

SALEM SCHOOLTEACHERS

WERE CHOSEN LAST NIGHT FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Principals Were Assigned and Janitors Elected—Promising Crop Conditions Reported in Marion.

SALEM, Or., May 19.—The Salem School Board tonight elected the following teachers for next year: Miss Luella Parrish, Miss Eva Stafford, Miss Hallie Thomas, Miss Anna Hall, Mrs. M. B. Nichols, H. H. Smith, Mrs. Carrie O. Smith, Miss Ethel Rigidon, Miss Agnes Shepard, W. M. Smith, Miss Myrtle Marsh, Miss Rose Moore, Miss Emma Kramer, Mrs. Carrie Roland, Miss Alice Melton, Miss Margaret Cooper, Miss Anna Gordon, Miss Musa Geer, Miss Ermine Bushnell, Miss Minetta Magera, Miss Adda Hart, Miss Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Gertrude Fobbe, Miss Bertha Ketchum, Miss Ella Welch, Miss Clara Scott, Miss Maude Myers, Miss Orville Ballou, Miss Bertha Byrd, Miss Maria D'Arcy and Miss Anna Fischer. It was decided that the polytechnic school shall be discontinued.

The principals were assigned to schools as follows: East, Yoder; Lincoln, Baker; North, Graham; Park, Jennings; Central, Dodd.

Promising Crop Conditions.

Salem streets were filled today with the usual Saturday crowd of farmers. Nearly all of whom inquiry was made reported reports to make regarding the outlook for crops. The general opinion among fruitmen is that there will be a good half crop of Italian grapes of first-class quality. Other varieties there will be a full crop. Cherries and strawberries are both promising well.

George W. Weeks, the Howell Prairie dairyman, says that an unusual amount of corn has been planted this season by farmers of his neighborhood, and that the weather has been very favorable for an excellent crop. It has continued for a fair length of time, and the weather has since been cool but bright. A spell of hot weather would have been injurious to the corn. Mr. Weeks says that most of the farmers will use their corn for ensilage or Summer sowing.

A few farmers say that in the last few days they have heard complaints of green aphids on growing wheat. It has been reported that Fall wheat is turning yellow without any apparent cause. None of the farmers interviewed today have examined their wheat closely, but some have been reliably informed that the stalks of wheat are thickly covered with the small, green aphids that has damaged the wheat in previous seasons.

All reports concerning the hop crop are very encouraging. While the acreage has been reduced considerably, both by plowing up and by missing hills in some localities, the present indication is that the hop vines will make a thrifty growth and mature a crop of unusually good quality.

New Oregon Incorporations.

The following new companies filed articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State this week: Gold-Standard Mining & Milling Company; Baker City; \$1,000,000; H. W. Early, George Porter, M. Wright. This company will also have headquarters in New York City. Supreme Society of the Knights and Ladies of Benevolence; Portland; William Young, J. J. Johnson, J. M. Cook, Henry Jacques, J. G. Nash. This is a mutual benefit society. Shaniko Drug Company; Shaniko; \$500; W. Williams, Henry F. L. Houghton, E. Kuria. Euroka Mining Company; Portland; \$200; Thomas Humphrey, M. M. Johnson, Jr., John F. Ames. Spray Hall Company; Spray, Wheeler County; \$100; J. F. Spray, A. G. Carsner, J. H. Wilson. Object, to build and lease a public hall. Arundel Gold Mining Company; Portland; \$50,000; J. C. Barton, A. G. Ogilvie, Seneca Smith. Jefferson-Street Belgian Hare Company; Portland; \$100; F. W. Brooks, R. D. Fulton, Edward F. Smith, Carl Brandes. Marion's Official Ticket. County Clerk Hall this evening completed the form for the official ballot for the June election. The names of the candidates as hereafter announced are arranged in alphabetical order, and at the end of the ballot the five proposed amendments to the Constitution are placed in order so as to permit a voter by making a mark opposite the words "Yes" or "No." Practically three tickets are in the field—Republican, Democratic-Citizen and Prohibitionist. The Fusionists have no candidate for School Superintendent, but the Social Democracy has nominated a candidate, who is expected to get part of the Fusion vote. The three Legislative tickets are as follows: Republican—C. D. Hartman, Henry Keene, Lot L. Pearce, J. M. Poorman, J. N. Smith. Democratic-Citizen—G. L. Brown, J. B. Dimick, E. Hofer, A. B. Huddleston, George W. Weeks. Prohibition—Charles Baldwin, J. H. Baty, D. Bowerman, J. M. Brown, Fred P. Hurst. The Republican campaign in Marion County will be opened in Salem Monday evening, May 21, at a meeting to be held under the auspices of the Workingmen's Republican Club. Hon. C. W. Fulton, of Astoria, has been engaged to deliver the address on that occasion.

Capital City Brevities.

The State Land Board today sold to E. H. Ralston the Arthur Langell farm of 110 acres in Clatsop county, the price being \$500. The farm is located on mile east of Klamath Falls, in Langdon Valley. It is grass land, and will be used for grazing. Mr. Ralston resides at La Grande, Union county. The farm was acquired by the state by the foreclosure of a mortgage. The local contest of the Willamette University athletes was concluded at the fair grounds this afternoon. This contest is held for the purpose of determining the make-up of the team that will represent Willamette in the intercollegiate field meet. State Treasurer Moore today received a remittance of \$2000 from Wheeler County to apply on 1899 state taxes. A draft for \$100 was also received from the National Home for Disabled Soldiers. This sum will be turned into the Oregon Soldiers Home fund. Mike Stauben, an employe of the brewery, reports that two shots were fired at him at about midnight last night, as he was returning to his home in South Salem. The matter was not reported to the police. It is thought that the shots were fired by a practical joker. Hilda for furnishing the labor for the remodeling of the old opera-house were opened today. Richard Ely's bid of \$200 was the lowest, the next being \$220. E. P. McCormack, owner of the building, said this evening that the contract would probably be let to Ely.

All but One Teacher Re-Elected.

FANCOUVER, Wash., May 19.—The following teachers have been elected for the coming year: Superintendent, C. W. Shunway; principal of High School, P. Hough; assistant, Mrs. E. C. Bellows; principal of Columbian School, A. Burroughs; principal of primary department, Mrs. Josephine Lisher. Grade teachers—Primary department, Miss Sallie Daniels, Miss Hubbard, Miss Florence Snodgrass, Mrs. Hattie Beyer, instructor, Miss M. E. Lynch, Miss Ryan, Miss Dee Clark, D. F. Leach, Mrs. Clara Ryan, Miss Pritchard, Mrs. Carrie Scott, Miss Susan Brown, Miss Ethel Carroll. The only new teacher, Mrs. Scott, who succeeds Miss Hargrave, resigned. H. Laurence was re-elected janitor for

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