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## POLK COUNTY SCHOOL REPORT

Report of schools of Polk county for the month ending June 11, 1899.

Number of schools in session, 26.  
Number of pupils remaining last month, 1491.

Number of new pupils registered during the month, 2.

Number of pupils leaving one school and entering another, 3.

Number of pupils having been dropped and then readmitted, 92.

Total number registered, 1588.

Number of pupils dropped, 191.

Number of pupils remaining June 11, 1597.

Number of pupils registered since beginning of the year not registered in any other school, 1857.

Number of pupils that have been registered in some other school, 195.

Number of pupils over 4 and under 6, 19.

Number of pupils over 6 and under 9, 509.

Number of pupils over 9 and under 12, 490.

Number of pupils over 12 and under 14, 359.

Number of pupils over 14 and under 20, 480.

Total, 1857.

Number of days taught during the month, 15.

Whole number of days attendance, 20,946.

Whole number day absence, 1247.

Whole number times late, 126.

Number of pupils neither absent nor late, 839.

Average number of pupils belonging, 1478.

Average daily attendance, 1386.

Per cent of attendance, 93.

Number of visits by parents, 99.

Number of visits by members of school board, 25.

The following schools were placed on the roll of honor for attendance, having made 95 per cent or more: Lewisville, Ballston, Monmouth, Perrydale, Scroggins, Cochran, West Salem, Spring Valley, Enterprise, Falls City, Cherry Grove, Rouge River Valley.

The following schools were placed on the roll of honor for having had no tardies: Zena, Lewisville, Ballston, Scroggins, Perrydale, West Salem, Enterprise, Spring Valley, Falls City, Pioneer, Mountain View.

This report has been held up for several weeks as some teachers who finished their schools left the county without making a report, and it was necessary to write for a report, thus causing the delay.

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Oregon Teachers' Convention.

The Oregon State Teachers' Association completed its ninth annual convention at Albany the last week. The gathering was pronounced the most successful in the history of the association. An interesting and valuable program was given, with many notable addresses. The second annual convention of county superintendents of schools was held at Salem just preceding the meeting of the pedagogues. A high standard of school work in the state was set and many matters of mutual helpfulness were discussed.

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