

STUDENTS WILL GET PHYSICIAN

Nurse Also Employed by Board; Meeting to Discuss Budget To Be Nov. 22

Containing that it would be poor economy to chance a possible epidemic and its consequences by failing to provide proper medical attention for the pupils of the Salem schools, the school board, at its regular meeting last night, voted to hire both a school physician and school nurse. All members present favored the move.

Director H. H. Olinger apparently voiced the sentiment of the entire board when he declared he would be even willing to cut down on the amount of wood purchased in order to insure proper medical care for the pupils.

Budget Is Adopted.
"It's a question whether or not it would be economy if two or three children should die of an epidemic which might have been prevented through proper attention," Dr. Olinger said. The board named Directors Olinger and Simons as a committee to select a doctor and nurse. The physician will be paid \$50 monthly and the nurse \$100.

Meeting in joint session with the special budget committee, the school board last night adopted the budget for the coming year, and Tuesday, November 22, was set as the date for the taxpayers meeting at which a discussion of the budget will be held. Members of the budget committee who were present last night were Oscar Price, Paul Hauser, U. G. Shipley, and Otto Hartman. T. M. Hicks failed to put in an appearance.

Two Teachers Hired.
Secretary William Burghardt Jr. was authorized to publish notices of the taxpayers' meeting which will be held at the high school at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, November 22.

Two teachers were hired by the board last night. They are Mrs. Bessie Middleman, who will be an instructor in the high school and D. K. Luthy, who will work part time in one of the junior high schools.

Night Work Discussed.
Consideration of the purchase of diplomas, which must be bought for the Salem high school in the near future, was held over until the next meeting.

Discussion of the advisability of allowing Salem working girls to use the sewing department in the high school four nights a week came to nothing at last night's meeting. The proposed work would be held in connection with the Smith-Hughes act.

Polk Teachers Open Institute.
Dallas, Or., Oct. 26.—The Polk county teachers' annual institute began this morning at 9 o'clock in the Dallas high school, and, from the reports of the superintendent, it is expected that practically all of the teachers in the county will be present.

Mrs. F. M. Parrish is in charge of the music throughout the three-day session. Mrs. Parrish was formerly music instructor at the Oregon Normal school. President J. S. Landers made the first address to the assembly at 10 o'clock. Other speakers and instructors are: J. A. Churchill, superintendent of public instruction; W. M. Smith, assistant state school superintendent; Alice McIntosh, Oregon Normal school; Mrs. Rychar, Oregon Normal school; Kate Hou, Oregon Normal school; Florence Beardsley, rural center, O. N. S.; Emily DeVore, Oregon Normal school; F. L. Stetson, University of Oregon; M. E. Smith, Oregon Agricultural college; Edna Cox, Oregon Agricultural college; Elizabeth Hooper, Oregon Tuberculosis association; C. A. Gregory, University of Oregon, and Burnice Newbill, Dallas, pianist.

The principal address to the citizens of the county will be that given by Superintendent J. A. Churchill at 10 o'clock on Friday, when he will talk on "County Unit of Administration." This subject is now being discussed by Polk county citizens and it is expected that the measure will be put before the people at the next primary election.

Committees who have been appointed to assist in the promotion of the work for the teachers for the ensuing year are as follows:

Committee on resolutions—J. W. L. Kaufman, Falls City; R. R. Turner, Dallas; F. M. Mitchell, Rickreall; L. I. Gooding, Monmouth; and Mrs. J. H. Collins, Oak Point school.

Committee on athletics—O. D. Rogers, Independence; Mr. Griffin, Dallas; W. H. Carney, Atrille; W. P. Wiss, Ferrysdale; P. W. Campbell, Egalls City.

Reception To Be Held For Teachers

Turner, Or., Oct. 26.—A public reception will be held for the school teachers at the school house Friday evening. A short program will be given followed by a social hour.

Season's First Joint Recital At Willamette

The first joint recital of the year for Willamette university was given last night at Waller hall chapel before an audience of good size, considering weather conditions. A considerable number of townspeople were in attendance.

The numbers given in the recital were short, but many, presenting a diversity of talent and a variety of types of recitations. There were two musical numbers, the remainder was speaking. There will be a series of such joint music and public speaking recitals throughout the year, about every second week upon Tuesday nights. The next one will be held upon November 6.

Martha Mallory's rendition of "The Dub," picturing a story of college life, indicated rare talent. This is Miss Mallory's first year at Willamette, but her experience in platform presentation has been extensive. Tyler Willard gave Longfellow's "Miles Standish" in a very creditable manner. All of the numbers of the evening deserve individual mention, but perhaps the comedy "The Teeth of a Gift Horse," will be longest remembered by the audience. This was a one act comedy using six characters. Its humor was keen and the parts were well carried out.

Following is the program complete: Piano solo, "Roving," Miss Frances Sallor; "The Courtship of Miles Standish," Tyler Willard; "The Last Duchess," Virgin Anderson; "Jane," Louise Joighen; "The Land of Beginning Again," Leila Ruby; "The Jasmine Door," vocal solo, Kathleen LaRoute; "The Dub," Martha Mallory; "Somebody's Mother," Leland Chapin; "The Land of Red Apples and Rain," Martha Ferguson; "The Teeth of a Gift Horse," one act comedy.

State Warrants Again Being Paid

Prompt response on the part of county treasurers to the request of State Treasurer Hoff for the immediate turn-over of the state's share of tax moneys has resulted in the rehabilitation of the state's general fund to a point where all warrants outstanding against the fund have been called in for payment. Interest payments on these warrants ceased Monday, Hoff states. It is not expected that it will be necessary to issue warrants against the fund again for several months.

Multnomah county, as usual, proved to be the state's best friend in its recent financial embarrassment, with a turn-over of approximately \$1,683,000 to the general fund. Other counties have also contributed their quotas to the fund to an aggregate, including that of Multnomah, of approximately \$1,200,000.

Polk Grangers Hear Farm Bureau Heads at Meeting

Monmouth, Or., Oct. 25.—The regular meeting of the Polk county Pomona grange was held in the Odd Fellows' hall in this city Saturday night. Mrs. Bartlett in charge as lecturer. Dinner was served by the ladies of the Monmouth grange. The afternoon session was opened with two vocal solos by Mrs. J. S. Landers. County Commissioner T. J. Graves explained the proposed tax levy for road purposes which is to be voted on in November.

The principal address of the afternoon was given by George A. Mansfield, president of the Oregon farm bureau, who was invited to

speak in the interests of that organization. Mr. Mansfield spoke of conditions confronting the farmer and explained the program of the farm bureau. He emphasized the necessity of co-operation as the only solution for the farmer's problems. "In every line the farmer is gouged because he doesn't understand his own interests," he said. P. O. Powell, state secretary of the farm bureau, was also present and took part in the discussion. The officers of the organization are in this county in the interests of the membership drive which is being conducted.

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