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LEE AND HIGH SCHOOL

Won at Yesterday's Election by Large Majorities



The school election was entirely a one-sided affair yesterday when the votes were counted, but during the afternoon the opponents of the high school were hard at work, and exhausted every effort to defeat the proposition. Cabs were in evidence and many women were at the polls. Every ward had its organization of workers, and around the polls it resembled a regular election. The vote cast was above that ordinarily polled at a school election. The vote by wards is as follows:

Ward	Lee Young	Yes	No
No. 1	51	33	51
No. 2	131	52	131
No. 3	35	20	36
No. 4	6	42	76
No. 5	73	29	68
No. 6	57	18	56
No. 7	59	14	61
Totals	482	208	474
Majority	274	269	

A Great Victory.

The school election on Monday afternoon was more warmly contested than any election in years, and the result is significant of progress for Greater Salem.

The campaign committee of seven, headed by Dr. H. C. Eppley, and assisted by Mesdames Geer and Catlin, of the Woman's Club, proved a forceful and intelligent organization, and they carried each of the seven wards. The business men of the city were almost a unit for Lee and the higher grades. The Young Men's Republican Club worked through their organization, and lined up the younger voters.

George Pearce, with his magnificent touring car, did the handsome yesterday, hauling many lady voters for his



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side, but he was generous enough to take any of the ladies who wished to go, even when he knew that they would vote against him. Such acts stamp any one as above the ordinary.

Another manly thing in the high school controversy was the open stand taken by George Hughes, over his own name, not over some sneaking nom de plume, in which he flatly said where he stood. Even his opponents must respect such outspoken methods.

The Salem Woman's Club deserves great credit for their noble work for better public schools. Without that organization to inspire the voters and get them to take an interest it is doubtful if the school election could have been carried so emphatically. They deserve to have the right to name the next new school building.

J. W. Young, the unfortunate candidate of the anti's, did a little good work in his own behalf, and then left Saturday for Astoria to look after a carpenter contract, not returning until Monday on the belated train. He made an honorable effort, but, unfortunately, was coupled up on the losing side.

Director Fletcher worked bravely with his family back in North Salem for a losing cause, but the people will respect him for standing by his colors.

Rex Turner, a young American of 16, who does not hope to have enough to take him to Bishop Scott Academy, Yale University or the Podunk School for Highfliers, worked like a trojan, as did a lot of other brave high school boys. They knew that an education is their only salvation, and they're not afraid to work for it. This kind of young men will make their mark in the world, and are a fine object lesson to the rising generation.

Among the valient workers for the high school yesterday were Mrs. T. T. Geer and Mrs. R. Catlin, the lady members of the committee, Dr. Eppley, Hal Patton, F. A. Turner, Squire Johnson, L. R. Stinson, Clarence S. Hamilton and others. There was not much talking done, but an abundance of good solid work.

Dr. Byrd is being jollied this morning by his friends on ability to round up the saloon vote at the school election. He struck one of the influential members of the fraternity, whom he started out to "fix," when he was told:

"You bet, I'll never vote for Lee for any office under the sun."

This made the doctor smile all over, but his jaw dropped a yard, when the saloonist told him in a most sanguine tone:

"But, Doc, you and I and the rest of us fellows will be about the sickest crowd you ever saw when the votes are counted, for Lee will be elected two to one."

So much for the sagacity of the fixer as against that of the fixer.

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First National Building Frank W. Waters, Manager

Reg. No. 26531 **RED SEAL** Tri'l 2:06 Rec. 2:10

SIRE OF JOE SEAL 2:11¼.

Sired by Red Heart 2:19¼, the sire of Chain Shot 2:06½ Red Seal 2:10, Etc.

Dam ALICE M. (trial) 2:25... by Mark Field (son of Geo. Wilkes), Dam of Red Seal 2:10 Al- sire of Daisy Fields 2:08¼, Mam-lawood 2:19¼, brino Field 2:11¼, etc.

Second dam DAY BELL... by Advance, sire of Malraska 2:25, etc. Dam of Veritas 2:16¼, Vindex 2:29¼.

Third dam daughter of Tippo Saib, a thoroughbred.

Red Heart is by Fred Wilkes, out of Sweetheart, by Sultan; second dam Minnehaha, the dam of Beautiful Bells, etc. **RED SEAL** stands 15.1, compactly built, with great quality and a sure sire of great speed. He will make the season of 1904 at the

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Committee May Use Oil on Surface as Experiment

C. D. Chadd, of Portland, is in the city in the interests of a California crude oil company. He has asked to meet with the Court street improvement committee for the purpose of explaining his method of treating roads. Mr. Chadd says that with two or three applications of crude oil to the dirt road, a perfect asphalt pavement will be formed, which will be impervious to the rains in the winter. The claim is made that the cost will be less than one-seventh of the asphalt, and will be lasting and serviceable.

Mr. Chadd says that the crude oil is really an asphalt base, and is used throughout California, where it has solved the road problem. If the committee concludes to experiment with the oil dressing, it will be watched with considerable interest.

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