

# THE CASCADIAN

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## School Jottings at Random—

The reading of high school students in their own choice of materials forms a peculiar hodge-podge of information when it is analyzed. Students who have a nearly perfect average in class work seem to choose a type of book of greatly lower grade than one would expect of such students. On the other hand, boys who detest the school room are great readers of magazines of a scientific nature. Newspapers, with the exception of the funnies and sport pages, are only incidentals to fire building to most students, yet tests prove that most of them are rather up on some of the day's questions.

Radio programs vary in their appeal to students, with dance orchestras the most popular to the greatest number. History, although most students like to talk a certain amount of it, goes begging in most libraries. If some writers can sugar coat their history with an appealing story, with sports and science to attract the boys and movies and orchestra leaders to gain the eye of the girls, the world's supply of history teachers would beat a path to his door.

## Gymnasium Busy.

The busiest spot in Cascade Locks now days is the high school gymnasium. Every afternoon the gym is in use for basketball practice up to 4 o'clock. Two afternoons after school Mrs. MacGowan has her dancing classes under P. T. A. supervision. Two evenings a week the boys practice basketball, one evening the town women have a gymnasium class, and now the engineers are to use the floor one night for organizing their basketball team. All in all, the gym is just one series of events and it looks like the NRA will need to put a few more days a week to take care of a litthose who wish to use the floor.

## Benefit Show.

Don't forget the P. T. A. benefit show in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, October 23. The money cleared on the performance will be used by the organization to help support the hot lunch project.

Dick MacKinnon, last year's star basketball player, returned to school Monday after being absent several weeks. He will be quite an aid to the Blue and Gold quintet.

## Bird Season Opens.

The pheasant season opened Monday in Hood River and Multnomah counties and quite a number of hunters took to the fields in search of birds. The season ends October 31.

The duck season opens today and will remain open until Sunday night, when it closes until next Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The law this year makes for only weekend shooting.

## State Advertises Lots.

The state is advertising its three lots on the highway in Bonneville for sale. The lots are located just south of the state road and west of Tyrell's Tavern, and lie nearly opposite the spot where the new road into the reservation connects with the highway.

Date of the sale has been fixed for October 31. The lots will go to the highest bidder. It is generally believed that the property will be bought up by individuals wanting business locations near the dam.

First six week grades published this week by the high school contained 26 grades of "1," the highest grade given, its percentage being 94-100. The girls topped the list with 19 grades to seven for the boys. Four sophomores, Dave Johnson, Geraldine Rankin, Jane Geitner and Peggy Peacock, headed the scandal sheet with a straight "1" card, having four each. Faye Douville, senior, came next with three out of a possible four perfect; Lois Merrill, senior, and Donald MacDougall, sophomore, were next with two, and Harrell, Kanzler, Howard Harrison and Ida Glazier, one each.

## Class Is Complimented.

Last year's biology class retheir laboratory work from Chas. G. Davis, vice president of the University Apparatus company of Beryley, California, when he visited Supt. Henderson here Tuesday. Particularly was Mr. Davis impressed by the work on mounting mammal skeletons, which he said was some of the best work he had seen in high schools. Members of the biology class in 1933-34 were Jesse Nassbahn, Foulkes, Inez Ferras, Sundsten, Everill Broilliar, Faye Douville, Helen Glazier, Lois Merrill, Howard Harrison, Dick MacKinnon, Harry Cramblett, Faith Sundry and Jim Kirby.

## New Books From Hood River Library.

Students were pleasantly surprised to find a large selection of new and old books from the Hood River library ready for circulation in the English classes this week. Formal classes in grammar were suspended, librarians appointed, and each student found a book and devoted his time to reading. Later several of the favorite authors were selected and excerpts of their lives and works were given in class.

This week has been one devoted to picking up loose threads of the six-weeks period. Magazine articles have held first place in the attention of the classes. Since the commercial geography classes are studying modern commerce and industry, the Bonneville dam, union strikes and world affairs are of outstanding importance.

The senior English classes are completing six weeks projects on the theme, "My Hobby Horse." Howard Harrison has collected some interesting Indian legends about historic spots in the Columbia Gorge.

Letters were written last week by the hygiene class to divisions of the University of Oregon asking for pertinent material. The class hopes to secure some white rats for making experiments in diet and feeding.

## Student Body Elects.

The high school students held a meeting Wednesday, October 10, and elected new student body officers. Those elected were: Faye Douville, president; Helen Glazier, vice president; Lois Merrill, secretary; Howard Harrison, treasurer; Peggy Peacock, social chairman; Harry Cramblett, sergeant at arms.

## Culprit Punished.

The first student council was held last Monday for the purpose of determining responsibility for the destroying of school property. After questioning several students, the guilty party was determined and punishment was set at ostracism from school affairs until the window was paid for.

## School Play Delayed.

Due to illness of Al Jenkins, play rehearsals scheduled to start this week have been delayed. Al was operated on in a Vancouver hospital and is reported to be getting along in splendid condition.

The Bonneville Women's club met at the home of Mrs. Bauer in Cascade Locks last Thursday. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Mason in Warrendale, and will be in the form of a Halloween party, the date being October 25th.

"Did you get a hair cut?"  
"No, I just had my ears moved down a half inch."

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**BRIDGE OF THE GODS HOTEL  
TUESDAY, OCT. 23, AT 8:00 P. M.**

Only members whose dues are paid up to date will be entitled to vote. Transportation from Dam to Locks and return, leaving Community Center House at 7.30 p. m.

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