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THE TEACHERSINSTITUTE.

The Annual Gathering of the Teachers of the County Well Attended.

(Oregonian.)

YAQUINA BAY WORK.

Reasons Why Contracts Have Not Been Advertised For.

Leader.

J. R. Mays, of Elk City, writes to the Oregonian that a great many people in that section are anxious to hear something about the letting of the contract for the improvement of Yaquina bay, He says that they have been informed Panic and Consternation Reigns Supreme, that Captain Fisk, United States engiacer, had received the approved specifications from Washington some time since, with orders to let the contract immediately. He also asks whether the letting of the contract must necessarily await the appropriation of the money for the same.

The answer to this query is found in a Washington report to the Oregonian, published yesterday, which is to the effect that though the contract has been authorized and the secretary of war will probably make it, it is possible that appropriations for this improvement will be very hard to obtain. There is a very strong impression among men who han-Of GENERAL MERCHANDISE bought for 40 cents on dle the appropriations of money in the the improvement at Yaquina should be made. It is believed from the reports ture of \$1,000,000 at this point is not warranted by the commerce, either now or in prospect.

As to the return of the approved spec ifications, Lieutenant Potter, United States engineers, who had charge of the government work on the coast of Oregon, sent the specifications for the improve ment of Yaquina bay to Washington some three months since, and asked for authority to advertise for proposals for the work. Authority to advertise was received, dependent on the specifications being ap proved, and, in order to hasten matters, Lieutenant Potter prepared and sent Eastern engineering journals a copy of the advertisement to be inserted. The specifications, however, did not come back, and Lieutenant Potter, not being notified as to whether they had been approved or not, was obliged to recall his advertisements. Finally he was ordered to join the expedition to the Philipines, and up to the time of his departure the specifications had not been returned and he naturally supposed that in the bustle of war preparations they had been laid aside till more important matters could be attended to. When Lieutenant Potter went away some four weeks since, he turned office and matters in charge to Captain Fisk. For the past three weeks or more Cap-

tain Fisk has been at the mouth of the Columbia superintending the planting of submarine mines and torpedoes. On his return to Portland at noon yesterday the approved specifications for the improvement of Yaquina bay were on his completed planting mines for the pro- School which was listened to with tection of the Columbia, he will have to

The Annual Teachers Institute of Lincoln county convened at the school house in this place last Wednesday. The Institute was called to order by Supt. Irvin, and Prof.

L. K. Brooks was chosen secretary. The following committee on Program was chosen: Miss Eva Akin, Mrs. Denlinger and Dr. J. A. Townsend. After some discussion the Institute adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Report of the committee on program was read and adopted, after which the song America was rendered.

The subject of Grammar was then introduced, and Dr. Townsend followed with an interesting talk on Derivations. A very able paper on Local History, setting forth methods valuable for maintaining regular attendance was read by Mrs. N. Hill Denlinger.

The law regarding the sale of tobacco to minors was read and explained by Attorney Denlinger. After a somewhat protracted discussion the conclusion was reached that a complaining witness and a healthful, public sentiment is all that is necessary to put a stop to the sale of tobacco to minors.

Institute adjourned to next day. THURSDAY SESSION.

The work of the day was begun by able explanations of methods of recitations in U. S. History, by N. Hill Denlinger, followed by a comprehensive and interesting talk on the essentials to be emphasized in the teaching of history by State Supt. Irwin.

A very comprehensive paper on grade work was read by Miss Eva Akin.

The afternoon session opened at 2 p. m., by singing the Battle Hymn of the Republic. After the song the subject of Penmanship was introduced by Prof. Bethers, and a lively discussion was had.

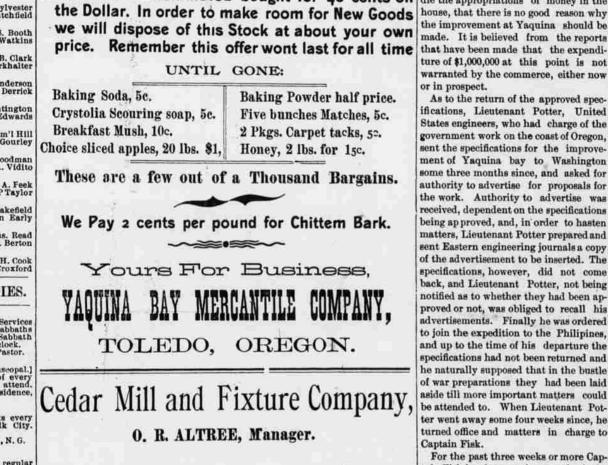
Dr. Townsend then read an able and interesting paper on Chemistry.

Superintendent Irwin gave a lecture on English in the Public finish this work before he can give at-tention to the Yaquina bay contract, greatly enjoyed.

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I 0. 0. F.-Bay Lodge No. 115, of Yaquina City, meets everyWednesday evening. Visiting brothers are always welcome. A. S. CASTKEL, N. G. S. A. FRUITT, Secretary.

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A. O. U. W.-Western Star Lodge No. 73, meets in the Odd Fe'lows' hall, Yaquina, on first and third Saturday evenings in each moath. Visiting brothers are always welcome. H. K. LUGGER, M. W. H. L. TRAVIS, Recorder.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Poeshontus Camp No. 299, Toledo, Oregon, meets on the forst and third Fridays in each month in the Odd Fellows hall. Visiting neighbors are lways welcome. W.E. FRAIRS, R. K. AMBERS, Consul. Clerk.

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and before advertising for proposals for the work will probably find it necessary to go over the specifications prepared by Lieutenant Potter; so just when the contract about which Mr. Mays and others are so anxious, will be advertised, cannot definitely ascertained.

[Whenever the Oregonian has anything to say about the Yaquina improvement it always works in that old, worn, threadbare tale about it being so hard to get money for this appropriation, etc. For the benefit of the Oregonian we will the future. We will admit that the Oregonian will publish all that stuff, and in the future let the Oregonian publish the news item only, and leave all that other stuff out, and we will consider it published. We know that it is the desire of the Oregonian to publish all such stuff.]

I. L. Patterson, of Salem, has been appointed collector of customs at Portland, and his nomination has been confirmed. This is the office for which T. T. Geer was a candidate, and the one he refused to give up until the appointment was made, claiming that he was not a miscellaneous candidate. This appointment is characterized by the press and people of the state generally as relief." Many others have testia most disgraceful one.

The Institute is still in progress at the school house today, and will close its labors this evening. The sessions have been interesting and instructive, and the teachers in attendance will be greatly benefitted by the work done.

The teachers enrolled are as follows:

Olive Logan, Newport; Jessie M. Wilson, Yaquina; Eva E. Hwing, say that we will waive all that stuff in Toledo; Mrs. R. E. Darnell, Toledo; L. K. Brooks, Toledo; J. F. Worrell, Yaquina; Emma Wright, Yaquina; L. S. Bnoy, Philomath; Geo. B. McClusky, Toledo; Geo. Bethers, Newport; Minnetta Magers, Ona; J. A. Townsend, Newport; N. Hill Denlinger, Toledo; Mamie M. McCluskey, Toledo; Ralph H. Carson, Toledo; Jessie Bouy, Morrison.

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