

\$1000 IN PRIZES \$1000

To be Given Away by

THE MONITOR

In Connection With the Following Merchants

Who will Give Votes on Purchases Made at Their Stores

HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

For the purpose of this contest Polk county has been divided into two districts. District No. 1 includes all the territory within the city limits.

District No. 2 the remaining portion of Polk county.

FIRST GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE

The Candidate polling the highest number of votes regardless of the district in which she resides will receive a beautiful Upright Piano valued at \$350, will be on display about the 27th.

The next two highest, one in each district, will receive a diamond ring valued at \$75 and guaranteed by Rowe's Jewelry Store.

The next two highest, one in each district will be awarded a first class sewing machine, latest model.

The next two highest, one in each district, will receive a solidgold watch, ladies size, either Elgin or Waltham movements.

Smaller prizes ranging from a years subscription to the Leading Periodicals to a \$25 purchase check at the stores giving votes will be given those Candidates who receive a limited number of votes.

Drexler & Alexander

L. A. Cary

Red Cross Pharmacy

Rowe's Jewelry Store

Klyde's Candy Kitchen

Gaines Cigar Store and Billiard Parlor

Frank Schow, Cleaning and Pressing

Star Theatre, Monmouth

RULES THAT WILL GOVERN CONTEST

Contest opens Thursday, January 23rd and will close Saturday March 29th at 9 p. m.

Any lady resident of Polk county, married or single, between the ages of 14 and 45 years is eligible to compete.

The Contest Manager reserves the right to reject any nomination for candidacy.

Any employee of this office not eligible.

The Contest Management will not be responsible for typographical errors in the publishing of votes except to make correction in the following issue.

Should any question arise to the interpretation of the foregoing rules the decision of the Contest Manager will be final.

In each issue of the Monitor will be printed a nomination blank to be used for nomination purposes. The blanks when properly filled in and mailed or brought to the Contest Department will be registered to the credit of the Candidate whose name is thereon. Each nomination blank counts for 5000 votes and only one will be credited to each candidate. Secure a nomination blank at once and fill in your name or the name of some young lady you would like to have win one of the prizes. DO IT NOW as an early start half wins the battle.

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NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE

Contest
Closes

March 29th.

At 9 o'clock p. m.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE

Contest Dept. Independence Monitor

INDEPENDENCE : : : : OREGON

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January 23d

At 8 o'clock a. m.