimmers will have their opportunity to learn this useful and healthful sport next week when Red Cross swimming instructors will conduct classes every day at the two pools at the university and at the Y. M. C. A. in Eugene.

The 'Learn to Swim' work of the Red Cross is directed primarily for young people of school age but is open to any person who wants to learn. Instruction is free and transportation from Springfield will be arranged before the first class on Monday.

William Cox is directing the registration here. All school children over three years who cannot swim are urged to sign one of the registration slips distributed at the schools. They will have their classes during the afternoon. Adult classes will be held in the evenings.

Adults who desire to learn to swim should register with Cox at the Irish-Murphy store immediately. Registration closes tonight. The course of instruction will last one week, and certificates will be awarded those who master the sport at the conclusion of their lessons.

A large group of students, especially grade school pupils, attended the classes last year. Most of them learned to swim. This instruction is given annually in most parts of the United States, and is especially valuable to people living in this vicinity where there are many streams of running water, and where lives could frequently be saved if on-lookers could successfully rescue them.

## H. S. STUDENTS PLAN 'PLAY DAY' TUESDAY

Classes Get Half-Holiday to Participate in Luncheon and Outdoor Activities

Springfield high school will observe Play Day Tuesday of next week. Classes will start at 8 o'clock instead of 8:30 and school will be dismissed at noon.

A picnic luncheon will be served at noon on the school grounds. Special musical entertainment will be provided by women students at the University of Oregon during the luncheon.

The entire afternoon will be devoted to such sports as various novelty races, two baseball games, horseshoe tournament, sack race, and others.

The affair is being sponsored by the Girls League at the high school.

## MULHOLLAND TO GIVE MOTHER'S DAY SERMON

"The Career of Motherhood" will be the subject of the sermon to be given this Sunday at the Baptist church by Ralph R. Mulholland, pastor. In the evening the topic will be "Puff Up or Build Up."

## LIONS HONOR MEMBERS WITH SPECIAL DINNER

A joint dinner for members of the Lions club and their wives will be held Friday night at 6:30 at the Community house. The affair is in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Murray and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Walker, who are leaving Springfield shortly. Jack Henderer is in charge of the program.

## DEGREE STAFF PLANS MEETING FOR FRIDAY

The monthly meeting and social for members of the degree staff of the Rebekah lodge will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening. A business meeting and practice period will be followed by a social gathering.

## IUKA CIRCLE TO MEET AT ARMORY TONIGHT

Plans for a social to be sponsored by the Iuka circle of the Ladies of the G.A.R. will be discussed at the regular meeting of the group at the armory tonight according to officers of the group. The members are trying to raise funds with which to send delegates to the annual convention to be held in Portland in June.

Called to Salem—Mrs. W. H. Adrian was called to Salem Wednesday evening due to the illness of her aunt. She was accompanied by Mrs. Clifford Wilson.

## 'Arrival of Kitty' Offered Tonight

Young People of Christian Church Give Three-Act Comedy at High School

"The Arrival of Kitty," a three-act comedy, will be presented by the Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church tonight, May 7, at the high school auditorium, the curtain rising at 7:30. The play is being given to raise funds for pledges towards the church budget.

Mrs. John Ketels is directing the rehearsals. Barbara Adams will play the leading role of Kitty. The following is the cast of characters: William Winkler, Hubert Sias; Aunt Jane, his sister, Miss Irene Brownfield; Jane, his niece, Miss Jessie Beuls; Bobbie Baxter, Roy Breshears; Benjamin More, William Sward; Ting, the bell-boy, William Mills; Sam, a colored porter, Vern Laswell; Kitty, an actress, Miss Barbara Adams; Suzette, aunt Jane's maid, Miss Beulah Richardson.

The scene is that of a hotel in the Catskill mountains, and the action is supposed to have taken place last August. The three acts of the play are divided into the three periods of time, late morning, early afternoon, and almost evening.

The remainder of the staff are Mary Hadley, prompter; Jewel Heltterbrand, property manager; Ruth Sias, costume manager; Ernest Ludlow, make-up; John P. Ketels, furniture.

Music will be provided between acts by the Christian Church orchestra. William McLain will give some impersonations.

## H. S. Ball Squad Drop Two Games

Locals Bow to University High and Pleasant Hill; Game Here Friday

Springfield high school dropped two baseball games this past week, the first to University high, 7-6, and the second to Pleasant Hill, 7-0. Both games were played on their opponents' fields.

The game against the Eugene school was a thrilling affair the two teams battling nip and tuck all the way. The scores were tied at 1-1, 2-2, 3-3, 4-4, and 5-5, but University high came to bat last, and consequently they scored the most runs. The winning marker came in the last half of the ninth inning.

The batteries for Springfield were: Lynch, pitcher; Mattison catcher. For University high they were Kneeland, pitcher; Smith, catcher. In the game with Pleasant Hill, the trouble was too much pitching by Mauney, the Hill hurler. Springfield was able to garner just two hits, and their opponents had little difficulty in winning the game. The batteries for Springfield were: Robeson, pitcher, and Hartman, catcher; for Pleasant Hill Hill, Mauney, pitcher, Pebbles, catcher.

A game is scheduled by Springfield to play University high here next Friday afternoon.

## OREGON LEADS STATES IN BULB PRODUCTION

Oregon is the leading tulip growing state in the Union according to a survey completed by the United States government. The state is also a leader among many other states in the production of flowering bulbs. This state harvests three times as many tulip bulbs as does her nearest competitor, Colorado, and nearly half of the entire harvest of the entire country, according to the report.

## MRS. BARNELL SINGS FOR FEDERATED CLUBS

Mrs. W. K. Barnell, with Miss Winifred Tyson as accompanist, was soloist for the program sponsored by the Women's Federated Clubs at the Community Liberal Church in Eugene Thursday evening. This being National week, many organizations and clubs have featured special programs.

Both Mrs. Barnell and Miss Tyson have been requested to appear on several programs in Eugene and Springfield this week.

## GIRLS BASEBALL TEAM TO PLAY AT U. OF O.

Springfield high school girls baseball team coached by W. E. Buell, principal, will go to Eugene Friday to participate in the annual University Play Day activities sponsored by the Women's League of the school. The baseball team made a strong bid for supremacy last year and are expected to do even better Friday.

Has Operation—Mrs. Sophia Warner was operated upon by a local physician at the Pacific Christian hospital Wednesday morning.

## Extra Votes Given In Big Prize Campaign

Contestants Working Hard for \$20 Clubs of New Subscriptions, Each Earns 60,000 Extra Votes Until May 16, Still Time to Enter.

BOOM! BOOM! The big battle of votes is on in earnest. Most of the contestants in our "Earn and Win" campaign have been busy piling up votes during the past week and now that the 10 day period are about over they are looking forward to May 16 which is the end of the first period of the campaign. Realizing that after that date the bonus votes are decidedly lower they are all doing their best to build \$20 clubs of new subscriptions, as each one turned in at the beginning of the campaign until 8 p. m. Saturday, May 16 earns a bonus of 60,000 extra votes. Of course it is not necessary to complete a full club of \$20 before turning same in as the bonus will be prorated and each fraction of a club counts. In other words, 60,000 extra votes for \$20 in new subscriptions means 3,000 for each dollar.

Amass Votes Now  
This campaign is no different than any form of competition or even a campaign of warring armies. The general who knows his business will build up a strong reserve at the beginning to be prepared later on so he can bring enough reinforcements up to the front line at the critical moment. IF YOU amass all the votes possible right now while they are the highest it will be very much harder for any one to pass you later on in the campaign as they will have to work harder for each subscription and at the same time only earn about half the amount of votes they can earn right now.

Time is Flying  
The time is flying—Are you trying? A little extra effort NOW while the votes are at the peak will place you in a commanding position in the race for the beautiful automobiles and other magnificent gifts to be awarded in less than a month. The list of contestants shows a new leader today. Who will be leading next week?

Still Time to Enter  
The entry period is still on and there is still plenty of time left for a contestant of the go-getter type to enter and win. A few days of concentrated effort while the biggest extra vote period is still on enables anyone to build a strong reserve for the finish. Besides the biggest extra vote period a new contestant has a ten day period of double votes. This is our last call for a go-getter as the nomination period will soon be closed and no more entrants will be accepted after that date. Work—fight—win! It won't be long now.

SERIOUS BLAZE IS NARROWLY AVERTED  
What might easily have become one of the worst fires in the history of Springfield was averted at the Springfield garage when Jack Foster carried a pan of gasoline which had become ignited out into the alley, severely burning his hand, arm, and face.

He was given immediate medical care and is now carrying his arm in a sling. Had the building become ignited the entire business block would have been endangered.

## MEETING OF BETHANY CLASS HELD MONDAY

The Bethany class of the Baptist Sunday school held a business meeting at Mrs. Eva A. Tobias' home Monday. Miss Grace May was selected as social promoter to take the place of Miss Marlon Chase, who is taking over the class of Mrs. Fred Freese.

A motion was passed to catalogue and repair all Bibles and missionary reading material.

## DR. POLLARD ELECTED TO ATTEND M. E. MEET

Dr. W. H. Pollard was recently elected to be one of the four representatives from Lane county to attend the state Methodist conference in Eugene in June. At this meeting one man will be elected to attend the General Conference of Methodists at Atlantic City, New Jersey, in 1932.

Once every four years an Oregon man is sent to the east to represent the state at the convention. Dr. Pollard was the representative to attend the conference at Springfield, Massachusetts in 1924.

## Contestants

Contestants in this campaign have the privilege of publishing all their votes at any time or may hold some in reserve. Therefore, the votes shown in this list each week will be the total which the contestants desired to be published. This method leaves it entirely up to the contestants themselves.

Mrs. Thos. Campbell, Eugene	238,000
Hazel Edmiston, Thurston	232,000
Mrs. Eathe Forstrom, Eugene	230,000
Mrs. Ruth Garoutte, Cottage Grove	228,000
Mrs. J. Irene Hanekamp, Eugene, Rte. 3	235,000
Mrs. Arthur Hayes, Eugene	208,000
Mrs. M. B. Huntley, Springfield	230,000
Cleo Moats, Eugene	212,000
Mrs. Pearl Schantol, Eugene, Rte. 2	222,000
Joel Trapp, Eugene	202,000

## HEALTH PROGRAM IS SET FOR MAY 22

Lincoln Students Will Give May-Pole Dance Under Direction of Miss Scott

## BETTER HEALTH GOAL

Many Students Will Get Blue Ribbons for Complying With County Rules

The annual children's May Day program will take place on Friday afternoon, May 22. It was announced by Mrs. L. K. Page, chairman of the education department of the Springfield schools. The purpose of the day, of which Mrs. C. O. Wilson, as president of the Springfield health group is chairman, is to promote good health among children.

Among the features on the program will be a May-pole dance by first and second grade pupils of Lincoln school under the direction of their teacher, Miss Wilma Scott. The other grades will contribute drills and dances. A song chorus is being formed at the Lincoln school.

Miss Beth Konkel, executive secretary of the Lane county public health association, will help the committee direct the program. Blue ribbons are to be presented to those pupils who have followed the little set of health rules furnished them.

The May Day will probably be held on the lawn of Lincoln school. It is hoped that Mayor Tyson will speak.

## SPECIAL SERVICES FOR MOTHER'S DAY LISTED

Christian Church Group To Hold Service One Hour Earlier Each Sunday of Summer

The Christian Church will hold special Mother's Day services this Sunday. Lucille Schutt, crayon artist and cartoonist, will be presented, as well as some special music by the choir. The Mother's Day sermon will be given by Vekie Pruitt, pastor. Special attention is called to the fact that the time for the morning service has been advanced from 11 to 10 o'clock.

Honor will be paid to fathers at the evening services, starting at 8 o'clock. The pastor will deliver a sermon on "Father and the Home." Miss Schutt will entertain with some more drawings.

## TWO WOMEN HONORED BY KENSINGTON CLUB

Mrs. W. F. Walker and Mrs. J. C. McMurray were given a luncheon in their honor on Tuesday. Both of the honored guests are leaving the city shortly. Gifts were presented to both women. The luncheon table was beautifully decorated.

Following are those who were present: Mrs. W. E. Buell, Mrs. W. K. Barnell, Mrs. L. E. Dodforth, Mrs. Clarence Chase, Mrs. W. N. Dow, Mrs. C. E. Kenyon, Mrs. L. May, Mrs. J. T. Moore, Mrs. A. J. Morgan, Mrs. Charles Poole, Mrs. W. C. Rebhan, Mrs. C. E. Swarts, Miss Edna Swarts, Mrs. Harry Whitney, Mrs. S. C. Wright, Mrs. W. Wright, and the guests of honor, Mrs. W. F. Walker and Mrs. J. C. McMurray.

## LICENSE ARE HANDY FOR LOCAL FISHERMEN

W. K. Barnell had an unusual story to relate to his friends Monday morning after he returned from Smith River where he together with Frank Switson Riley Snodgrass, and Dr. W. N. Dow had spent Sunday fishing.

After years of fishing in Oregon streams Barnell told of being asked by a game warden to show his fishing license. He doubted the authenticity of the supposed warden and demanded that he show his star of authority before producing the required license. He found he was addressing a real warden.

"They were not biting very good and they were all pretty small anyway," declared Barnell.

## E. SCHNETZKY VISITS FROM SOUTH DAKOTA

Ervan Schnetzky is in Springfield to visit his friends and relatives. Mr. Schnetzky's home is in South Dakota. He is being entertained by his brother, A. J. Schnetzky, M. A. Pohl, and Dr. R. P. Mortensen. Mr. Schnetzky has decided to enter the coast guard, but has not yet decided where he will go from Eugene.

## CARLOAD OF ASPHALT BEING LOADED HERE

A tank car of asphalt was received in the Springfield yards Wednesday morning. The car is being unloaded here and will be used for the improvement of highways around Roseburg, Hoodport and Sluslaw.