

REPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Financial Statement of the Condition of Salem Schools

Salem, Ore., Dec. 16, 1905.
To the Taxpayers of School District No. 24, in Marion County, State of Oregon:
We, the district school board of school district No. 24, in Marion county, state of Oregon, beg leave to submit the following report of the business transacted by us since our last annual report, which was submitted June 19, 1905, together with our estimate of expenses necessary for the proper maintenance of the schools of said district for the current school year:

Receipts.	
Cash on hand, June 19, 1905	\$ 3,725.06
Received on H. J. Otten note	4,000.00
Received on Capital National bank note	4,000.00
Received on Salem State bank	4,000.00
Received from clerk	10.00
Received 1904 taxes	2,070.01
Received state fund	4,780.40
Received county fund	12,704.00
Received 1898, 1899, 1901 taxes	9.44
Received popular loan	19,636.33
Total received	\$54,935.20

Disbursements.	
Paid superintendent, principal and teachers' salaries	\$ 5,156.30
Paid janitors' salaries	500.03
Paid for wood	589.63
Paid interest on bonds	850.50
Paid for water	136.50
Paid insurance	36.52
Paid for election	41.00
Paid clerk salary	37.50
Paid material and labor and repairing buildings	123.80
Paid school supplies	267.82
Paid advertising	65.00
Paid exporting books	6.25
Paid on new building in course of construction	21,397.28
Paid on notes	12,000.00
Interest on notes	233.33
Paid estate of John J. Dugan	46.50
Total amount expended	\$41,462.16
Cash on hand	\$13,473.04

Indebtedness.	
The indebtedness of the district at this time is as follows:	
Bonds issued October 30, 1890, for 20 years at 6 per cent.	\$13,000.00
Bonds issued April 7, 1891, for 20 years at 6 per cent	14,050.00
Popular loan due on or before 5 years, at 4 per cent	19,636.33
Total bonds and notes	\$46,726.33
We estimate the expenses of the district from this time until the close of the current school year as follows:	
Superintendent's, principals' and teachers' and janitors' salaries	\$19,270.00
Water	75.00
Interest on bonds	831.15
Interest on notes	800.00
Food	350.00
Phons	50.00
Insurance	300.00
Repairs ordered and not completed	1,550.00
Food	275.00

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Amount due Welch & Mourer on high school building	12,760.00
Amount due W. G. McPherson Co. on heating plant	3,266.00
Amount due W. D. Pugh as per bill	1,435.00
Amount due House Furnishing Co. for furniture	956.00
Amount due Buren & Hamilton for window shades	284.00
Additional furniture and fire hose	1,100.00
Electric and laboratory expenses	300.00
Sundries	500.00
Total expenses	\$46,101.15
From which, after deducting the amount of cash on hand, \$13,473.04, leaves a balance to be paid of \$32,628.11.	

Insurance.


We carry insurance on the property of the district as follows:

East school	\$18,000.00
Lincoln school	10,000.00
North school	10,000.00
Park school	10,000.00
Big Central	500.00
Little Central	400.00
Total	\$49,400.00

The board would respectfully recommend that a levy of eight mills be made for the ensuing year, for the purpose of maintaining the schools and payment of indebtedness.

After the adjournment of the taxpayers' meeting the board of school directors also held a brief meeting and disposed of some routine business of minor importance.


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School News.

The total enrollment in North school in all departments, viz: primary, intermediate and grammar, up to the last report to the city superintendent, is 334, of boys 175, girls 159, or the month of October 1 to October 27 the enrollment was 324; boys 165, girls 159. The average number belonging to the school is 309.

The total number of tardinesses up to November 24 in North school are 11.

The presence of contagious diseases, the mumps, measles, scarlet fever and typhoid fever in the North school ward has made some inroads on the attendance. The utmost care is being taken, however, to prevent any spread of diseases among the pupils.

The general progress of the work of the school in its departments is good. A good spirit prevails.

Under the management of the principal, George C. Peebles, and his assistants a high standard of discipline is being maintained.

In each room is to be found for examination very creditable work. In the principal's room the regular work in designing and writing is above the standard of 7th and 8th grade work. The 7A class is doing very excellent work in map drawing.

In the primary and intermediate rooms preparations and programs are being arranged for the celebration of Yuletide next Friday.

In many of the rooms the boards are decorated with rough chalk sketches done by pupils, which are very neat.

Most of the teachers have on the walls of their rooms collections of famous pictures, which serve to the up-building of the pupils in many ways.

The teachers of North school seem to realize the social side of their work as well as those of Lincoln and East. They have warm soup served at noon, and have a regular dining department in a corner of the boys' basement provided with a table, seats and cupboard.

The finishing work in the new high school building is rapidly being completed. The desks are being installed and the blackboards are being painted. The varnishing of the woodwork will soon be completed. The big fan is now running steadily and it both ventilates and heats the building perfectly. The high school will move into its new quarters during the Christmas vacation.

Miss Bean, the teacher of the 4A and 5B in North school enrolled a new pupil this week, Vivian Wilson.

A band of hoodlums attempted to break up the senior party last Friday night. They forced a lock of one of the doors at the rear of the house and made away with a part of the refreshments and several valuable plates belonging to the hostess. This did not seem to satisfy the ruffians, for they collected in front of the house and insulted several of the girls. They also threatened violence to two of the senior boys who were helpless against

them, there being only four boys at the party. It was necessary to call the police to insure peace. A number of the crowd were recognized despite the fact that they wore masks. This is greatly regretted by the high school.

The halls of East school are becoming bright as Christmas draws near. The flag is draped from the ceiling in the center of the lower hall, and surrounded by small evergreens. The effect is very good.

The Demosthenes society held its regular meeting Monday evening. A resignation from their president, E. A. Haslam, who has gone to Portland, was accepted. Mr. Ben Utter was elected to take Mr. Haslam's place in the chair.

A Natural Result.

It is very reasonable to suppose if the foundation of a structure was removed that the building itself is bound to come down. This simple principle can be applied to disease. Take medicine into the system that will remove the cause of the sickness, and illness will leave of itself. Dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headache and biliousness have their foundation in stomach disorders. Remove this weakness and the other symptoms are no more. There is one cure for this that all druggists sell for 25c per box; it is Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. They get right at the beginning of the disease and make the cure by taking away the cause.

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Santa's Headquarters.

All the poor children of this city who are intending to write to Santa Claus, should address their letters to the Salvation Army, as that is his stopping place this year.

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