

# Stayton Business Houses Are Closed Monday Evenings

Practically every able bodied business man in Stayton drills with Separate Company "A," Oregon Guard, Monday Evenings, and through patriotic courtesy the others are closing their places of business during drill hours which are-----

FROM  
7:30  
TO  
9:30

Patriotic friends of the Guard will best show their appreciation of this action of Stayton's business men by refraining from asking them to open their places of business during these hours.

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### JUSTICE TO WOMEN IN WAR INDUSTRIES.

The Oregonian contains a statement that a conference has been held at the department of labor and Chief Deputy Gram announces that "employment of women in hazardous occupations such as saw and planing mills is not necessary at this time as thousands of men are still employed in clerical and other light positions." Hundreds of women, many of them in comfortable "coveralls" are employed in saw and planing mills and box factories and getting two or three dollars a day for eight hours. They are rendering valuable and necessary service in such employment at Salem, Silverton and all over the state where there are any of these branches of the lumber industry. If like this kind of work and prefer it and are making good on the job what right has the state labor department to bar them from such employment, or try to force them to do clerical work for which many of them have not the necessary preparation? At Salem young women are working in the lumber industry who were stenographers and clerks for the simple reason that they can make twice the wages as patriotic war industry workers that they ever could get in the "light positions" referred to. As to such employment being hazardous, it is no more so for women than for men, and many a woman has had her fingers cut off or her hand mangled splitting wood or working a clothes wringer. Have we no longer a free country and is our boasted equal rights for women and men a myth? It would seem so, if our labor officials have their way.

### VERY PETTY POLITICS.

No man who has ever been considered big enough to even become a candidate for Governor of Oregon, much less to be thought of as possible of election, has stooped to such gutter-sweep methods of campaigning as are resorted to by the present Democratic candidate, Walter Pierce.

One of his latest card devices seeks to arouse a most unworthy prejudice by innuendo against Governor Withycombe in the following preliminary statement:

"We need an American-born citizen for Governor at the head of our Commonwealth."

This is a dirty and gratuitous insult to the thousands of naturalized citizens of Oregon who are doing their full duty in these trying times in every line of patriotic endeavor, and in this respect there could be no more active, earnest, enthusiastic supporter of our Government in its war aims, efforts and purposes than James Withycombe, whose inspiring words and actions as Governor since the beginning of hostilities have been a spur and an encouragement for every citizen to reach his full measure of national helpfulness.

To arouse racial animosity among loyal American citizens at this time is decidedly unwise, and this effort on the part of a candidate for Governor should be emphatically resented, not only by all naturalized citizens, but by those who desire to promote the unity of all classes in the genuine spirit of Americanism which is now developing with a greater strength than ever before.

Wonder how ex-Governor West enjoys reading that card as he goes around the state advocating the election of a man who says that Oswald would not do for Governor because he was not American born—Statesman.

### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

General Election, November 5, 1918.

U. S. Senator (Short Term)—

FRED W. MULKEY,

of Multnomah county

U. S. Senator (Long Term)—

CHARLES L. McNARY,

of Marion county

Representative in Congress—

First District—

W. C. HAWLEY,

of Marion county

Second District—

N. J. SINNOT,

of Wasco county

Third District—

C. N. McARTHUR,

of Multnomah county

Governor—

JAMES WITHYCOMBE,

of Benton county

State Treasurer—

O. P. HOFF,

of Multnomah county

Justice of Supreme Court—

CHARLES A. JOHNS,

of Multnomah county

Attorney General—

GEORGE M. BROWN,

of Douglas county

Supt. of Public Instruction—

J. A. CHURCHILL,

of Baker county

Labor Commissioner—

C. H. GRAM,

of Multnomah county

Public Service Commissioner—

FRED A. WILLIAMS,

of Josephine county

Supt. Water Division No. 1—

PERCY A. CUPPER,

of Marion county

Supt. Water Division No. 2—

GEORGE T. COCHRAN,

of Union county

### State Senators—

W. AL. JONES, Wacanda

LOUIS LACHMUND, Salem

### Representatives—

S. A. HUGHES, Salem

SEYMOUR JONES, Chemawa

DAVID H. LOONEY, Jefferson

IVAN G. MARTIN, Salem

GEO. W. WEEKS, Fair Grounds

### County Judge—

W. M. BUSHEY, Salem

### Sheriff—

W. I. NEEDHAM, Salem

### County Clerk—

U. G. BOYER, Salem

### County Treasurer—

D. G. DRAGER, Salem

### County Surveyor—

B. B. HERRICK, Salem

### County Recorder—

MILDRED R. BROOKS, Salem

### County Commissioner—

W. H. GOULET, Woodburn

### Justice of the Peace, Stayton Dist.—

J. E. GIER, Stayton.

### Constable, Stayton District—

HENRY SMITH, Stayton.

### The governor estimates that \$15,000 will be necessary for returning fugitives to the state during the next two years. This amount was appropriated by the last legislature.

### The state labor commissioner's department asks for \$25,500 for salaries and \$11,500 for maintenance, and estimates receipts from fees at \$25,500.

### Five fatal accidents out of a total of 515 industrial casualties, were reported to the state accident commission for the week ending October 24.

### The fatalities were: W. H. Davey, Brookings, lumbering; Albert Patterson, Portland, fuel company; John H. Frisberg, Portland, shipbuilding; Charles L. Knapp, Portland; shipbuilding; James Wilson, Astoria, paper mill.

The investigation of affairs at the penitentiary, now being carried on by Attorney General Brown and three district attorneys bids fair to develop some interesting phases. Rumors of implications of some of the "higher-ups" are persistent. Frank Davey, bookkeeper at the institution, has denied emphatically any connection with a recent report that he had been instrumental in circulating a petition at the prison intended, according to published reports, as "an entering wedge" by which Warden Murphy was to be ousted and Davey given his place.

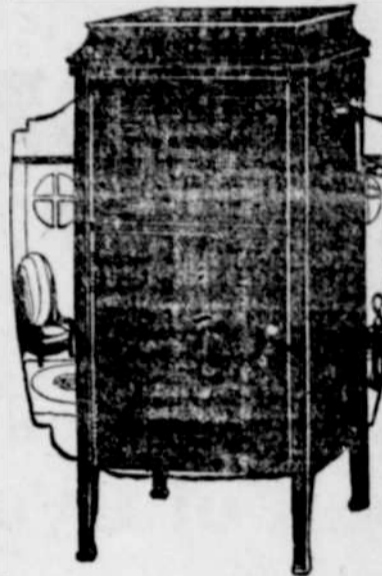
The Pacific Livestock company has been granted the privilege of taking to San Francisco to be photographed the signatures that have been used by the state in formulating its complaint against the company alleging forestry in the acquisition of public lands. The names

were photographed by the state and the livestock company claimed the same privilege. The names will be taken to San Francisco in about a week.



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