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WEATHER INDICATIONS.
Oregon City—Fair Thursday;
northerly winds.
Oregon—Fair Thursday; north-
erly winds.

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JUDGES CHOSEN IN VOTE CONTEST

W. L. MULVEY AND E. H. COOPER
TO TAKE CHARGE OF BALLOT
BOXES TOMORROW.

THREE DAYS REMAIN UNTIL FINISH

Candidates Realizing That Success Or
Failure Rests Entirely With
Them, Are Working
Like Beavers.

ROLL OF HONOR.
District No. 1.

Miss Eva Kent	85,564
Miss Lena Story	81,993
Miss Tillie Meyers	50,909
Miss Myrtle Cross	50,343
Mrs. E. F. Zimmerman	46,173

District No. 2.

Miss Helen Smith	224,682
Miss Ethel Clossner	194,840
Miss Mildred Ream	193,676
Mrs. M. T. Mack	88,694
Miss Fay Batdorf	85,541
Miss B. Thomas	76,453
Miss Annie Gardner	66,667
Miss Helen Rabick	61,572

Only three days remain till the close of the Enterprise Grand Voting Contest. Who the winners will be, not even the Contest Editor himself, could make a conjecture with any degree of certainty. It is possible that any candidate on the "Roll of Honor" will be declared the victor. Most of the candidates are holding back, intent upon making a grand rush at the finish and surprises for all are anticipated when the judges make the final count and declare the winners next Saturday night, September 2.

It is possible for any candidate now in the race to win the first Grand Capital Prize, and judging from the reports received it is going to be a fight to the finish in each district. Contestants are taking the advice given, to make the best of the last ballot offer. They realize that this is their best opportunity to pile up a good-sized vote reserve to carry them on to victory, and the fact that very few votes were polled Wednesday is evidence in itself that all are holding back to cast their ballots on the last night.

We know the majority are working for "dear life" and it will not surprise us in the least, to see the candidates who are now at the bottom of the list, take the lead on the closing night.

CONTEST NOTES

(BY THE CONTEST EDITOR.)

The contest closes September 2 at 9 p. m. sharp. No votes will be received after that time.

REMEMBER the last special offer of contest is now in force. It continues up to the last minute. Any candidate on the "Roll of Honor" can take the lead if she makes the best of the opportunity.

Don't overlook small subscriptions, they count the same as at the beginning of the contest. A thousand votes may be the winning ones on the closing night.

Send in subscriptions as early as you can, as the subscribers want the paper. You can hold the vote certificates in reserve if you wish and poll them at any time before 9 p. m., September 2.

Steady work from now on and a long term subscription occasionally may win a Capital Prize.

Candidates whose names were dropped from the list can get back in the race by bringing their vote total up to 50,000.

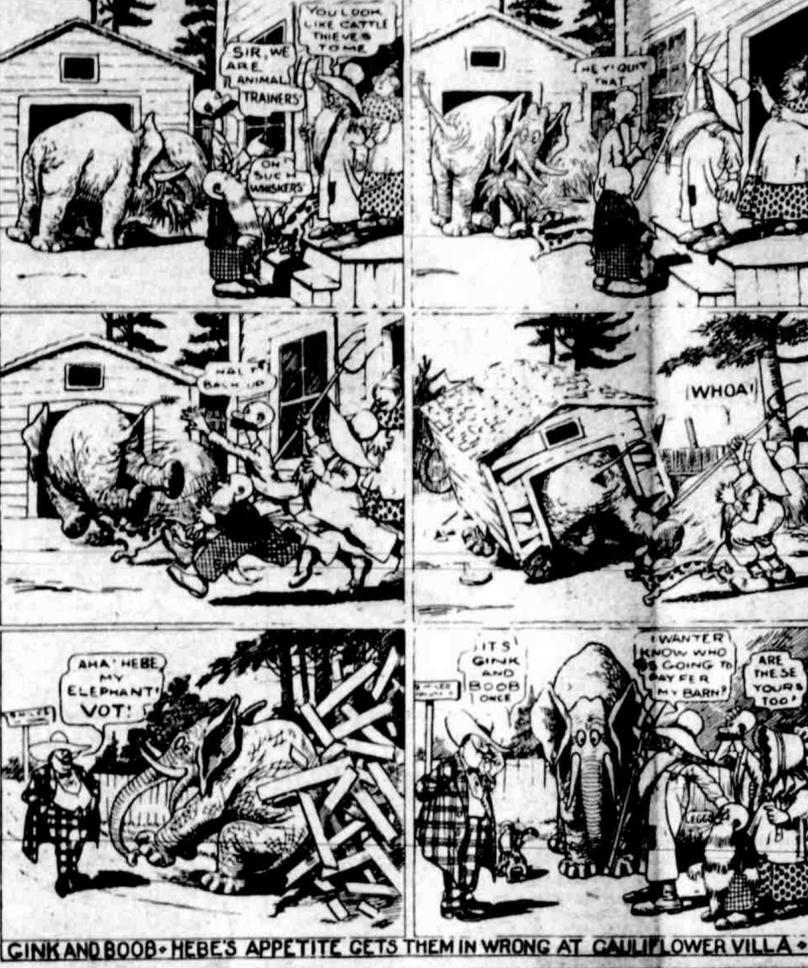
Next Thursday night is the last time votes will be counted by the Contest Management. Friday morning the ballot box will be sealed and turned over to the judges. Better vote early and often from now on so that your friends will know you are a possible winner. It means they will come to your aid more readily when they see you are near the top of the list.

AGAIN WE SAY: Don't overlook any subscription. One vote may be the means of winning the prize you are after.

Any candidate in District No. 1 is eligible for first place. Going to be an exciting finish September 2.

LEVITT'S GIVE PARTY.
Candy-pulling and Games Features of Entertainment.
A party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Levitt on Tuesday evening, proved a most delightful affair. The evening was devoted to candy-pulling and games. Refreshments were served during the evening.

THE OUTLET PERPETRATED BY WALT McDOUGALL



GINK AND BOOB—HEBE'S APPETITE GETS THEM IN WRONG AT CAULIFLOWER VILLA

LIVES THREATENED, SAY WIVES, SUING

NELLIE E. LOFGREEN DECLARES
HUSBAND SPENT HER
MONEY DRINKING.

ERNEST D. LINN SEEKS DIVORCE

Maggie M. Ormiston Alleges She Had
To Work in Boarding House
To Support Children
And Herself.

Alleging that her husband declined to work after they were married until he had spent all of her money, and that he then informed her she would have to find employment to support herself, Nellie E. Lofgreen, of Canby, Wednesday filed suit for divorce from Charles Lofgreen. The plaintiff says that soon after her marriage on April 26, 1907, her husband began drinking, and she asserts that he is a hard drinker, and that on July 8, 1910, he left her and remained away three months. She says that while doing street work in Oregon City he went to Portland on each pay day and spent his money on other women. Gordon E. Hayes is attorney for plaintiff.

Maggie M. Ormiston, of Oregon City, who filed suit for divorce from Elmer E. Ormiston, alleges that she has been compelled to support herself and two sons, Howard and Leo, for the past two years by working in a boarding house. They were married March 4, 1896, in Dolores, Col., and the plaintiff alleges that her husband began treating her cruelly upon their arrival in Oregon seven years ago. She asserts that he is a hard drinker, and that on July 8, 1910, he left her and remained away three months. She says that while doing street work in Oregon City he went to Portland on each pay day and spent his money on other women. Gordon E. Hayes is attorney for plaintiff.

Ernest D. Linn filed suit for a divorce from Maud Linn, alleging abandonment. They were married August 18, 1910. The defendant lives in South Bellingham, Wash.

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STANDING OF CANDIDATES IN CONTEST

CANDIDATES IN DISTRICT NO. 1.

MISS MYRTLE CROSS	Oregon City	50343
MISS LENA STORY	Oregon City	81993
MRS. E. F. ZIMMERMAN	Oregon City	46132
MISS TILLIE MEYERS	Oregon City	50909
MISS EVA KENT	Oregon City	85564

CANDIDATES IN DISTRICT NO. 2.

MRS. M. T. MACK	Canby	88994
MISS FAY BATDORF	West Oregon City	85541
MISS MILDRED REAM	Willamette	193676
MISS ETHEL CLOSSNER	Springwater	194840
MISS BLODWIN THOMAS	Beaver Creek	76453
MISS ANNIE GARDNER	Melrum	66667
MISS HELEN SMITH	Canemah	224682
MISS HELEN RABICK	Stafford	61572

RAILROAD TO START LAYING TRACK SOON

The Clackamas Southern Railway Company now has the largest force of men and teams on the line since the construction was commenced, and the work will be pushed so as to get as much done as possible before the fall rains set in. In a few days the grades will begin at Molalla and complete the grade to Mulino this fall. A large force of men and teams is at work at Mulino working toward Beaver Creek, and a crew at Beaver Creek is working toward Oregon City. In about four weeks the entire grade will be completed from Oregon City to Beaver Creek. The directors report that if nothing happens the entire grade between Oregon City and Molalla will be completed by December 1.

As the work progresses the people are getting greater confidence in the enterprise and are boosting harder than ever before. However, the "knacker" still has his hands in his pocket, but talks less as the work continues. Within sixty days the company will commence to lay the track, at which time the greatest part of the big undertaking will be accomplished.

BOYLANS MOVE FROM TWILIGHT.

Friends Tender Departing Family Farewell Party.
L. D. Boylan and family, who have been residing at Twilight for several years, and who have made many friends there, have sold their home to Henry Scheer, who will take possession immediately. Mr. Boylan and his family left on Wednesday for their new home about thirty miles from Salem. Before their departure from Twilight they were tendered a farewell party by a few of their friends, who just before departing for their homes, joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne."

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Boylan and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sweek and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nash and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Scheer and family.

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH TO BE FINEST HERE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DECIDES
TO START WORK ON STRUCTURE AT ONCE.

BUILDING WILL BE CREDIT TO CITY

Gothic Style of Architecture Is Decided Upon—Rev. Robinson Realizes Goal of His Ambition.

At a meeting of the executive committee of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Wednesday evening, it was decided to begin the erection of a new edifice at once. It is planned to make it the handsomest church in Oregon City. The building will be of stone—the first church to be built in Oregon City of this material—will be three stories and have a long cloister on the river front. It will be of the Gothic style of architecture and similar to the old English churches.

The executive committee, which is composed of Dr. Hugh Mount, T. P. Randall, John R. Humphreys, Grant B. Dimick, R. B. Beattie, Linn Jones, Dr. L. A. Morris, E. A. Chapman, F. T. Barlow and George A. Harding, met at the rectory with the Rev. C. W. Robinson to consider bids for the edifice. For years the people of St. Paul's parish have been looking forward to the time when they could worship in a more commodious building.

With Mr. Robinson's coming a plan was immediately set on foot in a business-like manner. At a banquet given sometime ago by the rectory and vestry, not only members of the church, but other leading citizens of the city attended. Mr. Robinson looks upon the erection of the church, such as it is proposed to build, as a matter of interest and advantage to the city. His expectation that the citizens generally would be interested has been fully realized.

A contract will be signed at once with L. B. Valk, an architect, of Los Angeles, and it is proposed to erect the building as soon as possible. The members of the church say that work would have been started before this, but for the fact that a committee of the city council hesitated to grant permission to build—the curbing up four feet on the river bank. This necessitated a complete change of plan.

It is planned to erect a tower on the corner of Ninth and Water streets with the building facing Ninth street. If the original plan had been allowed by the council committee, the church had promised to build a ten-foot sidewalk from Ninth street to the court house. As it is the church will be entirely on its own property.

Harry Jones was the lowest bidder on the cement work.

Boy Sustains Fracture of Arm.
Clifford Zimmerman, son of Rev. and Mrs. Zimmerman, of this city, fell from an apple tree Wednesday morning and sustained a fracture of his left arm. The little fellow, the early part of the summer, sustained a fracture of the same arm.

BOULEVARD ROUTE IS DECIDED UPON

EAST SIDE CAPITAL HIGHWAY
ASSOCIATION TO REPORT
TO COMMISSION.

MONEY IS OFFERED FOR SURVEYS

South End Road Recommended As
Temporary Route Only—River
Thoroughfare Considered
Ideal One.

Definite action was taken by the East Side Capital Highway Association at a meeting Wednesday night toward the building of the proposed Capital Highway through Clackamas county. M. D. Latourette, secretary, was authorized to write a letter to the Capital Highway Commission, expressing the desire of the association as to routes and that it drew on the treasurer of the association for the money for the preliminary surveys. The secretary will also tell how enthusiastic the residents of the county are for the highway, and explain that a special tax levy will be voted to obtain the money for building the highway through the county.

The committee, composed of C. S. Noble, F. Bryant and C. W. Risley, appointed to recommend routes between Gladstone and Aurora and Gladstone and Oregon City reported as follows:

"For permanent highway in the future build a bridge across Clackamas River near the mouth, and run up the ridge by the river to Greenpoint; thence, through Greenpoint to Main street; thence along Main street. This route saves one mile in distance between Gladstone and Oregon City."

"From Oregon City to New Era we recommend the river route, it is the best, to get the right of way and make the cost as a temporary arrangement. To meet the present needs we would recommend the present South End road. This road can be utilized at very little cost until completion of the river road. This road has the advantage of a scenic route and showing the farming features of the county."

"From New Era to Aurora we can do little else than recommend the present road which is a good wide one, an easy grade and requires rocking for most of the distance. But if a road could be made along the Southern Pacific Railway between these points, it would save nearly two miles, and also be an easy grade."

An invitation to meet next Wednesday night at Canby from the Commercial Club of that city was accepted. Five automobiles for those who desire to make the trip will leave the Commercial Club in this city at 6:30 o'clock that evening. All persons interested in the highway are invited to attend.

The following attended the meeting Wednesday night:

Oregon City—A. L. Beattie, M. J. Lazzelle, M. D. Latourette, George Randall, T. J. Gary, W. A. Sheppard, L. A. Morris, C. D. Garmire and F. Sanford.
Sellwood—J. F. Kerthcham, Milwaukie—Phillip Streib, Oak Grove—Charles W. Risley and H. Sheufler, Jennings Lodge—C. P. Morse, Mount Pleasant—S. O. Dillman, New Era—George Lazzelle, Earl V. Braun and Grant Critser.

Canby—M. J. Lee, F. Bryant, Dr. Saylor, W. H. Bair, J. L. Combs, A. H. Knight, G. V. White, Lee Eckerson and C. A. Bradford.

PULP MILL ON EAST SIDE TO BE CLOSED

The Crown Columbia Pulp & Paper Company has decided to discontinue the operation of the pulp mill on the east side of the river in the city. This decision, however, will have no effect on the pulp and paper plant of the company on the west side of the river, which will be continued in operation the same as heretofore. The pulp made at the plant on the east side of the river has been shipped to the paper plant of the company at Camas, Wash., for manufacture, and the company believes it will be more satisfactory to manufacture the pulp at the paper plant. Electric power will be used there.

Another reason that probably had something to do with the decision to move the plant is that the proposed route of the new east side canal at the falls traverses the mill property, and the continuation of a plant on the east side would necessitate the erection of a new factory.

ICE SHORTAGE DUE TO MACHINERY BREAKING

Owing to a breakdown in the machinery of the Oregon City Ice Works, the city is suffering from a partial ice famine. The company, however, is making every effort to apply the trade. Four tons of ice were obtained for local use in Portland Wednesday and more will be obtained this afternoon. The plant will be repaired as soon as possible. The customers to whom ice is not delivered may get a reasonable supply by calling at the plant.

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Young Man Works Way To Manager of Paper Mills



B. T. McBain, who has been appointed mill manager of the Willamette Pulp & Paper Company, has been connected with the company here and in San Francisco for eighteen years and is considered one of the best informed men in the manufacture of paper in the West. Mr. McBain assumed his new duties when Norman R. Lang resigned as vice-president of the company to become managing-director of the new Powell River Paper Mill Company.

FOUR GENERATIONS AT FAMILY REUNION

In honor of the arrival of the latest member of the family, Wayne Waldron, who was born at Sellwood, October 12, 1910, four generations gathered at noon Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Waldron, 509 John Adams street. The four grandparents of the baby were there, as well as the four great-grandmothers, who are Mrs. E. J. Waldron, eighty-four years of age, Oregon City; Mrs. Elizabeth Adkins, seventy-five years of age, Mulino; Mrs. S. Thornton, seventy-five years of age, Springfield, Or.; and Mrs. H. Cochran, sixty-eight years of age, Sellwood. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George W. Waldron, of Oregon City, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Thornton, of Sellwood. Mrs. Waldron, the grandmother, is fifty-four years of age, and Mrs. Thornton, the maternal grandmother, is fifty-two years old. The house was beautifully decorated and a chicken dinner was served.

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SECRETARY OF WAR APPROVES CANAL PLAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—(Special.)—Secretary of War Stimson wired Senator Bourne as follows:

"I have approved the recommendation of the United States engineer of the Willamette canal matter, subject to the opinion of the Attorney General that I am not limited by the amount of the existing appropriation."

Acting Secretary of War here assured the Senator that he is preparing papers and a letter to the Attorney General requesting that the matter receive his immediate attention. He is personally confident that the Secretary of War has authority to appropriate the joint appropriation of \$154,000. Should the Attorney General hold otherwise Senator Bourne feels confident of his ability to obtain an additional appropriation at the next session to complete the project.

If the Attorney General holds the Secretary of War has the authority, condemnation proceedings for the right of way will be ordered and an additional appropriation will not be required until 1915 to complete the work.

Senator Bourne says he is remaining in Washington to give the matter his personal attention.

MISS SANDSTROM TO GIVE READING

From all indications there will be a large attendance at the recital given tomorrow evening at the Baptist church when Miss Mary Sandstrom, of this city and a student of the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, Mass., will read from Augustus Thomas' play, "The Witching Hour," under the auspices of the Philanthropic Class of the Baptist church.

Miss Sandstrom is highly esteemed in this city, and this will be her first appearance in recital work here. She gave two readings of Augustus Thomas' "The Witching Hour" during the summer session of the St. Paul's Normal, of Washington, and the two entertainments were largely attended. The readings held the attention of her audience, each character being exceedingly well presented. Miss Sandstrom expects to return East within a few weeks.

BEATTIE WITNESS SAW MAN WITH GUN

ARMED STRANGER ACTED SUSPICIOUSLY ON ROAD NIGHT OF TRAGEDY.

DEFENDANT'S STORY CORROBORATED

Allegation That Highwayman Killed Woman is Supported—Prosecution Prepares For Rebuttal.

CHESTERFIELD COURTHOUSE, Va., Aug. 30.—Testimony corroborative of the story told by Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., that a bearded highwayman killed his wife with a shotgun, was introduced by the defense in the Beattie trial today, when W. R. Holland, who lives in the vicinity of the Midlothian Turnpike, where the murder occurred, declared he had seen a bearded man with a shotgun there five hours before the tragedy.

It was the first move of the defense after the prosecution rested its case at noon today, to establish the veracity of the prisoner. Besides Holland's statement concerning the man with a shotgun, Eugene Henshaw, a farmer who travels the Midlothian Turnpike daily, testified that he saw a strange man of about 50 years prowling about on three different days before the murder.

It is reported tonight that the prosecution is ready when its time for rebuttal arrives, to put on the stand the man who passed along the railroad tracks where Holland said he saw a man with a shotgun, and that the new witness will say he was squirrel hunting the day of the murder.

The defense summoned many witnesses. Besides the testimony regarding the bearded man, expert testimony was introduced as to the bounding qualities of an automobile similar to that driven by Beattie, thereby accounting for the jolting of the car of the shotgun placed in the rear seat by Beattie after the murder with the alleged highwayman. The prosecution attacked this line of evidence on cross-examination.

The idea of the prosecution has been to indicate that Beattie himself slowed down at the crossing and threw the gun to one side on his way to the Owen home with his dead wife. Beattie's counsel attacked the declaration of Sam Talley that he heard the scream of the murder a shot and the scream of a woman in Midlothian Turnpike. Several witnesses testified that the morning after the murder, when Beattie talked with Talley and others, nothing was said about a woman's screaming.

STAATS HONORED AT CHURCH CONFERENCE

Chief Deputy Sheriff J. O. Staats has returned from Troutdale, Or., where he attended the Willamette Valley Advent Christian Conference. Mr. Staats, who is a minister and preaches every Sunday in the West Oregon City school house, was elected secretary and treasurer of the conference. Twenty conversions were made and about ten backsliders were received at the conference. About \$2,500 was raised for work in the Willamette Valley this year.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The center of population of the United States was announced by Director of the Census Durand today to be in the Western part of Bloomington, Monroe county, Ind. Ten years ago the center of population was six miles southeast of Columbus, Ind., 29 miles east of its new location.

G. A. R. Members To Be Dined.
The quarterly dinner served by the Women's Relief Corps to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, will be served Tuesday, September 5.

Today

"The Quest of Gold" and "The Price of Gold" is the comedy.

"Simple Ike Decides to Marry"

Both of these pictures are by the Vitograph Company and are extra good; one is a sequel to the other.

THE GRAND

NOTE—Do not fail to see Captain Kite tomorrow (Friday) at 7:30.