

WEATHER INDICATIONS.
Oregon City—Fair; westerly
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Oregon—Fair; warmer interior
portions; westerly winds.

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OREGON CITY, OREGON, TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1911.

PER WEEK, 10 CENTS

ETHEL CLOSNER MAKES BIG GAIN

SPRINGWATER CANDIDATE POLLS
69,000 VOTES DURING
SPECIAL OFFER.

SMITH STILL LEADS IN RACE

Contestants Make Remarkable
Showing and Contest Becomes
More Exciting Than
Ever Before.

Yesterday was certainly a busy day with the Contest Department of Morning Enterprise. It being the last day of the extra special offer push was made by candidates to be sure they were in time to cast their votes, and the success of a majority of them needs only a glance at the STANDING OF THE CANDIDATES to verify. The most noticeable increase is that of Miss Ethel Closer, of Springwater, who polled more than 69,000 votes. We congratulate you Miss Closer and point you as an example of what any candidate can do who goes after subscribers with determination "to do or die." Miss Helen Smith still leads District No. 2, but with Miss Closer such a close second it will not surprise us to see their positions reversed before many days. Miss Mildred Ream, of Willamette, now holds the place, but it is entirely within the realm of reason to believe Miss Ream will overtake the others before the close of the contest September 2. She has a host of friends who are determined to stand by her to the finish. Miss Fay Batorf, of West Oregon, comes next with a vote total of 50,100. Miss Batorf has made an excellent showing, considering the fact she has given to the campaign with continued effort from now on. The closing night there is but little doubt that her name will be added with the winners. Mrs. M. T. Mack, of Canby, is not far behind with a thousand votes behind Miss Batorf, and how long she will remain in that position is up to Mrs. Mack herself. Continued, diligent work as in the past will place her name with the leaders in the contest is closed.

Miss Blodwen Thomas, of Beaver Creek, is not far in arrears, and though somewhat handicapped in making an active campaign on account of being in constant attendance on her mother who met with an accident a few days ago, has made a good showing and it is sincerely hoped Miss Thomas will be able to overtake her again within a very short time. Miss Annie Gardner, of Meldrum, is no means to be considered out of the race and we wouldn't be in the least surprised to see her change places with those at the top of the list before the contest closes. Miss Helen Babcock, of Stafford, has made an excellent showing and her places are as good as those of any other candidate to be numbered with the winners. Miss Lena Story takes first place in District No. 1. That is truly a very low place to be Miss Story, but be warned, other will be tramping on her heels before the week is out. After not let up a moment if you intend to keep in the lead. Miss Tillie Meyers comes next, but we do not expect her to be satisfied with that location and believe before the week is out she will again take the seat at the "head of the class." Miss Eva Kent is third. Why don't you change places with the leader, Miss Kent? Let some of the others have your place for a while. Miss Cross has dropped down to fourth position, but we know Miss Cross is not going to remain there. She no doubt will take her old position at the head of the list before the week is out.

Mrs. E. F. Zimmerman is not far behind Miss Cross and we will not be surprised to see Mrs. Zimmerman overtake her than second place the closing night of the contest. If your name is included active your utmost not to let be taken away.

HUNTERS HAVE POOR LUCK.

R. Fosberg Only Member of Party to Get Big Game.
J. R. Fosberg, Fred Luckner, Harry Delvin and Joe Munch have returned from a hunting trip in the Lost Lake country near Mount Hood. The only lucky man in the party was Fosberg. He shot a deer. This animal weighed, after it was dressed, 160 pounds. Mr. Fosberg will have the antlers mounted. Plenty of fish were caught. The young men packed for 20 miles, and felt none the worse for their trip. They report many campers this year in the mountains.

COMET

Spend An Evening With Us
Court No. 2, Knights of the Rose, invites the pleasure-loving people of Oregon City and vicinity to be present at a social dance, Willamette Hall, Thursday evening, August 17, 1911, to 12 o'clock.
DE LAROS' ORCHESTRA.
W. C. GREANES Commander, PAUL ELLING, Financial Sec.

THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT McDUGALL

IN GLAD TO GET AWAY FROM HERE (HOGANBACK MENAGERIE)
HAI BURGULARS TOOLS!
NO PLUMBERS, IT'S ALL THE SAME!
WHAT'S THIS?
OUR PIPES ARE BUSTED!
I'M JUST IN THE MIDDLE!
IT WILL COST YOU FOUR BONES!
SURE, FIX IT!
WONDERFUL HOW DIFFICULT PLUMBING IS!
YES, I USED TO FIND IT SO.
YOU GO TO MR. HOGANBACKS MENAGERIE FOR YOUR PAY (IN HIS MENAGERIE)
HELP!
HEY! YOU FIXED IT! (NEVER AGAIN)

GINK AND BOOB THEY STRIKE A LEAD PIPE, CINCH AND DO THEIR VERY BEST BUT IN VAIN.

STOLEN TEAM FOUND NEAR OWNER'S HOME

E. R. Baker of the Grand Union Tea Company, on Seventh street near Center, has recovered the two horses stolen from his barn on the West Side Saturday night. Mr. Baker was in Portland, when the horses were stolen. Upon his return to his home he found the barn door open, and the horses were gone. He started back to this city to notify Sheriff Mass, and on his way here met one of his neighbors, Fred Buse. Mr. Buse proceeded to his home, and on his way met two men on horseback. He asked the men whose horses they were riding. They said nothing, but dismounted and disappeared in the woods. The horses had never been ridden before and the men had a hard time trying to "break" them in. The horses were found grazing Sunday near Mr. Buse's home.

Cycle Club Has Picnic.
The Portland Motor Cycle Club held a picnic near the Tualatin River Sunday. There was a large attendance, about twenty-five persons making the trip on tandem machines, and many by side machines and electric car. The day was spent crawfishing, and racing, and fancy boxing constituted the athletic program. One of the features was the big spread. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, the former being president of the club.

STANDING OF CANDIDATES IN CONTEST

CANDIDATES IN DISTRICT NO. 1.	
MISS MYRTLE CROSS..... Oregon City	38690
MISS ALJIE WARE..... Oregon City	32027
MISS LENA STORY..... Oregon City	56977
MRS. E. F. ZIMMERMAN..... Oregon City	36064
MISS TILLIE MEYERS..... Oregon City	47894
MISS EVA KENT..... Oregon City	42752
MISS ELLA WHITE..... Oregon City	35226
MISS ROSE JUSTIN..... Oregon City	8546
MISS LILLY LONG..... Oregon City	8568
MISS ANNA WOODARD..... Oregon City	39226
MISS EVA ALLDREDGE..... Oregon City	17866

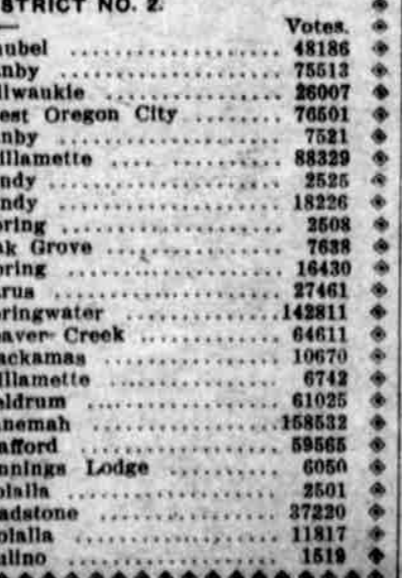
CAN-DATES IN DISTRICT NO. 2.	
MISS ELLEN MOHNKE..... Shanbel	48186
MRS. M. T. MACK..... Canby	75513
MISS ADA LAKIN..... Milwaukie	26007
MISS FAY BATORF..... West Oregon City	76501
MISS EDNA HUTCHINSON..... Canby	7521
MISS MILDRED REAM..... Willamette	88329
MISS ADA CARBS..... Sandy	2525
MISS LILLIAN HOLMES..... Sandy	18226
MISS NORA KIMBERLY..... Boring	2698
MRS. JULIA KNOT..... Oak Grove	7638
MISS INEZ KNOX..... Boring	16430
MISS ELBIE RHOBORN..... Carus	27461
MISS ETHEL CLOSNER..... Springwater	142811
MISS BLOWEN THOMAS..... Beaver Creek	64611
MISS MARY JOHNSON..... Clackamas	10670
MISS ETHEL DE BOK..... Willamette	6742
MISS ANNIE GARDINER..... Meldrum	61025
MISS HELEN SMITH..... Canemah	188532
MISS HELEN RABICK..... Stanford	58525
MRS. DELIA ROBERTS..... Jennings Lodge	6050
MISS VERRA MEAD..... Gladstone	2501
MISS HAZEL HUNGATE..... Molalla	13117
MISS JESSIE AKINS..... Mulino	1519

ROADS' COMMITTEE MEETS TOMORROW

President Hedges of the Commercial Club, at a meeting Monday night, called a meeting of the executive committee composed of members of various commercial organizations in the county, for tomorrow night when preliminary arrangements will be made for the construction of the capital highway through Clackamas county on this side of the river. Mr. Hedges announced that the Commercial Club of this city would be represented by Dr. A. L. Beatie, M. J. Laskie and M. D. Latourrette. The executive committee will be guided in its work by the following resolution, which was adopted at a meeting on August 8: "Resolved, by this body of citizens assembled that we endorse the proposition of constructing a capital highway from Portland to Salem; and that we are willing to contribute toward the construction of such a highway on the East Side of the Willamette River; and be it further resolved, that the commercial bodies of Sellwood, Milwaukie, Oak Grove, Jennings Lodge, Gladstone, Oregon City, Mount Pleasant, New Era, Canby and Barlow each be invited to appoint a committee of three to become an executive committee to advise the county commission and the County Court to locate and construct such a highway, and that the first joint meeting of this committee be left to the President of the Commercial Club, of Oregon City." The committee will organize tomorrow night and make plans for the completion of the boulevard as soon as possible. It will act in conjunction with the county court and the capital highway commission in selecting the route and the other work. The club at the meeting last evening approved a proposition to organize a band in this city, and President Hedges was authorized to appoint a manager. There are a number of good musicians in the city, and it is expected that the band will start with at least twenty pieces.

WRITES CHIEF SHAW TO FIND HIM WIFE

Here's your chance, girls! A young man with a good bank account is seeking an Oregon City girl for a wife. He has written Chief of Police Shaw to aid him in his quest. The letter follows:
Notus, Idaho, Aug. 10, 1911.
Dear Sir: I have heard so much of Oregon City's beautiful girls and I am looking for a nice girl for a wife and I write these few lines hoping you might publish this so some girl who is looking for a young man might write to me so we can correspond with each other. I am 21 years of age and have enough money so as to keep a lady with. I have a dark complexion and 5 feet, 7 inches tall, so if you will kindly publish this I will be ever so thankful to you.
Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM GRIFFIN,
Notus, Idaho.
R. D. No. 1, care Lemp's Lovejoy Ranch.



CHARGES THAT HE HAS BEEN INTIMATED HE AND HIS BRIDE POISONED STRICKEN WOMAN.

John T. Friel, who married former wife's nurse, files suit. Charging that several of his children are secretly plotting to have the body of his wife exhumed to make a chemical examination of the tissues, John T. Friel, Sr., a rancher of Cherryville, Monday, through his attorneys George C. Brownell and William M. Stone, obtained an order in the Circuit Court restraining them from doing so, unless it is to be done by the officials of Clackamas county. After the granting of the order Mr. Friel returned to the grave of his former wife to continue the nightly vigil kept by him for more than two weeks. The aged plaintiff soon after his wife died married Miss Luella Wilson, a trained nurse, who was employed through an advertisement in a Portland paper to attend the first Mrs. Friel soon after she was stricken. The nurse came to Portland from Buffalo, N. Y., having fine recommendations from former employers. Mr. Friel declares that his first wife, on her death bed implored him to marry the nurse.

CHILDREN ARE MADE DEFENDANTS

It has been alleged that the first Mrs. Friel did not die a natural death, and the children are determined that a chemical analysis of the body be made. Mr. and Mrs. Friel, Sr., scout the poison charge, and say they have no objection to the body being disinterred, provided it is done by the proper authorities, and is protected. The plaintiff says that he is afraid, unless the body is protected that poison will be injected into the body. The defendants in the complaint, are John T. Friel, Jr., Maggie Murray, Ray Murray, Phoebe Allen, William Allen, Thomas Kirby, Mable McIntyre and Glen McIntyre. Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. McIntyre and Mr. Friel are children of the plaintiff. The complaint, in part, follows: "That on, or about the 12th day of February, 1911, the said Phoebe Friel, who was then the lawful wife of plaintiff herein, died, and was buried in Cemetery, in lot — in Clackamas county, state of Oregon. "That John T. Friel, Jr., defendant above named, was the lawful son of said deceased Phoebe Friel and plaintiff herein, and that Maggie Murray was the lawful daughter of plaintiff and said deceased, Phoebe Friel, and Ray Murray is her lawful husband, and Phoebe Allen was the lawful daughter of Plaintiff herein and the wife of said William Allen, and that Thomas Kirby is lawfully married to the daughter of plaintiff and said deceased, and Mable McIntyre is the lawful daughter of plaintiff herein and said deceased, and Glen McIntyre is the lawful husband of said Mable McIntyre. "That subsequent to the burial of the said Phoebe Friel, deceased, said defendants, above named, circulated stories to the effect that the said Phoebe Friel, deceased, died an unnatural death and intimidated to divers persons, residing in the vicinity of Cherryville and Oregon City, in Clackamas county, Oregon, that the said Phoebe Friel died as a result of poison, administered to her before her death by plaintiff herein and one Miss Luella Wilson, who is now the lawful wife of plaintiff herein. "That the defendants herein have circulated rumors and stories to the effect that the said body of the said deceased is to be exhumed and examination made of said body, of said deceased, to ascertain whether or not said deceased died an unnatural death, as the result of poison administered to her before death or whether or not poison can be found within the tissues of the body of the said deceased. "That the plaintiff herein is perfectly willing and ready to assist in any way as far as he is able, that the said body be exhumed and an examination made thereof to ascertain whether or not the said deceased died from the causes before stated, and whether or not traces of poison can be found within said body of Phoebe Friel, deceased; but plaintiff insists and demands that the disinterment and examination of said body of said deceased be made by the proper officials, competent to make the same, under the supervision of this court, or any other court, having jurisdiction of the said body of the said Phoebe Friel, deceased. "That the plaintiff herein owing to the threats, rumors and stories circulated against him, by defendants herein, is afraid that defendant, one or all of them, will surreptitiously and secretly exhumed the body of said deceased, without knowledge of plaintiff herein, and the proper officials competent to make the exhumation and examination thereof, and will inject poison or poisonous substances into the tissue and body of the said Phoebe Friel, deceased."

RANCHER ENJOINS OPENING OF GRAVE

JOHN T. FRIEL, WHO MARRIED FORMER WIFE'S NURSE, FILES SUIT.

CHILDREN ARE MADE DEFENDANTS

Complaint Charges That It Has Been Intimated He and His Bride Poisoned Stricken Woman.

RAILROAD GETS CITY FRANCHISE

COUNCIL ACTS UPON REQUEST OF CITIZENS TO GRANT RIGHT OF WAY.

HILL POLICEMAN NOT CONFIRMED

Mayor Brownell Urges Building of Hill Stairway at Third Street—Dr. Beatie's Bond Approved.

ATWOOD MAKES NEW AIR RECORD

BIRDMAN FLIES FROM ST. LOUIS TO CHICAGO IN 5:43 HOURS.

TIME BETTER THAN EXPRESS TRAINS

Crowds Greet Aviator As He Hovers Over Skyscrapers—Journey to New York to be Resumed Today.

POPE'S CONDITION NOT SO SATISFACTORY

ROME, Aug. 15, 12:30 a. m.—Pope Plus is not so well at this hour as he was early last (Monday) night. His sleep has been less tranquil and he twice awoke complaining of pains in the affected knee. His temperature also has slightly increased over that of the early hours of the night. Many dispatches from all parts of the world expressing hope for the Pope's quick recovery continue to arrive at the Vatican.

FIRE THREATENS BARLOW GROCERY

The prompt action of Policemen Green and Frost Monday night prevented what probably would have been a disastrous blaze in the block on the west side of Main street between Sixth and Seventh streets. Mr. Green, while passing the grocery store of F. T. Barlow, at 611 Main street, discovered that the room was filled with smoke. He realized that there was no immediate danger and summoned Mr. Barlow, who opened the door. In the meantime the fire alarm was sounded and the department responded, but Policeman Frost, standing at the door, announced that it would not be necessary to pour water on the fire. The fire was located in a wood-box, and evidently had been smoldering for hours. Mr. Barlow thinks it caught from a lighted cigar or cigarette which was carelessly thrown in the bin. The prompt discovery of the extent of the fire by Policemen Green and Frost saved the store from being drenched by the department and prevented heavy damage to the stock.

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FOUR GENERATIONS AT THOMAS REUNION

A family reunion held on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Emma Thomas, 412 Adams street, proved a most delightful affair. This is the first time that the members of Mrs. Thomas' family have had a reunion. The house was prettily decorated, the living room and parlor being in bright colored sweet peas and ferns, while the dining room and table were in pink sweet peas. One of the features was the dinner served by Mrs. Thomas, who was assisted by her sister, Mary Ganiard, of Milwaukie. There were four generations present. Those attending were Mrs. Mary Bottemiller, of Woodstock, mother of Mrs. Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bottemiller and six children, of Kent, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. August Bottemiller, of Richfield, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. William Bottemiller and five children, of Clarkes; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bottemiller and child, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bottemiller and four children, of Sellwood; Mrs. Mary Ganiard, of Milwaukie; Mrs. G. Keller and three children, of Milwaukie; Mrs. H. Andrews, of Woodstock; Mr. and Mrs. D. Bottemiller and two children, Oregon City; Miss Dora Kohlhase, of Bortha, Minn.; Herbert and Gilbert Thomas, of this city.

SEE HERE

Seven acres, one-fourth mile from electric line, 4-room house, barn, chicken house, and yard, good well and fine spring, three and a half acres in garden, fruit and berries; good cow and chickens. Will take \$2,500, half cash, balance to suit the buyer. This is an ideal poultry and garden farm, slopes to the southwest. Come and see it, or call on or address

CYRUS POWELL
OREGON CITY, OR.
Stephens Building, Room 11.