

# MOST OF NORMAL GRADUATES TEACH

## Survey Shows 178 of 203 in Monmouth Classes Are Employed in Schools.

# RURAL CALLS FREQUENT

## Many Students Sign Contracts to Become Instructors Before Their Courses Are Completed—All in Six Classes Traced.

**MONMOUTH, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—Most of the graduates of the Oregon Normal School in the three classes since the reinstatement of the institution in 1912, according to a survey just completed by the administrative office, are holding positions as principals, teachers or supervisors in various Oregon communities or in California, Washington, Montana or Idaho.

Out of a total of 203 completing the normal school course, 167 are teachers in grammar and high schools, 10 are principals and one is a rural supervisor, 10 are married and not teaching, eight unmarried who are not teaching, two have died, one is a student at Oregon Agricultural College, and two are students at the University of Oregon. Only 28 of the 203 are men.

A large percentage signed contracts to teach before completing their course. The rural schools particularly made frequent and insistent calls to the Normal School for teachers. President Ackerman says the demand for rural districts is growing stronger. To meet it a department of rural education was established.

# RESULTS OF SURVEY GIVEN

The survey shows the positions of the graduates to be as follows:

**February, 1912—**Hazel Robinson, teacher, Independence; Jessie Hyde, teacher, Corvallis; Queen Lynn, married, Salem; Louise McAlpin, teacher, Portland; Alice Morrison, teacher, Corvallis; Albert Sacre, teacher, Halfway; Leslie Strahan, teacher, Joseph, Ore.; Raymond, Wash.; Elizabeth Clark, married, Raymond, Wash.; Catherine Campbell, teacher, Torrington, Wyo.; Charles Cook, married, California; Eugene E. Cook, teacher, Eugene; Mabel Ellis, married, Wasco; Mary Egan, teacher, Oregon City; Guy Postler, teacher, Portland; Viola Gwynne, teacher, Astoria; Emma Knutson, teacher, Astoria; Elmer Knutson, teacher, Hillsboro; Sara B. Mickelson, teacher, Santa Barbara, Cal.; Selma Norberg, teacher, Astoria; Mrs. J. C. Morgan, teacher, Newberg; Lela Scott (Mrs. Frank Sturgis), teacher, Huntington; Jess Stark, teacher, McMinnville; Mabel Starnes, teacher, McMinnville; Ruth Trosky, teacher, Portland; Mrs. Meta Wilson, teacher, Oregon City.

**February, 1913—**Albin E. Baker, teacher, Albany; Sadie Bell, teacher, Harrisburg; Rhena Benson, teacher, Westport; Orin E. Byers, principal, near Albany; Agnes Clark, married, Salem; Freda Glat, teacher, McMinnville; Bertha Hamam, teacher, Independence; Douglas Hess, married, Monmouth; Clara Ireland, teacher, Drewsey; Elia James, principal, Astoria; Kelly, married, Astoria; Frances Less, teacher, Lakeview; Edith Perry, teacher, Presidio; Edna Rogers, teacher, Lewis and Clark; Lydia Powell, student at Oregon Agricultural College; Mrs. Eva Scott, teacher, Oregon City; Bernice Spivey, teacher, McMinnville; Jean Shattman, deceased; Olen Shore, teacher, Astoria; Maud White, teacher, Albany; Anna Wood, teacher, McMinnville; Hazel Work, married, McMinnville.

**June, 1913, Class Listed.**

June, 1913.—Caroline Amrine, teacher, Oregon City; Hilma Anderson, teacher, Portland; Edna Beardsley, teacher, Astoria; Ethel Crawford, teacher, Burns; Lucy Coffey, teacher, Walla Walla; Helen Colvin, teacher, Woodburn; Carolyn Gifford, teacher, McMinnville; Elma Gosick, teacher, North Platte; Lorena Daniel, teacher, Washington; Gertrude Davidson, teacher, Washington; Ethel Dawson, teacher, McMinnville; Louise Demme, teacher, Burns; Mary Egan, teacher, Postville; Eva Duplan, teacher, Springfield; Lena Erickson, teacher, McMinnville; Tommie Erickson, teacher, McMinnville; Mildred Francis, teacher, Yoncalia; Florence Haan, teacher, Astoria; Fay Hampton, teacher, Eugene; Ruth Johnson, teacher, Creswell; Sara Haseltine, teacher, California; Hattie B. Hawley, teacher, Creswell; Hazel Hill, teacher, Astoria; Maud Hendrick, teacher, Berkeley, Cal.; Grace Henderson, teacher, Berkeley, Cal.; Len Hoyer, teacher, Lakeview; Mahable Ingalls, teacher, Troutdale; Emma Johnson, teacher, Troutdale; Lena Knapp, teacher, Troutdale; Clara Lewis, teacher, Montana; Sarah Martin, teacher, Springfield; Margaret McCulloch, teacher, McMinnville; Mrs. Laura Nielson, teacher, Portland; David S. North, principal, Astoria; Helen Peterson, teacher, Portland; E. M. Peterson, supervisor, Medford; Grace Porter, teacher, Wasco; Mrs. Mira Roberts, teacher, Klamath County; Gertrude Rohr, teacher, Astoria; Edith Shearer, teacher, Klamath County; Desale Swan, teacher, Burns; Elsie Thayer, teacher, Holt; Elizabeth Thayer, teacher, Tallman; Mrs. Louise Weniger, teacher, Salem; Leta Woodcock, teacher, Grants Pass.

**February, 1914—**Mamie Ayers, teacher, Heaver; Madeline Bell, teacher, Drain; Gladys Carson, principal, Burns; Crest School, Marion County; Helen Choudroun, teacher, Timber; Luella Daniel, teacher, Jones; Martha Giering, teacher, Huntington; Harriet Harris, teacher, Hermiston; Ella Hayden, student at University of Oregon; Clarence Heston, teacher, Umatilla County; Mrs. Rula Hinds, teacher, Corvallis; Henrietta Hozer, teacher, Drain; Lucinda Johnson, teacher, Astoria; Inez Kern, teacher, Salem; Lenora Kizer, teacher, Sherman County; Ida Mack, teacher, Falls; Mrs. Mabel Mack, teacher, Milledgeville; Mabel Muldrick, teacher, Ashland; Margaret M. Nielson, teacher, Oregon City; Blanche Peterson, teacher, Lewis and Clark; A. Peterson, teacher, Clatskanie; Laura Purcell, teacher, Parkersburg; Nettie Smith, teacher, Hobart; Charlotte I. Sauer, teacher, Creswell; Amy Jane Steenberg, not teaching; Salem; Madge Thomas, teacher, Clatskanie; Leta Watson, teacher, Klamath Falls; Clara Watson, teacher, Stanfield; Albigai A. Welch, teacher, Baker; Leta Wilson, teacher, Falls City; Olga Wood, married, Vernonia.

State; Edna Phillips, deceased; Guy F. Richards, teacher, Forest Grove; A. E. Richards, teacher, State of Washington; Eleanor Richmond, principal, Turion; Alia Rosquest, not teaching; Salem; Evelyn Rogers, teacher, Clatsop County; Keith Shaw, teacher, McMinnville; Amanda Smith, teacher, Klamath County; Winifred Smith, teacher, Klamath County; Almida Smith, teacher, Selo; Mildred Trindle, teacher, Baker; Jessie Wagener, teacher, Astoria; Ina White, teacher, Corvallis; Grace Williams, teacher, Portland; Minnie Wunder, teacher, Shasta County; Elsie Yoder, teacher, Oregon City.

# STORAGE AIDS GROWERS

## White Salmon Fruit Men See Saving in Warehouse and Canal.

**WHITE SALMON, Wash., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—White Salmon Valley apple growers are much elated over the decision of The Dalles-Columbia Boat Company to build an assembling plant in Warehouse and Canal.

# WOMAN PIONEER OF 1852 DIES AT BROWNSVILLE

**BROWNSVILLE, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—Catherine May Lemaster Gross, who died here December 19, was born December 25, 1852, in Gilliam County, Missouri. She came to Oregon in 1852 by oxteam. The family settled in Yamhill County and later moved to a farm near Harrisburg. Miss Lemaster was married to David H. Putnam July 29, 1854. Eleven children were born and six are still living.

David Putnam died March 18, 1858, and Mrs. Putnam was married to Andrew Gross February 1, 1857. He died January 18, 1916.

The six children who survive are: Mrs. D. C. Roberts, of Hothead, Wash.; Mrs. J. Ernstberger, Brownsville, Or.; W. H. Putnam, Brownsville, Or.; Mrs. J. C. Morgan, Brownsville, Or.; J. L. Putnam, Holley, Ore.; and J. B. Putnam, Seattle, Wash.

There are 26 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

# LEGISLATORS TURN ON ELECTION LAWS

## Direct Primary Blamed for Many Troubles of State at Tacoma Meeting.

# NEW BILLS ARE OFFERED

## Second Choice Feature May Suffer and Conventions May Be Restored to Frame Platform and Name Tickets.

**TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—Washington election and registration laws came in for a grilling at the meeting of the Republican state committee. When the direct primary bill was discussed the remarks of the only member of the Senate to vote against the direct primary law were recalled. Several members of the coming Legislature admitted that the troubles predicted by Senator Rands in his remarks, as written into the Senate Journal, had come to pass.

Twenty members of the committee of 29 were present. Legislators in the city here to attend the legislative banquet at night also were at the committee meeting.

# Woman to Organize Clubs

The committee voted to employ a state organizer for women's clubs to begin work for the 1916 campaign. It is understood this position will go to a Tacoma woman.

Recommendations for a new election law, drafted by a sub-committee appointed to frame measures to meet the demands of the party platform, were adopted.

Among the principal features of the bill proposed by the sub-committee are: Repeal of second choice provisions of the primary law; election precinct committees at a May biennial primary; making each candidate sign an affidavit that he will support the platform of the party he represents; providing for the regular holding of county and state conventions to adopt platforms; party registration and several other minor features deemed improvements.

# OLD PARTY IN POWER

## Republicans Control Committees in Idaho Senate.

# NORTH HAS FIVE CHAIRMEN

## J. W. Hart, Majority Whip, Heads State Affairs Committee, Which Has Charge of Measures Fostered by Administration.

**BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—Complete Republican control of all of the important standing committees in the Senate is shown by the appointments announced late yesterday by Governor Frank Taylor. The 18 Republican Senators are given 16 places divided among the 23 committees. Few of them have more than three committee assignments. Northern Idaho was given five chairmanships. The few counties that went Republican in the southwest and south were also recognized and the remainder of the chairmanships went to the southeastern and eastern counties. The lone Socialist Senator, Earl W. Bowman, of Adams County, was given chairmanship of the engrossed bills committee, and W. H. Bundy, one of the two Progressives in the Senate, was given the chairmanship of the journal committee.

John W. Hart, whip of the Senate and President pro tem, which carries with it leadership of the majority, was made chairman of the state affairs committee, through which the administration measures will come so far as the Republican party is concerned. This committee is the recognized mouthpiece of the administration in the Senate.

The committee assignments are as follows: Judiciary—Republicans, Whitcomb, Thomas, Lowe, Hart; Democrat, Friarier. Finance—Republicans, Ricks, Steele, Grant; Democrats, Macbeth, Day. Rules—Republicans, Whitcomb, Hart; Democrat, Macbeth. Mines and Mining—Democrat, Macbeth; Republicans, Houts, Sweet. Immigration and labor—Republicans, Rockwell, Johnson, Montgomery; Democrats, Pugmire, Bremer. Privileges and elections—Republicans, Kalline, Hayes, Grant; Democrats, Harding, Progressive, Bundy. Education—Republicans, Elliott, Lowe, Fuller, Mendenhall; Democrat, Day. Irrigation water rights—Republicans, Steele, Montgomery, McCloud, Johnson; Democrat, Pugmire. Agriculture—Republicans, Johnson, Elliott, Democratic, Zuck. Livestock—Republicans, Sweet, Houtz; Democrat, Harding. Fish and game—Republicans, Fuller, Rockwell, Kalline; Democrat, Lens; Socialist, Bowman. Corporations—Republicans, Grant, Kalline, Fuller. Public lands—Republicans, Thomas, Mendenhall, Ricks, Sweet; Democrat, Pugmire. Mines and Mining—Democrat, Macbeth; Republicans, Houts, Sweet. Military and Indian affairs—Republican, Lowe; Democrat, Proctor; Progressive, Graham. County and county boundaries—Republicans, Hayes, Elliott, Steele, Ricks; Democrat, Friarier. Highways, bridges and ferries—Republicans, McCloud, Houtz, Fitz; Democrat, Carter; Progressive, Graham. Public printing—Republicans, Montgomery, Hayes; Democrat, Carter. Engraving bills—Democrat, Bowman; Republican, Fitz; Democrat, Hutton. Enrolled bills—Republicans, Houts, Mendenhall; Democrat, Zuck. Immigration and labor—Republicans, Mendenhall, McCloud; Democrat, Hutton. Journal—Progressive, Bundy; Republican, Fuller; Democrat, Bremer. Public Health—Republican, Fitz; Democrat, Proctor, Lens.

# R. SCARBORO'S BODY FOUND

## Cathlamet Man, Missing Since November 20, Murdered, Says Jury.

**CATHLAMET, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—The body of Robert Scarboro, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Scarboro, of this place, who has been missing since November 20, was found in the Columbia River a short distance below Cathlamet yesterday. A jury at the inquest called by Coroner Johnson, found that Scarboro was murdered by persons unknown, by being struck on the neck with a blunt instrument. There were bruises on the face and neck and the lungs contained no water.

# Wenatchee Has Heavy Snowfall

**WENATCHEE, Wash., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—From six inches to a foot of snow fell over North Central Washington Thursday night. The fall in the Wenatchee Valley was about four inches; at Leavenworth and the summit it was a foot, while in the Okanogan and Big Bend the depth was from six to 12 inches. The records show that the snowfall this year has been considerably lighter than for many years past.

# PRACTICAL INSTRUCTION IS PLANNED IN MODERN HIGH SCHOOL



**NEWPORT, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—Newport's new High School, completed at a cost of \$15,000, has opened with an enrollment of 59 students. The building is of two stories, of frame construction, with concrete basement and boiler-room. There are 12 well-lighted classrooms and a large laboratory and assembly hall on the second floor, all equipped with furniture of the latest and most sanitary kind.

The manual training, domestic science and commercial equipments are complete, the former including saw table and band saw, operated by electric motors. The library contains about 400 volumes selected by the State Library Commission. The course is that of the standard four-year high school, with six competent teachers, including those of manual training, domestic science, music and art. Professor A. Dawkins, of Ashland Normal, is principal.

# Farm Teacher's Course Outlined

**MONMOUTH, Or., Jan. 9.—(Special.)**—A new booklet, showing the methods for training teachers for agricultural instruction, has been issued by the rural school department of the Oregon Normal School. M. S. Pittman is editor

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## CREDIT BILL IS ASKED

### COMMITTEE FAVORS MEASURE FOR CO-OPERATIVE LOAN SOCIETIES.

Petition to Congress Suggested in Behalf of Long-Time Loans on Amortization Plan.

**SALEM, Or., Jan. 8.—(Special.)**—The State Rural Credits committee at a meeting tonight decided to recommend to the Legislature that it pass a bill similar to the Credit Union bill of New York, which provides for co-operative loan societies to extend personal credits to farmers.

It also was decided to ask the Legislature to memorialize Congress that it pass a land credit bill providing for long-time loans on the amortization plan. The committee will ask the Legislature to appoint a commission of five members to keep in touch with the work of Congress on the bill so that as soon as possible arrangements can be made for Congress to pass legislation making the land credit system operative here.

It is not believed that Congress will pass a bill at the short session, but it is thought that it will at the succeeding one. While the committee believed that change in the Oregon land registration system will be necessary before the land credit system becomes operative, it was decided not to make any recommendation along this line to the Legislature.

The committee is composed of Hector McPherson, chairman, of Oregon Agricultural College; Dana A. Allen, secretary, Representative in the Legislature; S. G. Sargent, state bank superintendent; Assistant Corporation Commissioner Vincent; H. J. Stuewe, weather head of the State Grange; Professor F. G. Young, of the University of Oregon; and F. L. Garland, Lebanon, State Senator.

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